

SCHOOL FEES School Year 2023/24

The Rietberg Montessori School Zurich is a private kindergarten and elementary school in the legal form of a foundation. The school is a non-profit organization and receives no state subsidies.

Application fees

The registration fee of **CHF 1,000** is due as soon as the trial days or the introduction days are confirmed. The contribution payment of **CHF 1,500** to the welfare foundation of the Rietberg Montessori School will be invoiced after the school contract is signed.

The welfare foundation supports parents who face financial difficulties while their child is at our school. Should your child not claim his/her place at the Rietberg Montessori School, the contribution payment can be refunded. The registration fee will not be refunded. If you decide to accept the place at our school, you will receive a donation receipt stating the amount of the contribution payment at the end of the first school year.

School fees

The school fees are effective for one school year (1st August to 31st July). The school fees for the following year are subject to change. The school fees for all age groups include childcare, breakfast, lunch, afternoon snack and school materials.

If your child starts at Rietberg Montessori School during the school year, the school fees are calculated to full months pro rata temporis.

Holidays, absences or any other kind of nonattendance do not justify a reduction or refund of the school fees.

Should the school be temporarily closed by official order as a result of force majeure (e.g. pandemic, threat of terrorism), a refund of even part of the school fees are non-returnable.

School hours and childcare

Child care from 7.30 - 8.00 h and after school until 18.00 h.

Kindergarten (Mon/Tues/Thurs/Fri)	per month	per year
8.00 - 12.00 h	CHF 2'140	CHF 25'680
8.00 - 13.30 h	CHF 2'430	CHF 29'160
8.00 - 18.00 h	CHF 2'800	CHF 33'600
On Wednesdays school closes at 12.00 h.		
Elementary School (Mon/Tues/Thurs/Fri)	per month	per year
Lower elementary 8.00 - 18.00 h	CHF 2'920	CHF 35'040
Upper elementary 8.00 - 18.00 h	CHF 2'990	CHF 35'880
On Wednesdays school closes at 12.00 h.		
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Late pick-up

Children with special needs

Picking your children up late will be charged at CHF 50 per quarter of an hour.



Additional expenses

- Tickets for exhibitions/plays etc.
- Expenses for excursions, camp, theme week
- ZVV travel card for going outs
- Contribution to the class fund.

Wednesday afternoon

On Wednesdays kindergarten and elementary school close at 12.00 h. In addition, lunch and childcare can be booked from 12.00 - 13.30/18.00 h.

Per semester			
Lunch and childcare	from 12.00 - 13.30 h	CHF	760
Lunch, childcare and activities	from 12.00 - 18.00 h	CHF	1'560
Per day			
Lunch and childcare	from 12.00 - 13.30 h	CHF	50
Lunch, childcare and activities	from 12.00 - 18.00 h	CHF	90

Holiday programme

During the school holidays we offer a special holiday programme with many activities. Holiday care takes place during the first week of the sports-, spring- and autumn breaks as well as the first and the last week of the summer holidays and can be booked by day or by week.

Per week	from 08.00 - 18.00 h	CHF	600
Per day	from 08.00 - 18.00 h	CHF	150

Terms of payment school fees

The school fees **are due in advance** and they are payable twice a year, quarterly or monthly as desired. The due date for payment is the **25**th of the preceding month. Invoices are sent once a year.

Terms of payment additional offers

Additional offers will be charged separately with a payment period of 30 days.

Delay of payment

In case of delayed payment, the school is entitled to charge an interest of 5% as well as an additional fee of CHF 10 for each written reminder. The school reserves the right to claim further damages.

Additional information

The document School Fees is an integral part of the school contract.

Thank you very much

Rietberg Montessori Schule

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