



THE ACORN - A SCHOOL FOR YOUNG CHILDREN

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ENROLLMENT INFORMATION 2026-2027



The Acorn is a half-day educational Preschool and Kindergarten, with a full day First and Second Grade offering morning and afternoon classes to children from 2 years 8 months old through Second Grade (age 7 before Sept. 1). Children enrolling in school for the 2026-2027 school year should have their third birthday before December 31, 2026. Children turning three next September, October, November, or December, are only eligible for enrollment in the 2 day morning classes; some children attend both. There are a limited number of spaces available for these fall birthday children. Preschool classes have a 4 or 5 to 1 student teacher ratio, while our Kindergarten, First, and Second grades have a 6 or 7 to 1 student teacher ratio.

At enrollment time, there is a \$400 enrollment fee due for each student per class (\$500 for Bridge Class) to secure placement. Tuition for each class is listed on the back; in addition, there are annual fees which cover activities, supplies, nutritious snacks, cooking activities, field trips, security, etc. as well as Music, Spanish, and Art teachers where applicable. Please note that our First and Second grade classes will attend school at our new Tall Oaks campus at 419 E. Magnolia Avenue. All annual fees, along with the first tuition payment, are due on or before Tuesday, July 1st, 2026. We accept multiple forms of payment, including cash, check, ACH, credit/debit card, and Apple Pay. Electronic processing payments will have an additional 4% processing fee. **We are offering a 2% discount for those paying for the semester (Fall-4 months, Spring-5 months) and a 3% discount for those paying for the entire school year by July 1. Please note that First and Second Grade have 5 months in the Fall.**

Class Offerings:

Class	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2 Day AM Class (Caterpillars): M/F 2 year 8 months through 3 year old children	8:40-11:30				8:40-11:30
2 Day AM Class (Ladybugs): Tu/Th 2 years 8 months through 3 year old children		8:40-11:30		8:40-11:30	
3 Day AM Class (Honeybees): M/W/F 3 and 4 year old children	8:40-11:30		8:40-11:30		8:40-11:30
3 Day AM Class (Hummingbirds): Tu/W/Th 3 and 4 year old children		8:40-11:30	8:40-11:30	8:40-11:30	
5 Day AM Class (Blue Stars): M through F older 3 and 4 year old children	8:40-11:30	8:40-11:30	8:40-11:30	8:40-11:30	8:40-11:30
Kindergarten: M - F; 5 years old before Sept. 1; hybrid daily schedule	8:40-11:50	8:40-1:50	8:40-1:50	8:40-11:50(1:50 in Jan.)	8:40-11:50
First Grade: M - F; 6 years old before Sept. 1 (early start Aug. 19- Sept. 8; 8:30-12)	8:30-3:15	8:30-3:15	8:30-3:15	8:30-3:15	8:30-3:15
Second Grade: M - F; 7 years old before Sept. 1 (early start Aug. 19- Sept. 8; 8:30-12)	8:30-3:15	8:30-3:15	8:30-3:15	8:30-3:15	8:30-3:15
3 Day PM Class (Owls): Tu/W/Th 3 and 4 year old children		12:40-3:30	12:40-3:30	12:40-3:30	
5 Year Old PM Class (Blue Jays): M - F children who have turned 5 before school starts or will turn 5 in the fall, filled by invitation only. Gift of time class	12:40-3:30	12:40-3:30	12:40-3:30	12:40-3:30	12:40-3:30
Bridge Class extension (TWTh from 8:40-3:30) limited openings		8:40-3:30	8:40-3:30	8:40-3:30	
Wednesday Extended Day is an optional choice for those in Wed AM classes			11:30-1:50		
Thursday Early Lunch , from 11:10-12:40, is an optional choice for those in the PM Classes				11:10-12:40	

The first day of school will be Tuesday, September 8 for all classes except First and Second Grades, which will begin on August 19th. The Head Teacher will contact each family during the first weeks of August to arrange a home visit before school begins. We are offering an extended day on Wednesday for morning classes and early lunch session on Thursdays for afternoon classes. The state requires that to enter school, each child must have a current health form completed and signed by a doctor including a current immunization record, and for those 4 yrs. of age and older, a hearing and vision screening as well. If a parent wishes to claim an exemption from immunizations, or prefers a delayed schedule, a notarized affidavit must be requested from the state, completed, and attached to the health form. The school must have the original notarized affidavit on file (not a copy) that must be renewed every 2 years. Health and other forms will be available on our website: theacornschoo.net and through our parent portal app, Playground.

FEE SCHEDULE 2026-2027

Check or Cash tuition amounts

\$400 Enrollment Fee: due upon enrollment for all classes (\$500 Bridge)

Tuition plus Annual Fees due by July 1st

4% transaction fee will be added to all electronic processing payments

Class	Total Annual Tuition (9 month school year)	Yearly Tuition (3% discount)	Semester Tuition (2% discount)		Annual Fees <small>Covering security, art supplies, snacks, cooking activities, Spanish, Art, Music teachers, field trips</small>
			Fall (4 months)	Spring (5 months)	
Second Grade	11,000 *10 months 1,100	10,670	4,791	5,989	1,100
First Grade	10,500 *10 months 1,050	10,185	4,573	5,717	1,100
Kindergarten	8,640 960	8,381	3,763	4,704	800
5 Year Old Class	7,560 840	7,333	3,293	4,116	680
5 day AM Class	7,155 795	6,940	3,116	3,896	575
3 Day TWTh AM or PM	5,175 575	5,020	2,254	2,818	535
3 Day MWF AM	4,995 555	4,845	2,176	2,720	535
2 Day TTh AM	3,780 420	3,667	1,646	2,058	230
2 Day MF AM	3,600 400	3,492	1,568	1,960	230
Bridge Class extension (TWTh from 8:40-3:30) limited openings	See attached sheet for the three options available				
Wednesday Extended Day until 2pm	1,305 145	1,266	568	711	—
Thursday Early Session come at 11:10	819 91	795	357	446	—

