



## TUITION CONTRACT AGREEMENT ACADEMIC SCHOOL YEAR 2026-2027

Please initial the following highlighted policies and clarifications and submit this contract along with the non-refundable **\$185.00 Annual Enrollment Fee & a one-time \$50 Application Fee to hold your child/ren's placement.**

I understand that a non-refundable **\$1,150.00 Enrollment Deposit will be deducted from my total tuition amount as a deposit to secure my child's enrollment.** I understand that this fee is non-refundable under any circumstance, even if I choose to withdraw my student before the school year begins. (This fee will be applied to the total tuition balance.)

I understand the first installment of my tuition is due on or before August 1st or upon enrollment if enrolling mid-year.

I understand that I am financially responsible and legally bound to my Tuition Contract Agreement for the entire academic school year upon submission of contract.

I have read and understood the Tuition Insurance and Refund Policies. I understand the percentages for refunds based on the reasons for withdrawal listed in the Tuition Contract Agreement.

I understand that if I choose to pay in full (Plan I payer) and that if I elect not to purchase insurance, I am responsible for 100% of my tuition according to the Tuition Contract Agreement regardless of reason for or date of withdrawal.

I understand the Late Payment Policy and that all late payments will be sent to collections after 3 months.

I understand my account will be charged \$2.00 for every minute late for the first five (5) minutes past the time of half-day (12:00pm) or full-day (3:30pm) pickup, and \$5.00 for each additional minute past the first five (5) minutes.

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Signature of Parent/Guardian Date

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Signature of Parent/Guardian Date

Bambini Creativi Private Preschool and Elementary ("School") has accepted

\_\_\_\_\_ ("Student") for the enrollment at the School during the 2026-2027 academic year. In full and competent consideration thereof, the Student's parent, custodian and/or guardian ("Parent(s)"/(All Signing Parties) agrees to the terms contained in this Enrollment Tuition Contract Agreement ("Contract"). Enclosed with this Contract is the Enrollment Fee of \$185.00 & Application Fee of \$50.00 (per child). Parent(s)/(All Signing Parties) understands that the Enrollment Deposit, due by May 1st, or upon approved submission, and will not be refunded under any circumstance. Parent(s)/(All Signing Parties) agrees to pay the tuition and fees according to the terms of this Contract. Parent(s) acknowledges that the tuition and fees may change as the participation in the School program changes (i.e., advancement in grade level). If any change occurs after the school year starts, Parent(s)/(All Signing Parties) agrees to pay the School the increased amounts as specified in the School's Tuition and Fee Payment Plans.

## Tuition and Fees

\* Payment plan amounts rounded.

| APPLY<br><b>Application Fee</b><br>(non-refundable fee) Due<br>Upon by<br>March 1st or upon<br>submission<br>* New Students Only | HOLD PLACEMENT<br><b>Enrollment Fee</b><br>(non-refundable fee)<br>Due by stated deadline or March<br>1st, or upon application<br>submission<br>* All Students | SECURE PLACEMENT<br><b>Enrollment Deposit</b><br>(non-refundable fee applied to<br>total tuition amount)<br>Due by May 1st or upon<br>submission<br>* All Students | <b>Tuition Insurance<br/>Premium</b><br>(*optional ) |
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| \$50   | \$185  | \$1,150  | \$750  |

