



School Fees as of August 2018

The school fee for **Prekindergarten** (VK) includes the complete care and supervision of the child including food and drinks during the school's official opening times, which are governed by the yearly planned vacation and holiday schedule. In VK, places can be booked for **60%** (3 days/week), **80%** (4 days/week) or **100%** (5 days/week).

For both **Kindergarten** (KG) and **Primary School** (all levels), the **Basic Offer** encompasses the instruction and qualified care of the child from the morning drop off at 7:00 am, through the lesson periods and midday break including food and drink (breakfast at arrival before 7:30, morning snack and lunch) during the official school week (please see the vacation and public holiday schedule). The general school material, with the exception of each student's personal gear, is also included.

A **separate fee** is required for the optional "**Supplementary Day Care**" in Kindergarten and Primary School from the end of lessons until 6:00 pm (evening pick-up, including snack from 4 pm, and on school-free afternoons from 1 pm). Additional times can be booked on short notice by using the Day Care Vouchers.

The school is closed 3 weeks per year (2 weeks on Christmas/New Year; 1 week in Summer). Daycare during the remaining **10 weeks** of school vacation time is optional, and must be booked in advance. Vacation care can be booked for CHF 400.00 per week; camp week for CHF 500.00. For bookings in advance of 5 weeks or more at the same time a quantity discount is granted. A surcharge will be applied to short-notice bookings.

When a contract is signed, a one-time, non-refundable **enrolment fee of CHF 600.00** per child is required, along with a **deposit of CHF 1500.00**. For siblings, the deposit is just required for the first child, and will be returned upon withdrawal of the last child from d'Inisle. For contracts lasting less than one year there is no repayment of the deposit.

School fees are to be paid every quarter in advance. The **annual fee** is based on a school year, which begins on 1st August and ends on 31st July. **The monthly fee is one twelfth of an annual fee.** The fees for extra day care will be invoiced every semester. There is no refund of fees during extra holidays or absences. We offer you a **discount** if you pay the total annual fee by 31st July.

Withdrawals are possible with three-months advance notice: In the Pre- and Kindergarten before the end of each semester (31 January and 31 July), and in the Pre- and Primary School only before year's end (31 July). Withdrawals at other times will only be accepted in hardship cases, with three-months advance notice from the end of each month. The obligation to pay remains in every case.

If two or more children from the same family are enrolled **at the same time** at our Montessori school, the 2nd child will receive a **sibling discount of 10%** and **each additional child a siblings discount of 20%** off the corresponding tuition (basic tuition and fees for additional and vacation care). No rebate will be given for courses or daycare vouchers.

Fee per month, without vacation care; monthly fees have to be paid 12 times a year

Prekindergarten

	60 % 30 hrs/Wk on 3 Days either Mon to Wed or Wed to Fri	80 % 40 hrs/Wk on 4 Days Mon, Tues, Thurs and Fri	100 % 50 hrs/Wk on 5 Days Mon - Fri
till 18 mth ¹⁾	CHF 1,900.00	CHF 2,250.00	CHF 2,650.00
from 18 mth up	CHF 1,750.00	CHF 2,050.00	CHF 2,400.00

	<u>Basic Offer</u> „Day School“	<u>Additional Care</u> „Full-time daycare“
Kindergarten ²⁾ (3 – 6 years)	33.5 hrs/Wk on 5 Days CHF 2,000.00	+ 16.5 hrs/Wk + CHF 450.00
Lower Elementary ³⁾ (6 – 9 years)	36.5 hrs/Wk on 5 Days CHF 2,100.00	+ 13.5 hrs/Wk + CHF 400.00
Upper Elementary ⁴⁾ (9 – 12 years)	39.5 hrs/Wk on 5 Days CHF 2,150.00	+ 10.5 hrs/Wk + CHF 350.00
SPRUNGBRETT ⁵⁾ (3 – 12 years)	33.5 – 39,5 hrs/Wk CHF 2,400.00	+ 10,5 - 13.5 hrs/Wk + CHF 400.00

Day Care Vouchers: From the level Kindergarten one voucher, which costs **CHF 18.00**, covers a one-time daycare need **up to max. 1 hour**. The vouchers can be bought as cards of **10 vouchers for CHF 160.00**; 30 for CHF 460.00; or 50 for CHF 720.00. If a child is picked-up after 18:10, an additional voucher of CHF 18.00 will be due. For the evening care from 6:00pm to 7:00pm one voucher can also be used, a small dinner for the child will be included.

- 1) Due to authority's prescriptions children up to 18 months of age are considered babies and cover 1.5 places; therefore monthly fees have to be adapted.
- 2) The **Montessori Kindergarten** is already accredited for 3-year-olds by the Zurich Board of Education. Regarding the mandatory school attendance, according to Zurich law, children in the 1st year of Kindergarten (4 years old) are required to attend class 16.5 – 19.5 hr/wk, and in the 2nd Kindergarten year (5 year olds) 18-21 hrs/wk. The **ratio** is about **14,5 children per teacher**.
- 3) **Montessori Lower Elementary** accepts children from about 5^{1/2} to 9 years old in so called "Elementary Pre-Prep Class" and 1st to 3rd grade. The **ratio** is about **13 children per teacher**.
- 4) **Montessori Upper Elementary** accepts children from about 8^{1/2} to 12 years old in 4th to 6th grade, preparing the children especially for the change to grammar school or secondary school. The **ratio** is about **11 children per teacher**.
- 5) **SPRUNGBRETT Montessori-Schule** is located on Neptunstrasse 70, 8032 Zürich. The School accepts children from 3 to 12 years old in Kindergarten and Elementary Classes, offering a totally individualized teaching focused on a gifted and talented program; art- and music lessons are integrated. The **ratio** is about **7,5 children per teacher**.

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