

Financial contract for schooling 2026-2027

(1 per child)

Registration:

Surname:..... First name:.....

Date of birth:..... Place of birth:.....

Nationality:.....

Address:.....

The above student is enrolled in the class of..... for **2026/2027** school year.

Fees and payment terms

New students: Admission fee - Registration fee - Administrative fees:

- €1,100 payable upon registration (**non-refundable**)
- **Students enrolled at Eridan in N-1: Re-enrolment fees:**
- €650 payable upon re-enrolment (**non-refundable**)
- **All students: Tuition fees:**
- 20% of tuition fees payable upon enrolment and collected at that time (**non-refundable**)



PRIMARY SCHOOL

FULL-TIME :

❖ For nursery and elementary classes: €5,300 for the school year.

HALF-TIME: only for Nursery and Petite Section (morning care only)

❖ €4000 for the school year. No discount for siblings.



MIDDLE SCHOOL

FULL-TIME :

❖ For the school year at the middle school: €5,800 for the academic year.



HIGH SCHOOL

FULL-TIME :

❖ For the school year at the college: €7,050 for the academic year.

Sibling discount: - €500 for the second child of the same sibling
 - €1000 for the third child of the same siblings

For any annual cash payment (registration + tuition) made before **15/07/2025**, you will receive a discount of:

- €250 for 1 child, €300 for 2 children and €400 for 3 children

Any circumstances beyond our control leading to the partial or complete closure of the school for more than one week will result, solely upon written request from families, in a refund for the canteen, childcare, study sessions and Wednesday recreational activities for the period concerned.

❖ **Payment facilities**

➤ **School fees**

Parents have the option of paying the remaining 80% **of the school fees** in several instalments, according to the conditions defined below:

Balance of tuition (remaining 80%)	Payment dates / Deadlines	Penalty for late payment
Number(s) of instalments at your convenience	Before 15/10/2026	No charge
	Between 16/10 and 15/12/2026	€350
	Between 16/12/26 and 14/03/2027	€500

If you opt for the last of the instalment date, regardless of the number of payments you choose to make, 50% of the tuition fees must be paid before **15/12/2026**, and the balance before **15/03/2027**.

In the event of non-compliance with these deadlines, the school management reserves the right to initiate debt collection proceedings **from 1 April of the current school year**.

Exemption from late payment penalties

Families who choose to pay school fees by **monthly direct debit** or by **submitting cheques in advance to be cashed according to the schedule established by the school** are exempt from late payment penalties. This provision applies only if the direct debits are honoured without rejection or if all cheques have been deposited with the accounting department before **5 September** of the current school year. Any rejection of a direct debit or cheque will result in the immediate cancellation of this exemption and the application of the standard penalties provided for in this contract.

➤ **Extracurricular activities**

Payment for extracurricular activities is not required before **15 October of the current school year**. However, the amount due must be paid by **15 December of the same school year**.

❖ **Unpaid fees**

The school will take any action deemed necessary to recover unpaid fees. The costs incurred in recovering unpaid amounts will be borne by the families. In addition, in the event of non-payment of the full amount of school fees and extracurricular activities before **15 March of the current school year**, the school reserves the right to refuse to re-enrol the pupil for the following school year.

Before reaching this situation, in the event of financial difficulties or exceptional personal problems, you should write to the head teacher or accountant, who will consider your request.

Cheques or direct debits that are returned unpaid or rejected for insufficient funds will be charged at **€25** from the second rejection onwards.

SCHOOL MEALS:

School meals are an optional service. Registration takes place at the beginning of the year. Your commitment is for one year. It is organised as follows:

Half-board: canteen meals

A canteen package is offered to parents, **payable by 15 December of the current school year.**

Half-board: lunch box (with after-school care)

A home-cooked meal package is offered to parents, payable by 15 December of the current school year.

The bag with the lunch box is kept by the child in their classroom but is not reheated.

Pupils are allowed to eat their lunch box meals in the canteen or in the areas set aside for this purpose, which are reserved exclusively for middle and high school pupils.

- Occasional meals must be reported to Ecole Directe by noon the day before at the latest.
- In the case of detention on Wednesday afternoons, children must bring a lunch box unless they are registered for the half-board canteen five (5) days a week.