| Tuition Schedule  | Total Tuition   | Plan III<br>(9 payments)   | Plan II *<br>(2 payments)<br>(3% discount)   | Plan I *<br>(1 payment)<br>(5% discount)  |
|---|---|--|--|---|
| <b>Preschool, Pre-K (Piccolo &amp; Medio- 3 to 4 years old)</b><br>2 Full-Day (8:30am-3:30pm)- <i>Includes healthy lunch program, program materials, tech. fee</i><br>3 Half-Day (8:30am-12:00pm) snack & materials<br>3 Full-Day (8:30am-3:30pm) - <i>Includes healthy lunch program, program materials, tech. fee</i><br>5 Half-Day (8:30am-12:00pm) snack & materials<br>5 Full-Day (8:30am-3:30pm) - <i>Includes healthy lunch program, program materials, tech. Fees</i> | <b>\$7,155</b><br><br><b>\$6,919</b><br><b>\$11,049</b><br><br><b>\$11,049</b><br><b>\$17,238</b> | <b>\$795</b><br><br><b>\$768</b><br><b>\$1,228</b><br><br><b>\$1,228</b><br><b>\$1,916</b> | <b>\$3,470</b><br><br><b>\$3,356</b><br><b>\$5,359</b><br><br><b>\$5,359</b><br><b>\$8,360</b> | <b>\$6,797</b><br><br><b>\$6,573</b><br><b>\$10,497</b><br><br><b>\$10,497</b><br><b>\$16,376</b> |
| <b>Transitional-K, Kindergarten (Grande &amp; Curiosi- 4.5 to 5 years old)</b><br>5 Half-Day(8:30am-12:00pm) snack & materials<br>5 Full-Day (8:30am-3:30pm) - <i>Includes healthy lunch program, program materials, technology fees</i>  | <br><br><b>\$11, 049</b><br><b>\$17,238</b>   | <br><br><b>\$1,228</b><br><b>\$1,916</b>   | <br><br><b>\$5,359</b><br><b>\$8,360</b>   | <br><br><b>\$10,497</b><br><b>\$16,376</b>  |
| <b>Elementary (Curiosi &amp; Cercativi 1st-6th Grade)</b><br>5 Full-Day (8:30am-3:30pm) - <i>Includes healthy lunch program, program materials, technology fees</i>   | <br><br><b>\$17,238</b>   | <br><br><b>\$1,916</b>   | <br><br><b>\$8,360</b>   | <br><br><b>\$16,376</b>   |

## Tuition and Fees

X PLEASE SELECT CLASSROOM & TUITION SCHEDULE

(Child #1 Full Name) \_\_\_\_\_ (DOB) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Preschool/Pre-K (2.5-4yrs) \_\_\_\_\_ Transitional K/Kindergarten (4-5yrs)\* \_\_\_\_\_ Elementary/1st-6th Grade\*\*  
(\* 5 Full and Half Day Opt. Only \*\*5 Full-Day Opt. Only)

\_\_\_\_\_ 2 Full-Day \_\_\_\_\_ 3 Full-Day \_\_\_\_\_ 5 Full-Day \_\_\_\_\_ 3 Half-Day \_\_\_\_\_ 5 Half-Day

(Child #2 Full Name) \_\_\_\_\_ (DOB) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Preschool/Pre-K (2.5-4yrs) \_\_\_\_\_ Transitional K/Kindergarten (4-5yrs)\* \_\_\_\_\_ Elementary/1st-6th Grade\*\*  
(\* 5 Full and Half Day Opt. Only \*\*5 Full-Day Opt. Only)

\_\_\_\_\_ 2 Full-Day \_\_\_\_\_ 3 Full-Day \_\_\_\_\_ 5 Full-Day \_\_\_\_\_ 3 Half-Day \_\_\_\_\_ 5 Half-Day

(Child #3 Full Name) \_\_\_\_\_ (DOB) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Preschool/Pre-K (2.5-4yrs) \_\_\_\_\_ Transitional K/Kindergarten (4-5yrs)\* \_\_\_\_\_ Elementary/1st-6th Grade\*\*  
(\* 5 Full and Half Day Opt. Only \*\*5 Full-Day Opt. Only)

\_\_\_\_\_ 2 Full-Day \_\_\_\_\_ 3 Full-Day \_\_\_\_\_ 5 Full-Day \_\_\_\_\_ 3 Half-Day \_\_\_\_\_ 5 Half-Day

## Payment Plans and Terms

All plans require enrollment in online tuition and (incidental) billing through our Brightwheel platform.

