

FINANCIAL AID

PLEASE CAREFULLY READ ALL THE INFORMATION PROVIDED

Dear Applicant Family,

Admiral Farragut Academy is seeking motivated, talented students of strong character regardless of their family's ability to pay. We strive to help those families with financial aid that are willing to assume as much responsibility as possible for tuition and fees.

Financial aid is awarded on a yearly basis. Families must re-apply for financial aid each year. The amount of money awarded is not guaranteed and may differ from year to year, based on need and availability of funds.

Requests for financial assistance are considered only after a student has received a letter of acceptance from the school and completed the steps below. All required paperwork for the financial aid process must be submitted through the School and Student Services (SSS) with the National Association of Independent Schools (NAIS) by March 15th each year in order to be considered for award. Completed files will be reviewed in the order in which they are received.

Current AFA families will be given priority consideration for assistance. Awards will be made contingent on good financial standing. Awards will be revoked should the account balance not be satisfied by the end of the academic year.

The award calculated by SSS is only a recommendation and does not necessarily represent the amount the family will be awarded. The AFA financial aid committee will discuss and decide on the amount awarded. Please note that it can take four to six weeks for AFA to receive the recommendation report from SSS. Once a decision is made the family will be notified by letter from AFA with the actual award. Due to the continuing increase in financial aid requests the committee's philosophy is to "spread the funds" and help as many families as possible.

Financial and Application procedures:

Go to sss.nais.org

- Open School and Student Services for Financial Aid (SSS)**
- Open website for Families**
- Open and complete the "Parent Financial Statement" (PFS) using information available to you at the time and/or estimates**
- School Code for Admiral Farragut Academy is: 1100**
- Pay for processing fee**
- Send a copy of the following to Admiral Farragut Academy: 2010 IRS Form 1040 with all supporting schedules, corporate and or business/farm statements where applicable**

*** If the 2009 IRS Form 1040 is not complete, do not hold up the process. Provide the W2, if applicable, and/or other documentation and follow up with the 1040 when it is complete.**

NOTE: A PFS and processing fee is required to be completed and submitted to SSS by each party if there is a non-custodial, divorced or separated parent. Tax return copies from each party must be sent to AFA.

NOTE 2: If you do not have access to a computer, please contact the Admissions office for assistance.

Contact Tony Pemble at 727-384-5503 with questions regarding the financial aid process.

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