

Grandview Adventist Academy School Student Aid Program

Dear Parents,

Thank you for your consideration of Grandview Adventist Academy (GAA) as your school of choice for the education of your child(ren). If you have already made the decision to enroll; welcome aboard!

The decision to invest in private education can result in financial implications, and in some cases families may be eligible for student aid.

Commencing with the 2017-2018 academic year all GAA subsidy requests for members of Really Living SDA church must be directed to:

Really Living SDA Church
5 – 120 Lancing Drive
Hamilton, Ontario L8W 3A1
Attention: Church Board – Student Aid

Due to the sensitive nature of the material, all letters will be forwarded by the Board, unopened, to a subcommittee comprised of the church pastor, treasurer and a designated elder for review and processing.

It is important to note that all student aid requests must be submitted to the above address by no later than May 31 prior to the next school year. Requests submitted after this date will not be accepted.

Enclosed are two documents to assist you in determining if your family might qualify for student subsidy:

- 1) “Criteria for Granting Student Aid for Adventist Education” (Document 1)
- 2) “Student Aid Calculation Tables”. (Document 2)

Also enclosed is the application form that must be turned in with the proper documentation required.

After review, should you have any questions or concerns, please contact the church office for assistance.

In His service,

The Members
Really Living Church Board

Eligibility criteria for GAA Adventist Education

1. Availability of funds
2. Applicant must be an active & participating member of Really Living Seventh-day Adventist church
3. Applicant must provide their current year of notice of assessment to substantiate their need for assistance
4. No student aid will be granted for children in kindergarten
5. Maximum assistance given will be limited to 50% of tuition
6. Tuition assistance granted will be paid Monthly
7. Applicants receiving student aid will be reviewed mid-year to determine continuing eligibility. If subsidized parents fail to be faithful in their portion of the monthly payment, Really Living has the right to stop paying the subsidy.

* This subsidy only applies to GAA. Any SDA high school or university subsidy will comply with the denominations three-way matching fund upon request.

Financial Schedule (est 2017)

Note: The % is of total tuition for the year regardless of # of children, not including busing.

Two Parent Households

Number of children	1	2	3
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Total annual Income

\$71,000	0%	0%	10%
\$66,000	0%	10%	20%
\$61,000	10%	20%	30%
\$56,000	20%	30%	40%
\$51,000	30%	40%	50%
\$46,000	40%	50%	50%
\$41,000	50%	50%	50%

Amount of subsidy

Single Parent Households

Number of children	1	2	3
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Total annual Income

\$56,000	0%	0%	10%
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\$51,000	0%	10%	20%
\$46,000	10%	20%	30%
\$41,000	20%	30%	40%
\$36,000	30%	40%	50%
\$31,000	40%	50%	50%
\$26,000	50%	50%	50%

Amount of subsidy

(Ex: If you have 2 children attending GAA in a two parent household and your total annual combined income is less than \$61,000.00, then RLSDA will subsidize up to 30% of total tuition.)

Really Living Seventh-day Adventist Church

Grandview Adventist Academy Student Aid Application

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

City: _____

Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

Phone Number: _____

Student's Name(s):

_____ Age: _____ Grade: _____

_____ Age: _____ Grade: _____

_____ Age: _____ Grade: _____

_____ Age: _____ Grade: _____

Really Living Membership Date: _____

Parent(s) or guardian(s): Please attach a copy of current year income tax returns and notice(s) of assessment from the Canada Customs and Revenue Agency (CCRA). **All parent(s) and/or guardians in the household must provide financial income tax assessment data.**

* Note: Applicant(s) must be an active and participating member of Really Living Seventh Day Adventist Church.