



## Pre-Primary Tuition 2019-2020

### Investing in your child's future

**“We ‘shopped’ for the best school for our young daughter. She said “I like this one the best; it feels so welcoming.” We agreed. She’s now 17. We still agree, and we’ve discovered over the years that it’s so much more as well .”**  
*– Heather L.*

#### Tuition

For many families, investing in an independent school education requires careful financial planning. We are here to help with your process.

<b>Pre-Primary Annual Tuition</b>	<b>5 days</b>	<b>4 days</b>
<b>Full Day:</b> 8:40 am - 3:00 pm Includes hot lunch	\$9,595	\$8,776
<b>Partial Day:</b> 8:45 am-12:15 pm	\$6,448	Not available

#### Before and After School Program

The Shambhala School offers warm and loving Before School (8 - 8:40 am) and After School Programs (3 pm- 5:15 pm) that are consistent with our school’s philosophy. Please see the Before and After School Program information included in this packet.

**Discounts** A \$1000 tuition discount is offered to families who register for 5 full days and pay in full within 30 days of acceptance. A \$500 tuition discount is offered for registration less than 5 full days, paid within 30 days of acceptance.

#### Child Care Subsidy

The Shambhala School Pre-Primary program qualifies as a NS -licensed child care facility. Therefore you may apply for the NS childcare subsidy to cover a portion of our fees. To find out if you are eligible, please visit: <https://www.ednet.ns.ca/earlyyears/families/childcaresubsidy.shtml>

**Monthly Payment:** Tuition may be paid monthly without penalty.

**Tax Receipts:** Tax receipts are issued for the full value of Pre-Primary tuition and the cost of Before/After School Care.



## **Pre-Primary Application Process: 2019/2020**

### **1. APPLICATION**

Thank you for your interest in the Shambhala School. This is an important decision for your family, and we look forward to supporting your process.

We invite you to apply by submitting:

- an application form
- The Pre-Primary student recommendation form
- a \$100 non-refundable application fee by cheque or e-transfer. E-transfers are sent to: [finance@shambhalaschool.org](mailto:finance@shambhalaschool.org). (security response “shambhala”).

Please return paper application forms to the school, or send electronically to the Head Teacher of the Pre-Primary program, Ms. Leah Noonan: [Inoonan@shambhalaschool.org](mailto:Inoonan@shambhalaschool.org)

### **2. CLASS VISIT**

After an initial review of the application, we will arrange for the student to visit the class or meet the teacher(s) for an informal assessment.

### **3. NOTIFICATION**

We will let you know of our capacity to admit your child as soon as possible following the class visit.

Please do not hesitate to contact Ms Leah Noonan at any point along the way: [Inoonan@shambhalaschool.org](mailto:Inoonan@shambhalaschool.org)