**\*Important:** Brightwheel has a 2.95% Credit Card Processing Fee, or Brightwheel's ACH (Automated Clearing House) payment processing fee is 0.6% of the transaction amount, with a minimum fee of \$0.25 and a maximum of \$2.

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|------------------------------------|---|
| Plan I- Annual Plan                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>One payment due August 1</li><li>100% of total tuition and fees</li><li>Tuition refund insurance plan optional</li><li>Brightwheel has a 2.95% Card Fee or 0.6%, \$0.25min. \$2 max ACH Fee</li><li>Any payment plan changes will result in a \$50 Change Fee</li></ul>   |
| Plan II- 2 (Semester) Payment Plan | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Two payments due on August 1 &amp; January 1</li><li>50% of total tuition and fees</li><li>Tuition refund insurance plan optional</li><li>Brightwheel has a 2.95% Card Fee or 0.6%, \$0.25min. \$2 max ACH Fee</li><li>Any payment plan changes will result in a \$50 Change Fee</li></ul>                                      |
| Plan III- 9 Payment Plan           | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Nine Payments August 1 through April 1</li><li>For post-August registration on Brightwheel payments will end on May 1st</li><li>Tuition refund insurance plan optional</li><li>Brightwheel has a 2.95% Card Fee or 0.6%, \$0.25min. \$2 max ACH Fee</li><li>Any payment plan changes will result in a \$50 Change Fee</li></ul> |

## **X PLEASE INITIAL SELECTED PAYMENT PLAN**

Plan I- 1 Annual Payment  
 Plan II- 2 Semester Payments  
 Plan III- 9 Payments

\* PLEASE BE ADVISED: Any alterations to your payment plan following the submission of a completed Tuition Contract Agreement will incur a \$50 change fee. This fee will be applied automatically and is non-negotiable.

## **OTHER COSTS NOT COVERED BY TUITION**

Annual School Supply Fee- \$160  
Technology & Digital Membership- \$75 (\*K-6th Grade only)  
School Field Trips- Approximately \$20-\$35  
Developmental Screenings- Approximately \$10  
Material Replacement Fees if School Materials are damaged (\*fee depends on damaged material, Transito \$15 or Library Books \$15+)  
Fall & Spring Garden Party- Approximately \$25  
Fall & Spring Fundraising Events- Minimum \$250  
\* Extended Care Option- Depending on Option  
\* Food Preference Option (gluten-free, dairy-free, or vegetarian) \$375

## **Extended Care Agreement (optional)**

- 1) Extended Day Program fees are \$10 per hour and are due on the first Friday of each month. Enrollments in the Extended Day Programs are billed by the month not by the day. If you would like to suspend Extended Day Services you must give a written notice one month in advance. In the event of scheduled days off of school, such as holidays, and teacher workshops and or in-service workdays the Evening Extended Day program fees will be adjusted.
- 2) There will be \$2.00 per minute late fee assessed for every minute you are late to pick up your child/children.
- 3) A written notice one month prior to a student's withdraw is required in order to cease the Extended Care Enrollment. If a written notice is not supplied to us in sufficient time (one month prior to notice), then you will be billed and responsible for the month.

**Afternoon Care (3:30-5:30pm):** Pick-up Time \_\_\_\_\_

**X** Please check your Extended Care Tuition Plan.

Program Schedule:  2 Day  3 Day  5 Day  NONE

**X**

Print & Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

*Please sign here if you have read and agreed to the Extended Care Agreement.*

## **Food Allergy & Preference Accommodation Fee (optional)**

We will accommodate your child's food allergy if they are **gluten, dairy free, or vegetarian**. Due to the increased cost of Dairy-Free and Gluten-Free foods, we will have to charge an additional **\$375 fee** for the school year. (9 months of food prep.)  
**X** Please initial the food allergy accommodation you would like to include.

Gluten-Free  Dairy-Free  Vegetarian  NONE

**X**

Print & Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

*Please sign here if you have read and agreed to the Food Allergy & Preference Agreement.*

## Program Discounts

First Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

10% Sibling Discount: (Sibling/s Name/s) \_\_\_\_\_

10% Sibling Discount: (Sibling/s Name/s) \_\_\_\_\_

\* 10% Siblings discount is applied to the total tuition of each additional child excluding the first child.

