

## APPLICATION FOR TUITION ASSISTANCE AT THE LABORATORY SCHOOLS (2015-2016)

If you are full-time benefits-eligible employee of the University of Chicago, you are entitled to tuition assistance for your children attending the Laboratory Schools. The University pays 50% of the tuition at the University of Chicago Laboratory Schools for the dependent child(ren) of eligible employees. You do not need to apply every academic year for the flat 50% of tuition benefit unless there is a change in status.

Beginning with the 2015/2016 academic year, the University will offer an enhanced tuition assistance benefit based on a family's total household adjusted gross income. You are required to verify your household income to apply for a benefit greater than 50%. A copy of pages 1 and 2 of your most recent Federal Income Tax Return must be submitted with the application. You may redact all income information on your tax return(s) except for the line showing "adjusted gross income". To receive this benefit, you will need to apply every academic year and submit a copy of pages 1 and 2 of your most recent Federal Income Tax Return(s).

Total Household Adjusted Gross Income*	Under \$45,000	\$45,000 – \$74,999	\$75,000 – \$99,999	\$100,000 – \$199,999	Over \$200,000
Total Tuition Remission Level	85%	75%	66%	60%	50%

\* Total Annual Household Adjusted Gross Income includes your income and the income of your spouse or University-Registered Same-Sex Domestic Partner or Illinois Civil Union Partner. It also includes the income of both custodial parents (i.e., non-married custodial parents).

**Please complete this form and return (with required, supporting documentation) via fax to 773.834.0996 or scan the form and required, supporting documentation and email to [benefits@uchicago.edu](mailto:benefits@uchicago.edu). You must provide proof of the child/dependent relationship. Please attach a copy of the child's birth certificate, adoption papers, or legal documents indicating you are the child's parent to each application. Complete a separate application for each child/dependent.**

Employee Name: \_\_\_\_\_ SS#: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Department: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Appointment Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**I am applying for the remission benefit of (check one):**

- 50% of Tuition  Greater than 50% of Tuition (based on my household income)

Child Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Child Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Laboratory Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Laboratory Quarter:  Spring  Summer\*\*  Autumn  Winter

\*\* Only Summer School classes offered for High School credit are eligible for tuition remission. (Summer Lab is excluded).

The above named child is (check one):

- my unmarried son/daughter and is named as a dependent on my federal income tax return.  
 my unmarried stepson/daughter and is named as a dependent on my federal income tax return.  
 the unmarried son/daughter of my University-approved domestic partner and is named as a dependent on my federal income tax return.  
 an unmarried child for whom I am legal guardian and who is named as a dependent on my federal income tax return.

As required for remission greater than 50% of Tuition, the Federal Income Tax Return submitted is for (check one):

- For myself only, as I am the only custodial parent for this child.  
 For myself and the child's other custodial parent.

I hereby apply for reimbursement in accordance with the established Educational Assistance Plan. I have read the plan as stated and understand its provisions. I attest that the information provided above is true and that the attached documents are valid.

Employee Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Approved \_\_\_% Benefit Amount  Denied and Reason: \_\_\_\_\_

Benefits Staff Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_