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BRILLANTMONT
International School

Financial conditions

Valid from September 2011 onwards



Registration fee

A registration fee of CHF 500.– must be paid for opening the admission procedure.

Admission deposit for boarders

A deposit of CHF 4 000.– is requested for each student. It will be returned in full at the end of the stay. The student's place is reserved and the visa and residence permits applied for only after this deposit has been paid.

Admission deposit for day students

A deposit of CHF 2 000.– is requested for each student. It will be returned in full at the end of the stay. The student's place is reserved only after this deposit has been paid.

Annual fees

Schooling and board in Swiss francs

American programme 6 th – 8 th Grade or British programme Years 7-9				
	Price per year	1 st term	2 nd term	3 rd term
7 day boarding	64 000.–	26 000.–	19 000.–	19 000.–
5 day boarding	58 600.–	24 000.–	17 300.–	17 300.–
Day school	25 600.–	10 600.–	7 500.–	7 500.–

American programme 9 th – 10 th Grade or British programme Years 10-11 or Language programme				
	Price per year	1 st term	2 nd term	3 rd term
7 day boarding	66 000.–	27 000.–	19 500.–	19 500.–
5 day boarding	60 600.–	25 000.–	17 800.–	17 800.–
Day school	27 600.–	11 600.–	8 000.–	8 000.–

American programme 11 th – 12 th Grade or British programme Years 12-13				
	Price per year	1 st term	2 nd term	3 rd term
7 day boarding	70 000.–	29 000.–	20 500.–	20 500.–
5 day boarding	64 600.–	27 000.–	18 800.–	18 800.–
Day school	31 500.–	13 100.–	9 200.–	9 200.–

These prices include:

- Classes in the chosen programme
- Full board and lodging (for boarders)
- The use of school facilities
- Unlimited user-time access to the Internet via the wireless network
- Use of the school's IT programs
- Participation in the school's various sports teams and championship financing
- Residence permit and visitor taxes (boarders)
- The school's sports uniform
- Licences for IT programs and the wireless card
- Loan of textbooks
- Yearbook
- Stationery and photocopies.

Students' personal expenditure

These costs are left to the discretion of parents.

1. Health and accident insurance and medical expenses

Health and accident insurance is compulsory for all students except for those of Swiss nationality, those already resident on Swiss territory and those obtaining exemption issued by the supervisory body.

The school issues parent with a copy of general insurance conditions at the time of enrolment of the student.

The price for the insurance in private division and the school health service are: CHF 3 000.– / year (September to June). In case of departure a prorata temporis reimbursement will be made.

2. Pocket money (for boarders)

Weekly pocket money may be distributed to students by the school. The school recommends a sum of between CHF 20.– and CHF 100.– per week according to the student's age.

When parents have fixed the amount, they should make this sum available to the school. For example:

- CHF 700.– (35 weeks at CHF 20.–)
- CHF 1750.– (35 weeks at CHF 50.–)
- CHF 3 500.– (35 weeks at CHF 100.–).

Parents may check the status of the account at any time by using their login to enter the private area on the school's web site www.brillantmont.ch and clicking on "finance".

If the account runs out of funds, it must be replenished by parents.

No pocket money will be distributed unless the amount is covered.

Any balance will be credited to the student's account.

3a. Additional costs for boarders

A deposit of CHF 6 000.– is requested upon arrival of the student. This is used to cover the student's personal requirements, for example:

- Private lessons (individual or collective)
- Optional extra-curricular activities
- Lessons to learn a musical instrument, tennis, horse-riding
- Fees for examinations
- Excursions, shows and activities that are part of life as a boarder
- Dentists' fees
- Skiing and snowboarding equipment and equipment hire
- Laundry (if requested)
- Transfer from and to the airport (if requested)
- Any private expense authorised by the parents provided the amount is covered
- Configuration of the student's laptop computer.

Parents may check the status of the account at any time via the school's intranet system. If the deposit is depleted, it must be renewed. In mid-August, a final account is prepared. The balance of the deposit is refunded.

The purchase of a computer, participation in trips organised by the school, the purchase of plane tickets and any expense of more than CHF 1 000.– are invoiced separately.

In the boarding school all activities organised at weekends and in the evenings are compulsory for students in Grades 6-8 / Years 7-9. For students in Grades 9-12/ Years 10-13 many of the organised activities are compulsory. The cost of these activities is deducted from the personal expenses deposit.

3b. Additional costs for day students

A deposit of CHF 800.– is requested upon arrival of the student. It is used to cover the student's personal requirements, for example:

- Private lessons (individual or collective)
- Optional extra-curricular activities
- Fees for examinations
- Excursions and shows
- Any private expense authorised by the parents provided the amount is covered.

Parents may check the status of the account at any time via the school's intranet system. If the deposit is depleted, it must be renewed. In mid-August, a final account is prepared. The balance of the deposit is refunded.

Transport and midday meal

Day students have the possibility of eating the midday meal at school.

Every morning at 8am, transport is organised from the main station in Lausanne.

A registration form, with the financial conditions, will be sent before the beginning of the term.

This service is invoiced separately.

VAT (value added tax)

VAT is added to the invoice, the sum is calculated according to the law for Swiss boarding schools.

Late payment

In the event of late payment of schooling and boarding fees or personal expenses, the school reserves the right to cancel an enrolment or to not allow the student to return.

In the event of a dispute between parents and the school, the competent court is in Lausanne.

Payment terms

Boarding school

For a school year commencing in September

- The first two terms (September to March) are payable before 31st July
- The third term (April to June) is payable before 31st January.

For a school year commencing in January

- The first two terms (January to June) are payable before 30th November
- The third term (September to December) is payable before 31st July.

For a school year commencing in April

- The first two terms (April to December) are payable before 28th February
- The third term (January to March) is payable before 30th November.

Day school

- The first term (September to December) is payable before 31st July
- The second term (January to March) is payable before 30th November
- The third term (April to June) is payable before 28th February.

Method of payment

- By cheque payable to BRILLANTMONT INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL SA
- By bank transfer to UBS SA in Lausanne, Account No 519266.01X
Swift UBS Zurich: UBSWCHZH80A, Clearing 0243, IBAN: CH790024324351926601X
- By giro to post office giro account No 10-15032-8.

Cancellation of the re-enrolment of a current student / Departure of a current student during the school year

The school must be notified in writing of the departure of a student according to the following terms:

- before 31st October if a student is leaving at the end of December
- before 31st January if a student is leaving at the end of March
- before 31st March if a student is not returning for the next academic year.

If this time limit is not respected, the full fees for the following term are due and the admission deposit will not be reimbursed.

Expulsion

In the event of expulsion the term is payable in full and if such an event occurs during the last 30 days of a term, the full fees for the following term are also due and the admission deposit will not be reimbursed.

Cancellation of the enrolment of a new student

The school must be notified in writing of the cancellation of the enrolment of a new student according to the following terms:

- before 31st July for a student who should have joined the school in August / September
- before 30th November for a student who should have joined the school in January
- before 28th February for a student who should have joined the school in April.

If this time limit is not respected, the full fees for the following term are due and the admission deposit will not be reimbursed.

Admission of a student to Brillantmont implies acceptance of the financial conditions by the parents or legal representative.

