

Dear Parent or Guardian:

We look forward to welcoming your student to New Trier for the 2025-26 school year. School fees for the 2025-26 school year are \$276 and are detailed below. Fees are due by September 30, 2025.

**If your student is not planning to attend New Trier for the 2025-26 school year, please email the District Registrar at [registrar@nths.net](mailto:registrar@nths.net) to unenroll.**

## **Fees**

**School fees are assessed each year to all New Trier students and consist of the general and activity fee. Details are listed below. Additional curricular fees are assessed after schedules are finalized in July.**

**General/Activity Fee (\$226)** -partially funds course supplies, science lab materials, academic field trips, class projects, required testing materials, ID cards, class institutes, 3 transcript requests for college bound seniors, materials and supplies for extracurricular activities, opportunities for participation in student clubs, athletics, and performing arts. As a result of this fee, students also pay no admission to home athletic contests and select performances in music and performing arts.

**New Trier Parent Association Dues (\$50)** - The NTPA is your partner in navigating your child's New Trier experience. We represent the parent community, fostering a collaborative and supportive environment that enhances your child's four years. We offer various ways for parents to get involved, and importantly, we build community and facilitate communication, strengthening the support network for our students and families. Your dues help fund opportunities including parent programming, the student/parent directory, the senior graduation party, the Angel Fund for students in need, and much more. Link to NTPA webpage: [NTPA](#).

Additional course fees are assessed for Driver's Ed, Marine Biology, Chemistry courses and Freshman Dance after the initial student schedules are finalized. If your student is enrolled in one or more of these courses, the fees will be assessed to your student's account. These fees are due by September 30, 2025.

- **Driver's Education Fee (\$500)** - for students taking behind the wheel instruction through New Trier. Students enrolling in Driver's Ed for 2<sup>nd</sup> semester have a due date of December 1, 2024.
- **Marine Biology Fee (\$475)** - for students taking the scuba portion of this class. If your student is opting out of the scuba portion, the fee will be removed after instructor verification.
- **Aktiv Chemistry app (\$25)**- for students enrolled in Chemistry courses.
- **Oakton Dual Credit (\$25)** - for students enrolled in a Dual Credit or PLTW course.
- **KW/Dance 1 uniform (\$14)** - for students enrolled in Dance 1 & 2 courses. Uniform shirts will be distributed in class. Replacement shirts may also be purchased.
- **KW uniform rentals (\$1/item/day)**-shirts, shoes, shorts and swim wear are available for rental during KW classes
- **KW Lock purchases (\$11)**-students may purchase a lock from the KW department.

## **Fee Payment**

Fees are paid by logging into your parent PowerSchool account ([PowerSchool](#)) and clicking on the Balance icon. You will be directed to our Web store for payment processing.

Check payments may be mailed to School Fees, 7 Happ Road, Northfield IL 60093.

For questions about student fees, please call 847-784-3409 or email [feebills@nthshs.net](mailto:feebills@nthshs.net)

### **Payment Plans and Student Financial Aid**

We understand that families may be experiencing unexpected financial difficulty. Financial assistance and payment plans are available.

#### **Payment Plans**

For New Trier families with multiple students attending at once or students with past balances, payment plans can be created. All payment plans are due no later than April 30, 2025. For questions about initiating a payment plan or more information, please call 847-784-3409 or email [feebills@nthshs.net](mailto:feebills@nthshs.net).

#### **Financial Assistance Information**

New Trier offers a financial assistance program for families who qualify in accordance with Board of Education Policy 4-140: [Waiver of School Fees](#). The District Financial Assistance Program offers aid with fee waivers, transportation waivers, textbook waivers, free lunch program and iPad loans.

Approval is based on current household income, SNAP enrollment and/or extenuating circumstances as outlined by Board Policy. Information can be found here: [New Trier Student Financial Aid](#).

#### **How to Apply:**

Families interested in applying may complete the on-line form in their parent portal in PowerSchool. Go to the Forms tab and select the Financial Aid Application 2025-2026.

For specific questions regarding New Trier's financial assistance program, please call 847-784-3409 or email [feebills@nthshs.net](mailto:feebills@nthshs.net).