

Tuition support Policy from Family Handbook 20-21

At Bixby School we believe that our community is enriched by families and students from many different backgrounds and that a Bixby education should be accessible to any family for whom Bixby is the right school for their child. Our goals are to welcome and support qualified students and their families, including those who may not be able to attend our school without tuition support or scholarships.

All tuition awards are based on a family's demonstrated need, and they are available to families in our K-5 program. We are currently not able to offer financial support to families who are enrolled in our Preschool program.

In order to determine a family's financial need, Bixby School has partnered with FACTS Grant and Aid Assessment (FGAA). This allows FACTS Grant and Aid to provide Bixby School with a Family Contribution Statement that will be used to determine the amount of aid awarded for the upcoming school year. In addition, copies of your family's income tax returns, W-2s, K-1s and 1099s must be provided to FACTS Grant and Aid directly. All information received will be held in the strictest of confidence.

The Director of Finance and Operations, works closely with families throughout the application and award process. Please feel free to contact Megan McGlynn should you have any questions at meganm@bixbyschool.org

All information you share with Bixby School is treated professionally and with the utmost confidentiality and security. Decisions regarding the amount of tuition support offered, remaining financial obligation, and payment due dates are made by the Financial Support Committee. Offers will be made in writing. Priority is given to currently enrolled families (including families that are transitioning from our preschool to our kindergarten program) who apply before the tuition support deadline followed by newly enrolling families who apply before the deadline. Any families applying after the deadline will be considered only if tuition support monies are available.

Tuition support and admissions/re-enrollment decisions are not contingent upon one another; however, parent/guardians are responsible for following regular enrollment procedures and meeting deadlines.