

# NORTH HILLS CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

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## 2024 - 2025 Tuition Assistance

Tuition Assistance awards are based on the family's demonstrated need as determined by FACTS Management Company. FACTS is a third-party agency that makes financial-needs assessments for schools, based on the applicant's individual submission. Each award is made in the form of a discount on tuition only and is for one year only, based on availability of funds.

Tuition Assistance is awarded to returning families first.

Applications submitted by prospective families will be reviewed once the family has completed a campus tour with a member of admissions personnel.

## **NEW for 2024 – 2025:**

Due to the expansion of the NC Opportunity Scholarship, all families applying for NHCS Tuition Assistance must also apply for the Opportunity Scholarship. Additional information is available at ncseaa.edu/k12/opportunity/

Confirmation of NC Opportunity Scholarship application is now required to be uploaded to the FACTS Grant&Aid application each year.

Applications to FACTS Grant & Aid Assessment are made online at northhillschristian.com, under the Admissions tab.

Select Tuition and then Tuition Assistance.

Click on the link to FACTS.

New applicants will need to create an account. Returning applicants can log into their existing account.

FACTS charges a \$40 non-refundable application fee, payable by credit card, at the end of the application.

Once the online application has been submitted, the following information will need to be uploaded to FACTS to complete the application:

- Confirmation of NC Opportunity application submission
- Copies of your 2023 Federal tax forms including all supporting tax schedules
- Copies of your 2023 W-2 forms for both you and your spouse
- Copies of supporting documentation for Social Security Income, Welfare, Child Support, Food Stamps, Worker's Compensation and TANF
- If you file an extension for the 2023 tax year, please contact Lori at <a href="mailto:lpittard@northhillschristian.com">lpittard@northhillschristian.com</a> or Jeannie at <a href="mailto:jogg@northhillschristian.com">jogg@northhillschristian.com</a> for directions on how to proceed with your application.

All supporting documentation can be submitted by uploading electronically to the application in pdf format. Please be sure to include the applicant ID number on all correspondence.





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If you have questions or concerns about the application process, you may speak with a FACTS Customer Care Representative at **866-441-4637**. Online chat is also available Mon–Fri, 8am-4pm.

Once your application is reviewed, you will receive your assistance notification by e-mail. You will be directed to sign into your FACTS account to view and "accept" or "decline" the award. You should receive your notification within 2-3 weeks after your application is complete and ALL documents have been received by FACTS.

The first awards for tuition assistance will be on or before March 30.

## 2024 - 2025 Tuition Assistance Deadlines

## FOR RETURNING FAMILES:

To receive priority consideration for tuition assistance. the application, tax forms and all supporting documents must be received by FACTS **by April 30, 2024.** 

After April 30<sup>th</sup>, there will be a reduction in the tuition assistance.

There will be no tuition assistance awarded to returning families after May 30, 2024, unless your financial situation changes.

#### FOR NEW FAMILIES:

Your application, tax forms and supporting documents must be received by FACTS within 2 weeks of your acceptance to NHCS.

## FOR ALL FAMILIES:

You must "accept" or "decline" your tuition assistance award within 2 weeks of the award date. If you do not accept your award within the allotted time frame, the funds will be released to other families.