The choice of half-board days is made at the beginning of the year OR at the beginning of the term. They cannot be changed or interchanged. OR They can be changed or interchanged at the beginning of each term upon written request from parents. This service is a flat rate (meals not consumed will not be refunded).

Due to the economic climate and current inflation, we reserve the right to reconsider these rates before the start of the next school year, taking into account any increases in the cost of raw materials that may be imposed on us by our caterers.

Contract duration and termination:

This agreement is concluded for the duration of one school year and may be terminated by either party at the end of the school year.

However, it should be noted that the principle of "free choice" for parents in their enrolment process is a reciprocal principle of private law that can be terminated by either party (parents or school) subject to clearly justified grounds.

Termination during the school year:

➤ **At the initiative of the school:**

1/ In the event of force majeure :

In the event of cessation of activity or imposed and definitive closure of the class, without reclassification of the pupils, the school shall be liable to the parent(s) for the reimbursement of the sums corresponding to the services not provided.

2/ In the presence of a genuine and serious cause:

Except in the event of a genuine and serious cause, this agreement may not be terminated by the school during the school year.

The following are considered valid and serious grounds for termination by the school during the school year:

- non-payment of the school fees owed by the family to the school by the due date,
- inappropriate behaviour by the pupil which may lead to exclusion or by his or her family (or legal representatives).
- verbal and/or physical violence against another student, a teacher, a member of the teaching staff or the management.
- proven bullying of another pupil, teacher, member of the teaching staff or management, either inside or outside the school or on social media.
- repeated denigration of the school, its teachings or its representatives either inside or outside the school or on social media.
- deliberate damage to school property,
- any other cause recognised as such by the head teacher of the school.

It should be noted that in the event of the pupil's exclusion or a genuine and serious cause for termination, the parent(s) remain(s) liable to the school for the total cost of the annual tuition fees.

➤ **At the initiative of parents or legal guardians:**

1/ Cancellation prior to the start of the school year:

In the event of cancellation of enrolment before the start of the school year, parents remain liable to pay the school 20% of the tuition fees as well as the enrolment or re-registration fees.

2/ Withdrawal during the school year:

In the event of withdrawal from school by parents or legal guardians during the school year, they must notify the school management by registered letter, signed by both legal guardians. The termination will take effect on the date of receipt of this letter by the school.

Financial Obligations:

If the withdrawal occurs without a real and serious cause recognised by the head of the school, the parents remain responsible for the full payment of the annual tuition fees.

However, if a real and serious cause is recognized, the parents will be required to pay a termination fee. Real and serious causes may include:

- A move making it impossible to continue schooling at the school (to a distance greater than 40 km).
- A serious health problem requiring hospitalisation for more than one month, without no possibility of distance learning.
- Any other legitimate reason expressly accepted by the head teacher.

Termination at the end of the school year:

Parents or legal guardians are required to inform the school of their child's re-enrolment within one month of receiving the email sent by the school for this purpose. If no response is received within this period, the school reserves the right to no longer guarantee the child's place for the following school year.

The school undertakes to notify parents or legal guardians of their child's non-re-enrolment for a genuine and serious reason (such as indiscipline, unpaid fees, or disagreement with the educational project) at the end of the last class council meeting.

Internal regulations:

By signing this financial and enrolment agreement, families acknowledge that they have read and agree to abide by the school's rules and regulations.

The rules and regulations do not need to be submitted at the time of enrolment (only secondary school students will be asked to submit the rules and regulations in September).

Person in charge 1 (surname, first name)

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and responsible person 2 (surname, first name)

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Acting as parent(s), father, mother, guardian, other..... approve the said contract and the terms and conditions of enrolment for the student:

SURNAME:..... FIRST NAME:.....

At the Eridan school and declare(s) that they have read and understood the cost of their child's schooling and extracurricular activities at the school, the payment terms and conditions, and undertake(s) to pay the invoice in full.

Done at: on:.....

Person in charge of the child N°1

Name:

Signature :

Person in charge of the child N°2

Name:

Signature :

Financial guarantor(s) (if different from guardians)
 (Signature preceded by the words "read and approved")

Appendix to the school contract

OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES ARE AVAILABLE FOR PRIMARY AND/OR SECONDARY SCHOOL CHILDREN:

Recreational language Wednesdays for primary school children:

From 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.: artistic, musical and sporting activities, as well as a study session (homework help for children aged 6 and above). The cost is €650 for the year and €585 for the second child. For a single Wednesday: €40. **Childcare is available until 6 p.m.**

Recreational language holidays for children up to age 12:

English-language recreational holidays are organised over five weeks (first week of the autumn holidays, first week of the spring holidays and the first three weeks of July).

