



INFORMATION



GENERAL INFORMATION

At Mount View, we have been actively seeking a comprehensive education for over 20 years (founded in 1995). For us, each student's growth in an active, creative, and changing society is vital.

Our Institution will work with the parents, and together will have the major responsibility to educate the children and to prepare them with spiritual, moral, and social values, so they can be part of today's society; being aware of their surroundings and developing their abilities and strengths along the way.

Our mission is, in conjunction with teachers, students, and parents, to form well rounded individuals; the ones who will become sensitive to others, responsible, and respectful; and at the same time, developing essential values which will help them build our society, and preparing them to succeed in the competitive world of tomorrow.

We will contribute to each student's physical growth and psychomotor development to achieve a harmonious, healthy, and happy life.

We offer a joyful environment so the students can learn to build their experiences with happiness. We know that not all the development of our students depends on the academic area; which is why, we also include a variety of educational, artistic, sports, and recreational activities.

*Mount View has had countless moments of success in individual and group activities, academics, sports, and cultural events. We have achieved this with the help of the families, our personnel, and of course our very valued students. We work as a **BIG FAMILY** in which we all, as a united group, arrive to our proposed goals during each period.*

All the personnel that is part of the areas of MVS Preschool, Primary, and High School are very conscious of the important work that we are all doing, and we will continue our efforts to give the best that we can for the benefit of our students and their families.



PRESCHOOL



The methodology that we use is “Eclectic”. In other words, we work with multiples programs, styles, and ideas like constructivism, centers of interest, play-work, Montessori, and language skills, among others. We use all these in a combined manner to obtain a balance; this way, we consider that we are working to achieve a complete education, were we strengthen the areas of cognitive, psychomotor, and socio-emotional development of our students.

We teach the following subject in English:

- Grammar
- Language arts
- Literature
- Science
- Math
- Phonics

Special subjects are taught once a week (by professionals in each subject)

- Swimming Class
- Music Class
- Physical Education Class
- Computer Class
- Early Simulation Classes: taught within school hours in a specially equipped classroom
- The students begin to take Mandarin classes in Prep as a complementary language.
- They receive Educational Robotics classes within school hours (from Kinder up to Third Grade).



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- ✓ Didactical games played outdoors.
 - ✓ Interactive electronic boards in all levels.
 - ✓ We make great emphasis in the development of Civic values, and moral and spiritual growth.
 - ✓ During every trimester, they have field trips and recreational activities.
 - ✓ Cultural and Recreational Activities: Family Day, Sports Festival, Civic Acts, Father`s Day and Mother`s Day, Talent Show, Children`s Day, Closing Ceremony, International Fair, among others.

Extended hours` service: "Happy Times" is the after school babysitting time. It is filled with extracurricular activities, and lunch service is included. Schedule from 12:00 to 2:30 p.m. or 5:00 p.m. (We have both schedules). - Extra cost

- ✓ Cafeteria Service.
- ✓ Bus transportation (you can check in the main office coverage area).
- ✓ Wide range of **Clubs** (with an additional cost) with the following schedules:
 - **Preparatory:** from 2:45 pm to 3:45 pm, an hour once a week.
 - **Nursery, Pre-kinder and Kinder:** from 12:30pm to 1:30pm. an hour once a week.

- ✓ Discipline and evaluation regulations.
- ✓ Recognized by the Ministry of Public Education (MEP) and by the Association of Private Educational Centers (ACEP).
- ✓ 24 hours` surveillance/monitoring with security cameras.
- ✓ Students Insurance from the INS and Medical Emergency services.
- ✓ **Schedule:**
 - 7:40 a.m. to 12:00 m.d.:** Nursery / Pre-Kinder/ Kinder
 - 7:40 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.:** Preparatory



“Happy Times” is the extended hours mode for preschool that we offer with an additional cost.

This program consists in giving our students the possibility of staying in the campus after school’s regular schedule.

We offer 2 Schedules:

➤ **Nursery, Pre-Kinder, and Kinder**

Until **2:30pm**, with a monthly cost of **c60.000 colones** (includes lunch service). The cost of the service for a specific day is **c5.000. colones per day**.

➤ **Nursery, Pre-Kinder, Kinder:**

Until **5:00pm**, with a monthly cost of **c85.000 colones** (includes lunch service, and each student must bring a snack for the afternoon) The cost of the service for a specific day is **c8.000 colones per day. (c8.000 colones if the student stays from 12:00 md to 5:00p.m.)**

➤ **Prep:**

Until 5:00p.m., with the monthly cost of **c50.000 colones**. The cost for a specific day would be **c3.000 colones**.



ELEMENTARY



- **English Classes:** Grammar, Spelling, Science, Reading, Oral Expression, and Writing.
 - **Spanish Classes:** Social Studies, Math, and Spanish
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- ✓ Special subjects are taught once a week (taught by specialized teachers):
 - ✓ Swimming Class (First and Second Grades)
 - ✓ Music Class
 - ✓ Physical Education Class
 - ✓ Computer Class
 - ✓ Art Class
 - ✓ Comprehensive Development Class
 - ✓ Religion Class (optional) First Communion is done in 3rd. Grade (taught from 1th Grade to 6th Grade).
 - ✓ Entrepreneurship Program for children, “The Entrepreneurship Journey” in partnership with the renowned Institute Business Kids for students is taught in 4th, 5th, and 6th Grades; included within the school hours.
 - ✓ Home Skills Program, we teach our students home education and life skills (from 1st Grade to Senior Year).
 - ✓ Educational Robotics Program



➤ **Information of the complementary languages**

Portuguese from 1st Grade to 9th Grade.

Mandarin from Prep. to 6th Grade.

