



2023 – 2024 TUITION ASSISTANCE

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Each year, families who wish to apply for tuition assistance must complete the following:

1. **Complete the FLCS Application for Tuition Assistance Form and return to the high school office.**
2. **Complete the FACTS application online: Log onto Family Portal, click "Financial" on the left side menu. In the Financial Links box, there will be a link that says, "Apply for Grant & Aid".**
 - Pay the FACTS \$35 application fee online.
 - Collect all required documentation (listed below) and submit to FACTS.

Please initial below to indicate and agreement and understanding with the instructions:

_____ I understand that both steps #1 and #2 above must be completed before my application will be considered. All paper applications must be received in the office by June 15, 2023. The online portion must be completed and allow enough time for FACTS to process by June 15, 2023.

Once you have submitted your online application, application fee, and all required documentation, your application will be reviewed and analyzed by FACTS to determine financial need.

Tuition assistance funds from FLCS are limited. Families foreseeing financial need should prayerfully explore all possible sources of alternative funding. To be considered for tuition assistance, a student must be in good standing both academically, financially, and in citizenship.

The following information is REQUIRED for FACTS to process your application:

- Copies of your 2022 Federal tax forms, including all supporting tax schedules. (1040 or 1040EZ)
- Copies of 2022 W-2 or 1099 for both parents / guardians.
- Copies of supporting documentation for social security income, welfare, child support, food stamps, worker's compensation and TANF.

AWARDS APPLY TO TUITION ONLY, NOT REGISTRATION, BUS FEES, CLASS & ATHLETIC FEES, ETC.

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Forest Lake Christian School

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The Forest Lake Christian School ("FLCS") Application for Tuition Assistance requires considerable family, spiritual, and financial information which is used to make informed decisions regarding tuition assistance. The information provided to FLCS will be kept confidential and will be used only by those who are determining awards. To apply for tuition assistance from FLCS, the following **two** applications must be completed and submitted **by June 15, 2023**.

- **Forest Lake Christian School Application for Tuition Assistance (attached)**
- **FACTS online application**

Requirements for Tuition Assistance

Please initial on each line to indicate agreement and understanding with each item:

- _____ 1. One parent of the student(s) must be a professing Christian and active in a local church.
- _____ 2. The student must desire to attend FLCS, demonstrate excellent character, and display good citizenship. If student behavior does not meet good citizenship criteria, tuition assistance will be immediately withdrawn.
- _____ 3. The student should be achieving academically at the "C" level or above in all subjects and/or classes. If a student receives an "F" in any subject or class on a report card, tuition assistance will be withdrawn.
- _____ 4. Students must be punctual to school and have a good attendance record. Tuition assistance will be withdrawn for students who are frequently tardy or absent.
- _____ 5. Parents and students must publicly support the school board, administration, and employees in their verbal and written communication, including comments on social media. If communication or comments are made that would negatively impact the school or its employees, tuition assistance will be immediately withdrawn and the family will not be allowed to apply for tuition in assistance in the future.
- _____ 6. Parents and students must support and uphold Forest Lake Christian School's Moral Foundations and Standards Policy, in their verbal and written communication.

Policies for Tuition Assistance

In submitting this application, parents understand and agree that:

- 1. Determination of tuition assistance awards are at the sole discretion of FLCS.
- 2. FLCS designates a percentage of its budget toward providing financial aid for families. It is anticipated that there will be more applicants who meet the requirements for assistance than there are funds available, therefore families who are qualified may not receive assistance.
- 3. Families who receive tuition assistance are asked to provide volunteer work at FLCS.
- 4. Each family will be required to pay a portion of tuition for the school year. The maximum award is 50% off tuition for returning FLCS families and 10% off tuition for families who are new to FLCS.
- 5. Tuition assistance awards are for one school year and are for tuition only. Assistance is not provided for registration fees, bus fees, athletic participation fees, books and any other school fees or payments.
- 6. Forest Lake Christian School does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national or ethnic origin in the administration of its tuition assistance programs, educational policies, admissions policies, and athletic and other school administered programs.

Signature of parent(s) is required to certify agreement with and understanding of the above information. If married or re-married, both parents or legal guardian are required to sign.

Father/Step-Father _____

Mother/Step-Mother _____

Family Information

Name of Parent(s)/Guardian(s): _____

Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Marital status: Married: Divorced: Divorced and Re-Married: Single: Widowed:

Number of dependents in your household: Children _____ Other Dependents: _____

Children attending Forest Lake Christian School:

Name:	Age:	Grade:
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Children not attending Forest Lake Christian School:

Name:	Age:	Grade:
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Children currently attending college or university:

Name:	College/University:	Cost of Attendance:
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Total amount of grants and scholarships for college attendance: \$ _____

Spiritual Information

Name of church you are currently attending: _____

Name of pastor: _____ How long have you attended this church? _____

If less than one year, name of previous church: _____

How often do you attend church services? Several time a Week: Weekly: Twice a Month: Monthly:

Indicate the services you and your children typically attend: Weekend Services: Weekly Bible Study:
Small Group: Youth Group: Sunday School: Other:

Are you involved in a service or ministry at church? _____ If yes, please describe:

Parents: _____

Student(s): _____

Employment Information

Father/Step-Father: _____ Occupation: _____

Employer: _____ Work Phone: _____

Time employed at this company? _____ Anticipation of continued employment? _____

If unemployed, for how long? _____ Do you anticipate being employed within the next six months? _____

Mother/Step-Mother: _____ Occupation: _____

Employer: _____ Work Phone: _____

If unemployed, for how long? _____ Do you anticipate being employed within the next six months? _____

Please describe any circumstances such as medical bills, injury, reversal of business income, loss or reduction of employment, loans, credit card debt, etc. that significantly affects your family's financial situation. Please be as specific as possible:

Concluding Information

Please describe the specific amount of tuition assistance that you are requesting for the upcoming school year:

Please write a brief statement regarding the importance of Christian education for your family and why you want your child(ren) to attend Forest Lake Christian School:

If any children are entering 7th – 12th grades, each child is required to write a paragraph describing his/her desire to attend Forest Lake Christian School. Children below 7th Grade are welcome to write a statement but are not required to do so.

If you received tuition assistance from FLCS last year, please describe the volunteer work that you performed:

Families who receive tuition assistance are required to volunteer at Forest Lake Christian School. Please describe the volunteer work that you are able to perform over the coming school year:

The signatures below certify that:

- Information provided on this application is true and correct to the best of our knowledge.
- We are able to send our child(ren) to FLCS only with tuition assistance.
- If the Lord supplies additional income or gifts after tuition assistance is awarded, we will notify the school and understand that the amount of assistance may be lowered.
- If the Lord provides in the future, we are willing to donate to the FLCS scholarship fund so that other qualified students may benefit from Christian education.

Father/Step-Father Signature: _____

Date: _____

Mother/Step-Mother Signature: _____

Date: _____