Prices will be available on the registration forms.

After-school clubs:

Language: Cambridge Primary (English), Spanish, Chinese

Arts: Musical awareness, Guitar, Art, Dance, Theatre, Baby Theatre, Choir, Baby Art

Sports: Gym, Baby Gym, Football, Baby ball sports, Table tennis, Slackline, Relaxation

Educational: Science, Vegetable gardening, Journalism, IT

The cost per club is €250 for a minimum of 25 sessions during the school year. Clubs are reserved for primary and/or secondary school pupils, with the exception of the Cambridge Primary Club.

Cambridge English and Cambridge IGCSE exams:

For secondary school pupils, the cost of the exams is communicated to parents at the beginning of the school year. Preparation for the exams takes place within the school and is at no additional cost.

School trips:

- Moyenne and Grande section: nature trip related to the theme of the year.
- CP, CE1 and CE2: skiing trip in January.
- CM1 and CM2: exchange with English pen pals. This trip consists of staying with an English family and attending classes at a school in Kent, followed by the English pen pals staying with a French family and attending classes at Eridan in Montpellier.
- 6th: trip to Scotland.
- 5th, 4th and 2nd: decided at the beginning of the year according to the educational project.

The cost of school trips and payment terms are communicated to families during information meetings organised by the school.

The cost of the school trip includes: return transport, accommodation (except in England), meals, educational activities and organised outings during the children's stay. It also includes the cost of return transport, accommodation and meals for the supervisors, as well as a budget for any unforeseen expenses during the trip.

No refund requests will be accepted for any cancellations made after the family has committed to the child's participation in the trip via the dedicated registration form on Ecole Directe.

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Extracurricular activities can be paid free of charge until **15/12/2026**

ANNUAL PACKAGES	ANNUAL FEES	MISCELLANEOUS REMARKS	EXCEPTIONAL SERVICE RATES
Canteen 5 days (including Wednesday)	1000	Lunch break 3 choices: - External: the student eats outside the school - Canteen with daycare: 4 or 5 days - Daycare only (4 or 5 days): the child brings his/her own lunchbox NO POSSIBILITY OF MIXING PACKAGES	
Canteen 4 days (excluding Wednesday)	820		Canteen or exceptional afternoon childcare (€10) <i>Must be reported to the school administration in advance</i>
Lunchtime childcare 5 days (including Wednesdays)	420		
Lunchtime childcare 4 days (excluding Wednesday)	380	5-day canteen (with Wednesday) Canteen 4 days (without Wednesday)	
Morning childcare	460	from 07:45 a.m.	Exceptional childcare (€10) Option of a 10-session childcare card (€70) <i>Please notify the school administration in advance</i>
Evening childcare	470	until 6:25 p.m.	
Morning and evening childcare	920	from 07:45 a.m. to 6:25 p.m.	
Supervised study (homework help after school)	700	Day(s) of your choice (except Wednesday) Children may stay in after-school care after study hall at no extra charge	No exceptional study sessions for primary school pupils Exceptional study (€15) for middle and high school students only <i>Please notify the school administration in advance</i>
Support: 30 minutes per week in a small groups	550	Tutoring in 1 subject of your choice (1 x 30 min) Subject to availability	X
Support 30 min French + 30 min mathematics i.e. 1 hour per week in small groups	800	Tutoring in maths and French (2 x 30 min) Subject to availability	X
French as a foreign language (FLE) 90 min/week (1 hour in a group and 30 minutes individually)	1000	French as a second language (90 min) Subject to availability	X
Extra English 90 min/week (1 hour in a group and 30 minutes individually)	1000	Intensive English (90 min) Subject to availability	X
Club (1 per week)	250	Any year started and continued after the trial period in September will be payable	X
Club Package (3 clubs per week)	600		X
RECREATIONAL WEDNESDAY (half day)	650	Any year started is payable €585 from the second child onwards <i>Note: The chosen canteen or lunchtime childcare package must be for 5 days</i>	€40 for exceptional Wednesday afternoon recreation (canteen included)
RECREATIONAL HOLIDAYS	See registration form	See registration form	X