**Payment Deadline: \$185 Enrollment Fee and the \$50 Application Fee is due upon application or no later than February 28th. The \$1,150 Enrollment Deposit is Due May 1st, Tuition Plans and fees are due by the first of August tuition installments due beginning in August and according to Brightwheel (Tuition Processing Application)**

The (non-refundable) Enrollment Fee, Enrollment Deposit, and Plan I and Plan II tuition payers can pay using personal check, cashier's check, or money order to "Bambini Creativi." Monthly payers are required to pay tuition using automatic bank withdrawals through The Brightwheel Application. These contracts must be set up through Bambini Creativi's Administrative Office at least one month prior to the August 1st deadline or upon enrollment if mid-year. Brightwheel will begin withdrawing 9 tuition installments starting in August and ending in April. Tuition payments may be extended until May for the school year if the student joins mid-year.

**\* The (non-refundable) Enrollment Deposit of \$1,150 will be deducted from the total tuition amount**

### Late Payment Policy

If the Parent(s)/ All Signing Parties' tuition payment is delinquent by the Payment Deadline specified by this Contract, the Parent(s)/ All Signing Parties are subject to consequences. Students may be denied admission and their enrollment may be terminated due to delinquent payments. It's important to note that the termination of a Student for unpaid tuition does not relieve the Parent(s)/ All Signing Parties of their payment obligations under this Contract. Furthermore, the school will withhold progress reports, teacher evaluations, screening results, report cards, and/or student portfolios and transcripts, until all payments due are received. Payments that are over two (2) months late will be referred to a collections agency. Additionally, any tuition and fees not paid within 10 days of the due date will incur a finance fee of 10%.

### Tuition Refund Policy

Parent(s)/ All Signing Parties understands and agrees that all tuition, deposits and fee payments are non-refundable regardless of what the Student completes the academic school year. Parent(s)/ All Signing Parties also understands and agrees that those tuition, deposits and fee payments not yet paid but owed under this Contract are required to be paid regardless of whether the student completes the academic school year. UNLESS EXPLICITLY STATED OTHERWISE HEREIN, PARENT(S)/ ALL SIGNING PARTIES ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR PAYING 100% OF THE TUITION, DEPOSIT AND FEE PAYMENTS AGREED TO IN THIS CONTRACT REGARDLESS OF ANY AND ALL CIRCUMSTANCES.

The following exceptions constitutes circumstances under which none or only a pro-rated portion of the tuition obligation is owed by the Parent(s)/ All Signing Parties. Unless explicitly stated otherwise, the following exceptions apply only to tuition payments and do not affect the Parent(s)/ All Signing Parties unconditional obligation to fully pay the following deposits and fees: the Enrollment Deposit and

the Tuition Insurance fee. Further, these exceptions do not apply to any termination of the Student's enrollment due to delinquency of their tuition payments.

### **Tuition Proration Policy**

Please note that tuition will be prorated based on start date for students who transfer to Bambini Creativi mid-year. Parent(s)/ All Signing Parties are not responsible for the full year of tuition, but will be required to pay the prorates amount based on the number of days in attendance, according to official start date. The Enrollment Fees must be paid in full regardless of start date.

## **Tuition Insurance Policy**

If termination of the Student's enrollment during the academic year occurs for any circumstance, Parent(s)/All Signing Parties who has purchased the Tuition Insurance Plan qualifies for reimbursement of a portion of tuition at withdrawal based on the policy detailed below. The withdrawal date is the date when the Parent(s)/ All Signing Parties signs the withdrawal form available from the School's Administrative Office.

