



**Nursery - 7th Grade Parent Expectations**

1. Arrive on time. On normal meeting class days, please plan on arriving no later than 12:15 pm so that we can pray, make any announcements, and begin our classes promptly at 12:30 pm.
2. There will be an **adult** from each family group present during TAG meeting times. TAG is not a “drop-off” group. This is to help with discipline problems and in case of accident or injury.
3. Fees.

Family Registration Fee	\$80
Yearly Tuition for 4 years - 7th grade	\$175
Yearly Tuition for Preschool (ages 2-3)	\$100
Yearly Tuition for Nursery (Birth-2)	\$50

\*Registration fee of \$80.00 per family is due by April 17, 2026. This will lock your spot in TAG for the 2026/2027 school year.

- The default payment structure divides tuition into four equal amounts due
  1. August 12th
  2. September 18th
  3. November 6th
  4. January 15th
- Parents can make an alternative monthly payment schedule with the treasurer by emailing [tagtreasurermn@gmail.com](mailto:tagtreasurermn@gmail.com)
- Supply Fees
  - NEW - Supply fees are now included with the tuition price.
- Financial Support
  - If payments will be a significant financial difficulty, a benevolence fund grant may be available upon application.
- Late Payments
  - A \$25 late fee is assessed if a payment deadline is not met.

- Students will be withdrawn from classes if tuition payments are not paid within 30 days of the due date.
  - If you foresee a problem meeting a payment deadline, call or text Naomi Paige, 952-412-1365, or email ([taghomeschool101@gmail.com](mailto:taghomeschool101@gmail.com)) to make other arrangements **before** the deadline

\*\*Please note that after the first three (3) group sessions, you will be considered committed to TAG for the year, **and** the full tuition will need to be paid by the balance deadline. No refund or pro-rates of tuition will be made except on a case-by-case basis for reasons that are beyond the control of the participating members, such as, but not exclusively, death/illness of a family member or a family moving out of state. Our fees are set based on the forecasted expenses for the year. If we prorated for all reasons, we would short the finances to cover our yearly costs. Thank you for understanding! \*\*

4. Mandatory Parent Meeting - Tuesday, August 11
  - Location Coon Rapids Evangelical Free Church
  - PreK-7th Grade - Lower Track : 6:00 - 7:00 pm
  - 6th - 12th Grade - Upper Track: 7:30- 8:30 pm

***Important Note: If a parent misses the Mandatory Parent Meeting a \$70 administration fee will be added to your account. This fee is non-refundable.***

5. Background Checks : All TAG parents who fulfill the volunteer requirement or have any direct student contact will submit the mandatory initial background check. The cost of \$27 for the background check is the responsibility of the participant. It must be renewed every three years. This must be completed within thirty days of registration. Failure to pass the initial background check to the satisfaction of the board members at TAG will nullify completed registration and invitation to participate with TAG homeschool group.
6. Parents will volunteer each week at TAG. We will assign 1 parent from each family group a Room Parent position. This position is to manage student behavior during class and act as a teacher's assistant. We ask that these parents plan to cover their 1 hour time slot every week for the entire school year and 1 additional hour to act as a substitute as needed. If a parent has to be gone for sickness or trips, they should expect to cover as a substitute for an additional hour at the next available need.

TAG is not a spectator group. We are seeking active participation for the benefit of the group. Members who do not complete their required volunteer positions will not be invited back for the following TAG season.

If at any time, you find this group to be too demanding of your time please feel free to join us during another season of your homeschool journey.

*If you are unable to follow through on your commitment to volunteer on a particular*

*Friday, please inform Naomi Paige of the change via email (taghomeschool101@gmail.com) or phone call/text 952-412-1365. If it is the morning of the TAG meeting, you will need to contact Naomi via phone.*

7. We, as parents, will help clean up the church after all activities are concluded. The expectation is that we will leave the church cleaner than when we arrived. Every family will be assigned a room that they are in charge of cleaning at the end of TAG. As part of our agreement with the church, TAG is in charge of setting up chairs in the gym after class. 5-7th Graders will be asked to remain after gym to help set up chairs in addition to any able-bodied adults.
8. We must be prompt when gathering students up and leaving the building. The church staff leaves at 4:00 pm and needs the time to close and lock up the building. For this reason, we will end Parents Time by 3:20 pm each session to ensure enough time for clean-up, pick-up, and departure. For those parents with nursery or preschool students, please be advised to pick these students up first to allow the nursery staff and preschool teachers ample time to clean their areas and pick up their other children as well.
9. Field trips are optional and will be determined by the group throughout each year. When signing up for a field trip, the parent agrees to pay any related fees by the deadline indicated. When attending a field trip, parents should stay with their own children, unless arrangements are made for another parent to supervise your children. This is not a social time for the parents to visit with each other. Remember that we should strive to appear as “professional” teachers in such public settings, giving strict attention to our “students”.
10. Some classes may require the students to bring various supplies. It is the parents’ responsibility to make sure the student brings all the supplies needed for a particular class day. If the student arrives without proper supplies, then the student may be asked to stay with their parent during the class time so as not to disrupt those participating in the class. Please note that supply lists will be provided to you on a timely basis (via the weekly email that is sent out on the Wednesday prior to a meeting).
11. Please stay home if, within the last 24 hours, you or your child(ren) have experienced:
  - Fever above 100 F°
  - Vomiting
  - Diarrhea
  - Discharge from the eyes, ears, or nose
  - Undiagnosed rashWe will miss you, but we won’t miss the germs.
12. Failure to meet expectations (failure to pay, unfulfilled volunteering, or unresolved behavioral issues) may result in refusal to allow continued membership in TAG Homeschool Group.

## **Other Rules and Information**

### **Students/Families Bringing a Visitor**

Our policy is that **only enrolled students** can attend our normal TAG classes at CREF.

### **Interested in Joining - Visiting Families**

When a potential new family inquires about TAG, we know that it is important for that family and our existing families to check each other out. We want TAG to be a fit for the new family and an extension of our existing group. We welcome families to set up a time to tour TAG and to observe classes.