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PLEASE NOTE: A parent from each family must attend a tour of the school before a child is eligible to enroll. The formal tour has been recorded for those who are unable to make it in person, please visit our website:

<https://www.theacornschool.net/admissions/tour.cfm>

For those wishing to enroll, an application should be completed per child and submitted with a \$75 application fee for the first child, and a \$60 fee for each additional child. Application forms are available in the front office and on our website. <https://www.theacornschool.net/admissions/apply.cfm>

We enroll new students starting in January for the school year beginning the following September. Please remember to contact us in December or early January to let us know that you are still interested in enrolling and to update your information; otherwise, you may not receive a call from us concerning enrollment.



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child's first name	child's last name	child's date of birth
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name to be used at school	gender	t-shirt size next fall (circle)	YXS	YS	YM	YL
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child's address, city, zip code

primary parent 1 (will receive emails and calls first)		
title (Mr., Mrs., Dr., etc.)	first name	last name
address, city, zip code (if different from child's)		driver's license #
e-mail address		cell phone
occupation	employer	work phone

parent 2 <input type="checkbox"/> (check box to receive email correspondence as well)		
title (Mr., Mrs., Dr., etc.)	first name	last name
address, city, zip code (if different from child's)		driver's license #
e-mail address		cell phone
occupation	employer	work phone

previous school(s) attended

names and dates of birth of brothers and sisters
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please list physical restrictions, developmental delays, or special needs your child may have, adaptive equipment if needed, and supportive agencies and services received
please list allergies (food, nuts, animals, medications, etc.), dietary restrictions, or special needs

what would you like your child to gain from our program?
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Class Preference (Preschool classes please mark 1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd choice)				
choice	office only	First Grade-5 days (M-F)Tall Oaks Campus		Second Grade-5 days (M-F)Tall Oaks Campus
		Kindergarten-5 days (M-F) Hybrid schedule		
		5 YEAR OLD PM Class-(M-F) by invitation but please check if interested		
		5 Day AM-5 days (M-F)		Extended Day Options: Please check box below
		3 Day AM-(M,W,F)		Bridge Class extension (TWTh from 8:40-3:30)
		3 Day AM-(T,W,Th)		Wednesday Lunch Bunch(option for 3 day AMs and 5 Day AM)
		3 Day PM-(T,W,Th)		Thursday Early Lunch Bunch (option for both PM classes)
		2 Day AM-(M,F)		
		2 Day AM-(T,Th)		



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SCHOOL POLICIES AND FINANCIAL AGREEMENT:

- I agree to enroll my child for the entire school year from September through May and that my child will complete the school year. If, for any reason, my child does not complete the school year, I will be responsible for paying tuition until another child fills the space.
- Tuition plus annual fees are due on or before July 1, 2026. Each semester payment will receive a 2% discount on tuition. Those paying for the entire year will receive a 3% discount on tuition (discount does not apply to annual fees). **Payments not received by the 1st of July will incur a \$50 late fee.** A child's place will be forfeited if we haven't received payment, including the late fee, by July 10th.
- I will be responsible for payment of all tuition and late fees due and I acknowledge that The Acorn may terminate my child's enrollment for non-payment of tuition. I realize that I will be responsible for paying interest at the rate of 12% per annum until all past due tuition is paid.
- I understand I will be charged a 4% service fee for all electronic processing transactions (including tuition).**
- I understand that I will be charged a **late fee of \$15.00 for the first 10 minutes I am late to pick up my child or carpool, plus \$1.00 per minute thereafter.**
- I agree to pay a \$50 fee if my check is returned from the bank unpaid for any reason. After the second returned check, I agree to pay \$75 and understand that all other payments must be cash, money order, or credit/debit card.
- I realize that once paid, enrollment fees, annual fees, and tuition are non-refundable and non-transferable for any reason.**
- I agree to comply with all Acorn protocols concerning our health and nutrition policies.
- I agree to supply the school with my child's complete Health Form and other required forms before their first day of attendance at school, **as required by Texas law.**
- A child will be released only to the parents, or a person designated by the parents in writing.
- The person bringing or picking up a child will be sure that a staff member is aware of the child's arrival and departure each day.
- Special occurrences or problems at school affecting a child will be brought to the attention of the parents. Likewise, parents are asked to share information affecting a child at home with teachers. Regular attendance and communication are expected.
- Parent/Teacher Conferences will be held twice yearly. Additional conferences can be scheduled when necessary. If a family continually rejects recommendations made for a student, and it is reflected in the child's classroom behavior such that it negatively affects the learning environment for the other children, then The Acorn reserves the right to terminate that student's enrollment.
- I have attended a formal tour of the school in person or watched it online and have been informed of the types of activities offered and the general philosophy of The Acorn. I will attend a Saturday tour in person as soon as possible.
- A signed copy of this agreement delivered by facsimile, e-mail, or other means of electronic transmission, including delivery via an e-sign feature, shall be deemed to have the same legal effect as delivery of an original signed copy of this agreement.
- I have read the above Financial Agreement and Policies and agree to all terms and conditions.**

Parent Signature _____ Date _____

Print Name as Signed Above _____

Director Signature _____ Date _____

office use only: Child's name: _____ Class: _____

Date	Amount Payment	Notes	App Fee Paid

Added to/date ☐ Class list ☐ ML ☐ DB ☐ QB ☐ July Payment ☐ Student Files ☐ Playground App ☐ Website