The month of withdrawal is owed in full to the school no matter what the date of withdrawal. (For example, if a student withdraws on December 5th, the full month of December's tuition is owed to the school.) The tuition charged for the remaining school months unattended is then paid back to the Insured based on the percentages the following chart:

| Reason for Withdrawal           | Owed to Bambini Creativi            | Insurance Covers                    |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Medical Necessity 1             | 20% of tuition for remaining months | 80% of tuition for remaining months |
| Voluntary Withdrawal            | 40% of tuition for remaining months | 60% of tuition for remaining months |
| Academic Dismissal 2            | 40% of tuition for remaining months | 60% of tuition for remaining months |
| Disciplinary Dismissal 3        | 40% of tuition for remaining months | 60% of tuition for remaining months |
| Permanent Loss of Tuition Payer | 30% of tuition for remaining months | 70% of tuition for remaining months |
| Involuntary Unemployment        | 30% of tuition for remaining months | 70% of tuition for remaining months |
| Job Transfer 4                  | 40% of tuition for remaining months | 60% of tuition for remaining months |

<sup>1</sup> For injury or sickness or mental or nervous disorder; <sup>2</sup> Including and withdrawal or dismissal due to academic issues; <sup>3</sup> Including all expulsions due to an infraction of school rules and policies; <sup>4</sup> Tuition payer(s) accepts employment more than 100 miles from location of current job.

## Tuition Insurance Policy (optional)

I have read the Tuition Insurance Policy above and I agree to the terms and the associated fees/tuition owed if I elect "Yes" to enrolling into the Tuition Insurance Policy.  Please initial the accommodation you would like to include.

**Yes,** I would like to enroll and pay the Insurance Fee and Tuition as outlined in the Tuition Insurance Policy.

**No, thank you.** I am not interested in enrolling in the Tuition Insurance Policy Program.

Print & Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

*Please sign here if you have read and agreed to the terms of the Tuition Insurance Policy.*

## TUITION CONTRACT AGREEMENT

The School's Enrollment Contract, Tuition and Fee Payment Schedule, Tuition and Fee Payment Plans, Late Payment Policy, Tuition Refund/ Termination Policy, and Tuition Insurance Policy are part of this Contract. By the Parent(s) signature below, Parent(s) acknowledges that: Parent(s) understands that this is a binding Contract, and may only be changed in writing and signed by the Director. By signing this Contract, Parent(s) also acknowledges that Parent(s) has read all terms of this Contract, understands the terms of this Contract and agrees to abide by these terms, including the Enrollment Contract, Tuition and Fee Payment Schedule, Tuition and Fee Payment Plans, Late Payment Policy, Tuition Refund/ Termination Policy, and Tuition Insurance Policy. Parent(s) also by Parent(s) signature below agrees to abide by the regulations and procedures of the school.

This Agreement constitutes the complete and full understanding and mutual agreement of all Parties involved. It is hereby acknowledged that this Tuition Contract Agreement, including but not limited to the Parent Essential Agreement, shall be deemed valid and enforceable in its entirety. All Parties agree to be bound by the terms herein, effective as of the date of signing. Any modifications to this Agreement must be made in writing and signed by all Parties to be considered valid. The balance of this Contract shall remain in force and shall stand. Those who sign the Tuition Contract Agreement for the 2026-2027 school year and paid the Tuition Deposit are committed to your contract and agree to the terms of the contract. In the event of any failure or delay in School operations resulting from causes beyond the School's reasonable control and occurring without its fault or negligence, including without limitation and force majeure events (defined as Acts of God, fire, flood, natural disaster, inclement weather, pandemic or public health emergency, power outage, government or government agency restrictions, order, regulations, law, war or similar action, acts of terrorism, insurrections, riots or civil commotions, labor disturbances, or other similar causes beyond the reasonable control of the School) tuition obligations will continue and the School will not be liable for any such failure or delay in its performance. The School schedule may be extended for a period of time equal to the time lost due to any delay so caused and/or classes may be scheduled, at the School's discretion.

This Contract may be signed in one or more counterparts, each of which when executed shall be deemed an original and together shall constitute one and the same.

**X**

Print & Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

**X**

Print & Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

**X**

Director's Approval Signature

Date