



School fees

The German International School Sharjah charges fees for attending the kindergarten and the school. These fees are set according to this document. By registering your child you automatically accept these school fees as detailed below.

1. Registration fee

We charge a one-time registration fee of 2,000, - AED which will only be charged if your child gets a spot in kindergarten or at the school. If you enroll more than one child the registration fee for the first child will be 2,000, - AED and for any additional children the registration fee will be 500, - AED each. The registration fee is non refundable.

2. Re-registration

Returning students must re-enroll before the end of April of each academic year. No extension for re-enrollments will be given. For re-registration we charge a fee of 500, - AED which will be deductible from the tuition fees for the following school year. If the re-registration payment is delayed the managing board will determine if there is a spot left for your child.

Please inform us whether your child needs bus transportation for the following school year at the time of re-registration. Otherwise we cannot guarantee a seat on the school bus. Bus transportation is operated as a planned route with meeting points.

3. Tuition fees for 2021/2022

School fees include tuition and school books. Transportation fees, uniforms, exam fees, food, notebooks or work material as well as class trips etc. are not included.

a) Kindergarten	20,450,- AED
b) Preschool	21,000,- AED
c) Primary school (class 1-4)	33,050,- AED
d) Orientation stage (class 5)	35,150,- AED
e) Secondary school (class 6-10)	37,250,- AED
f) IB (class 11-12)	48,500,- AED

For families who have registered three or more children at the DISS, the third child and all additional children will receive a sibling discount of 10 % on tuition fees.

3.1 Additional fee DaF (Deutsch als Fremdsprache)

If your child requires German lessons as a foreign language, an additional fee of 250, - AED per month / 2,500 per academic year will be charged. If there is a need for intensive DaF-lessons, we charge 350, - AED per month / 3,500, - AED per year.

3.2 Special educational needs

Children will get individual help if they need special education. In cooperation with the parents we will create an individual plan for special education to advance your children. For this there might be additional fees.

4. Learning Materials

There are no fees for school books; however there is a deposit you have to pay when you enroll your child. Upon leaving the school and returning the school books, the deposit will be returned. The amount of the deposit is:

Primary school	400, - AED
Secondary school & IB	800, - AED

Since exercise books are consumables, they must be purchased as a package for each grade. Please note the following prices:

575,- AED incl. VAT for grade 1-5
400,- AED incl. VAT for grade 6-10
50 to 125,- AED incl. VAT for IB students grade 11 / 12

5. Bus transportation

For daily bus transportation for regular school timings we charge following bus fees (annually):

Region 1	7,500, - AED (Sharjah)
Region 2	8,500, - AED (Dubai. Ajman, RAK)

For one-way trips with the school bus in the morning we charge the complete bus fees. For one-way trips with the school bus in the afternoon we charge 70% of the bus fees.

For families with three or more children at the German International School Sharjah (Kindergarten and school) we offer following discounts:

For the first and second child we charge the complete bus fees.

For the third and any additional child we offer a 10% discount of the bus fees.

6. Withdrawal from school according to MoE

If the student withdraws from school for any reason, the following rules apply:

Parents must notify the school administration in writing. If a child has attended the school for more than one month during the academic year, there is a 3 months fee or until the end of the 1st / 2nd term.

Further details can be found in § 52 MoE.

7. Methods of payment

All fees need to be paid before the beginning of the academic year, latest 30th August. Please note the opening hours of the administration during the summer holidays. The payments can be made by:

- Cash: payable in UAE Dirham at the office
- Cheques: Current dated UAE Dirhams Cheques drawn at UAE bank written to “German International School Sharjah”. The payment can be done with four cheques dated 31st August / 31st October / 31st January / 31st March.
- Bank Transfer:
Account Name: German International School Sharjah
Bank Name: Emirates Islamic Bank
Account Number: 3707399468501
IBAN: AE950340003707399468501
SWIFT: MEBLAEAD

A 3% early payment discount will be applied to full payments received prior to 30th June 2021. There will be no further reduction after this date.

If you register your child during an ongoing year, you have to pay the fees before your child starts school. The school and bus fees will be charged proportionately for the remaining month. A school year corresponds to 10/10 (10 months).

8. Default action

In the event of delayed payment the school management must be notified immediately.

Default action will start at any delay in payment. You will be sent a reminder by e-mail and mail via your child.

Your child can be excluded from school until any outstanding amount is paid. Exclusion does not include exams. Exclusion does not reduce fees. The school can withhold certificates and documents till any outstanding amount is paid.

The school reserves the right to take legal actions against parents even after suspension. This also applies to rejected cheques.