

Lower Middle School

GRADES 5 & 6

Upper Middle School

GRADES 7 & 8

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THE MIDDLE SCHOOL admission process is designed to provide the best opportunity for an applicant and his family to understand Brunswick

and its educational philosophy, and for the admission staff to understand each boy and his educational background and interests. Only when these goals have been met can both the family and the school be satisfied that the right match has been made for a student's successful education.

Brunswick encourages interested applicants to apply to any of our Middle School grades. While fifth and sixth grade serve as our primary entry points into the division, we occasionally have additional spaces into seventh and eighth grade and encourage all interested applicants to visit the campus.

Brunswick Admission Open House

The Middle School admission open house will be held at the Edwards Campus at 1252 King Street on **Sunday, November 2**, consisting of student-guided tours and opportunities to meet teachers, administrators, and other members of the Brunswick community. Please look for registration to open for these receptions on our Admission homepage.

Parent Visit

We will begin to schedule Parent Visits in September, but please note that you will need to submit your son's

application prior to your visit date. At this meeting, the admission staff will discuss the curriculum and the school's philosophy, give a tour of the facilities, and answer any questions.

Candidate Visit

Candidates for entry years are required to spend a portion of a day at Brunswick. It is an important time for candidates to gain a true feeling for the life and spirit of the school, and for the school to gain an understanding of the candidate. Middle School visits will begin in September and end in late January.

Application

Brunswick's in-house application and required supporting documents (recommendations, testing, and transcript-release form) may be found online at **www.brunswickschool.org/apply**. The admission office will accept the Standard Application Online (SAO) as a convenience.

The application must be submitted by December 15. All supporting materials and financial aid applications (if applicable) must be completed and filed by January 15.

Application Checklist

- ☐ Application (by December 15)
- ☐ Testing (by January 15)
- ☐ Transcripts/Recommendations (by January 15)
- ☐ Financial Aid Paperwork *if applicable* (by January 15)
- ☐ Parent/Candidate Visit (by February 1)

For an application to be considered complete, all items must be submitted by January 15.

Financial Aid

Brunswick uses Clarity, a third-party service that assists schools in making financial aid decisions. Awards are given on a need-only basis, not for merit or scholastic accomplishments.

Families may indicate their need for financial aid on the admission application, but the financial aid paperwork must be completed via the Clarity website.

All financial aid paperwork must be submitted by January 15. Please contact David Bruce, Director of Financial Aid, with questions.

Testing Guidelines

Standardized testing is required for candidates applying for grades five through eight. Tests should be taken no later than mid-January and test results should arrive in the Admission Office as close to January 15 as possible.

Students applying for fifth and sixth grades will take the Independent School Entrance Examination (ISEE). Candidates for grades seven and eight may take either the Independent School Entrance Examination (ISEE) or the Secondary Schools Admission Test (SSAT). The ISEE is administered at Brunswick and a number of other area schools. Candidates should register for test dates in the fall as sites fill up quickly.

Admission Decision Notification

Admission decisions will be released on Friday, February 20.

Questions and Useful Information

To schedule an appointment or for answers to questions at any time during the admissions process, please contact:

David Bruce, Director

dbruce@brunswickschool.org

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awilliams@brunswickschool.org

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Testing

ISEE www.erblearn.org/parents/isee-overview

SSAT www.ssat.org

Test Fee Waiver Code Request Email:

financialaid@brunswickschool.org

Financial Aid

Clarity www.clarityapp.com

Clarity Help Desk 206.210.3752

Financial Aid Office Phone 203.485.3660

Financial Aid Office Email

financialaid@brunswickschool.org

Application

Brunswick In-House

www.brunswickschool.org/apply

SAO www.admission.org/sao

SAO Help Desk 609.683.4440

Tuition 2025-2026

PK, K	\$49,260
Grades 1, 2, 3, 4	\$51,610
Grades 5, 6, 7, 8	\$54,210
Grades 9, 10, 11, 12	\$58,120

The above tuition fee includes all courses and other activities, and it also includes daily lunch for grades PK-12. Charges are made for field trips and optional activities for which the school incurs additional expense.

Tuition obligations are incurred for the full year and are payable in two installments, as follows:

May 1 First half of payment

December 1 Second half of payment

No adjustments will be made in cases in which a student leaves or is dismissed, unless the student is currently enrolled in the Tuition Refund Plan available through the school.

All charges will be due and payable when rendered. Balances unpaid after 30 days will incur a penalty of 1.25% per month (15% annual rate).

Brunswick School may forbid the student to attend classes, take exams, or take part in school activities if tuition payments are not received by June 1 or February 1.

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