

2025-2026 Tuition and Fees

The mission of Bergen-Lafayette Montessori School is to provide children with an affordable, high-quality early childhood education. Bergen-Lafayette Montessori School is able to provide a comprehensive curriculum full of enrichment activities and extracurricular experiences. Our school day for all classrooms is from 8:30 am to 3:00 pm, with extended day options available from 8:00 am – 8:30 am and 3:00 pm – 6:00 pm. Snacks, enrichment activities, and periodic field trips are offered in the Toddler, Primary, and Elementary programs during the school day and included in tuition cost. The Infant program tuition includes field trip costs, less transportation as children under the age of 2 must travel to and from field trips with a parent in a private vehicle. **Please note that the tuition fee is non-refundable and once the July 1, 2025 tuition installment is remitted, families are required to remit tuition for the entire school year even in the instance of illness, vacation, or early withdrawal for any reason.**

BLMS is committed to economic diversity and access to Montessori education for a diverse population of students. For this reason, the school provides families with several options for remitting tuition – annual, semi-annual, and monthly. Regardless of the tuition payment option chosen, families are expected to remit a child's entire annual tuition by the end of the school year, regardless of absences or early withdrawal. Our school offers various discount options for siblings, and families remitting annual tuition in one or two payments. Please email our Business Manager, Queenie Yu, at qyu@bergenlafayettemontessori.com, for additional details.

Please note that BLMS does not offer month-to-month enrollment plans like a daycare center may. Enrollment is handled on an annual basis. In order to ensure accessibility to authentic Montessori education for as many children as possible, including families who cannot afford to pay the annual tuition in one installment, we offer several payment options. However, the agreement is for a school year and tuition is expected to be paid in full for that school year once the July 1 tuition payment has been made.

Program	Program Hours	Registration & Materials Fee	Tuition	Monthly
Infant (12-month)	8:30 am - 3:00 pm	\$1,000	\$23,665	\$1,972
Toddler (10-month)	8:30 am - 3:00 pm	\$1,000	\$19,610	\$1,961
Primary (10-month)	8:30 am - 3:00 pm	\$1,000	\$18,925	\$1,893
Kindergarten (10-month)	8:30 am - 3:00 pm	\$1,000	\$17,595	\$1,760
Elementary (10-month)	8:30 am - 3:00 pm	\$1,000	\$17,595	\$1,760

Bergen-Lafayette Montessori School is delighted to provide an extended day option for Infant, Toddler, Primary, and Elementary students. Children may attend our extended day program two, three, or five days per week. Before school care is offered from 8:00 am – 8:30 am. After school enrichment is offered from 3:00 pm – 6:00 pm. Breakfast is served for Toddler, Primary, and Elementary students during our before-school program. Snack is served for Toddler, Primary, and Elementary students during our after-school program. Meals, snacks, and enrichment activities are included in our extended day rate

for Toddler, Primary, and Elementary. Enrichment activities are included in our extended day rate for Infant. **A full-year commitment must be made for extended day services. Payment will be collected, along with school tuition and is non-refundable for absences of any kind, including travel, illness, or withdrawal for any reason.** Parents may increase the number of days their children attend the extended day program during the year. A decrease in the number of extended care days chosen is not permitted.

Before School Care	Annual Rate Monthly	
Toddler, Primary, Elementary 5 Days Per Week	\$1,075	\$108
Toddler, Primary, Elementary 3 Days Per Week	\$870	\$87
Toddler, Primary, Elementary 2 Days Per Week	\$610	\$61
Toddler, Primary, Elementary Daily Rate	\$15.75	N/A
Infant 5 Days Per Week	\$1,290	\$108
Infant 3 Days Per Week	\$1,045	\$87
Infant 2 Days Per Week	\$735	\$61
Infant	\$15.75	N/A

Daily Rate		
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After School Enrichment	Annual Rate Monthly	
Toddler, Primary, Elementary 5 Days Per Week	\$5,815	\$582
Toddler, Primary, Elementary 3 Days Per Week	\$4,655	\$466
Toddler, Primary, Elementary 2 Days Per Week	\$3,255	\$326
Toddler, Primary, Elementary Daily Rate	\$43.25	N/A
Infant 5 Days Per Week	\$6,975	\$581
Infant 3 Days Per Week	\$5,585	\$465
Infant 2 Days Per Week	\$3,905	\$325
Infant Daily Rate	\$43.25	N/A

Bergen-Lafayette Montessori School is a very vibrant community, with field trips, parties, festivals, and other events to bring families together as well as visual and performing arts, athletic recreation, and STEM activities for the

students. Upon signing a child's Tuition Agreement, a \$400 activity fee will be collected to offset the costs of these activities.