Others:

- ✓ Interactive Whiteboards in all levels
- ✓ Preparation and celebration of the First Communion (from 1st Grade to 3rd Grade).
- ✓ Great emphasis on the formation of civic, moral, and spiritual values.
- ✓ Educational and recreational field trips every trimester.
- ✓ Cultural and Recreational Activities: Family Day, Sports Festival, Civic Acts, Father`s Day, Mother`s Day, Talent Show, Closing Ceremony, Splash Day, International Fair, among others.
- ✓ Cafeteria service with daily lunch menu.
- ✓ Transportation service (Check coverage areas).
- ✓ Large variety of **Clubs** (with an additional cost). On a schedule from 2:45pm to 3:45p.m once per week.
- ✓ Discipline and evaluation regulations.
- ✓ 24-hour surveillance/monitoring with security cameras.
- ✓ Students Insurance from the INS and Medical Emergency services.
- ✓ Regular schedule: from 7:40 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.
- ✓ Extended services until 5:00p.m. (After School). Additional cost.
- ✓ Recognized by the Ministry of Public Education (MEP) and by the Association of Private Educational Centers (ACEP).



After School for Elementary

“After School” is the extended primary school schedule that the Institution offers with an additional cost of **c50.000 colones per month**. The After-School option consists on offering our students from levels Prep to 6th Grade the option to stay at the school until 5:00 pm (the regular departure time is 2:30 pm).

During this time, they will play, have a snack, and study for their exams and quizzes accompanied by a teacher that will look after them. The students must bring their own snack for the afternoon.

If you need the service for only one day, the cost would be **c3.000 colones**.



HIGH SCHOOL



Seventh, Eighth, and Ninth:

- **English Classes:** Literature, Grammar, Writing, Oral Expression, Science, Geography (7th and 8th) and History (9th).
- **Spanish Classes:** Social Studies, Spanish. Math, and Civics.

Tenth and Eleventh:

- **English Classes:** History (10th), English (Literature, Grammar, Oral Expression, Writing), Biology, and Chemistry.
- **Spanish Classes:** Social Studies, Spanish, Math, Civics, Physics, Psychology (10th) and Philosophy (11th).

**All the classes previously mentioned are worth the same amount of credits and the grading scale is 0 to 100.

- ✓ **Special subjects are taught once a week (by professionals in each subject)**
- ✓ **Music Class (7th to 9th Grades)**
- ✓ **Educational Robotics Program (7th to 9th Grades)**
- ✓ **Physical Education Class (7th to 11th Grades)**
- ✓ **Computer Class (7th to 9th Grades)**
- ✓ **Comprehensive Development Class (7th to 11th Grades)**



- ✓ **Values Class (7th to 11th Grades)**
- ✓ **Home Skills program:** in which, we teach students home and life skills (it is taught from 1st Grade up to Senior Year).
- ✓ **Elective Program** (included within the school period) Our students choose between different non-academic subjects such as: Photography, Graphic Design, Theater, Cooking, Home Skills, Cinema, Physical Education, Programming, among others. This program allows them to develop other areas in which they can discover their multiple abilities and skills. (7th to 11th Grades)

- ✓ **Formation in complementary languages:**
Portuguese from 1st Grade to 9th Grade.

Others:

- ✓ Chemistry Lab
- ✓ MATEM Project of the UCR for the 10th and 11th graders for Pre-Calculus and Calculus 1.
- ✓ Participation in Math Olympics.
- ✓ Optional French classes
- ✓ Support Program for high performance athletes.
- ✓ Review Classes in the afternoons until 3:45pm (according to a rotating schedule per subject; with no additional cost)
- ✓ Great emphasis on the formation of civic, moral, and spiritual values.
- ✓ Educational and recreational field trips every trimester.
- ✓ Themed retreats to work on group and individual strengths.



- ✓ Cultural and Recreational Activities: Family Day, Internal and External Sports Festival, Civic Events, Talent Show, Closing Ceremony, Splash Day, Museum Day, Independence Festival, International Fair, among others.
- ✓ Cafeteria service with daily lunch menu.
- ✓ Transportation Service (check coverage areas).
- ✓ Clubs (They are optional with an additional cost): multiple options offered. The schedule is from 2:45pm to 3:45pm, 1 hour per week per month.
- ✓ Discipline and evaluations regulations.
- ✓ 24-hour surveillance/monitoring with security cameras.
- ✓ Students Insurance from the INS and Medical Emergency services.
- ✓ **Regular schedule:** from 7:40 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., from Monday through Friday.
- ✓ Recognized by the Ministry of Public Education (MEP) and by the Association of Private Educational Centers (ACEP).



IB Diploma Programme

The International Baccalaureate® aims to develop inquiring, knowledgeable and caring young people who help to create a better and more peaceful world through intercultural understanding and respect.

At Mount View, this program is optional and will be developed in Tenth and Eleven Grades. There won't be an extra cost in the monthly tuition payments (10 per year), but the students must pay the final test package at the normal IB rates.

The subjects are as follow:

Core subjects:

- Theory of Knowledge
- Extended Essay
- CAS (Creativity, activity, service)

Subjects:

Group 1:

Literatura y Lengua (NS) Spanish

Group 2:

Lengua B (NS) English

Group3:

History (NS) English

Gestión Empresarial (NM) Spanish

Group 4:

Biology (NM) English

Group 5:

Aplicaciones e Interpretaciones (NM) Spanish



MVS Virtual Classroom

At Mount View School, we decided that we want to offer a more specialized and diversified customer service, so we looked for a way to have parents more informed and connected to everything that happens to their child at school, from Nursery up to Eleventh Grade. The best way we found was to establish a service through a Virtual Classroom where it is easy and friendly for both, parents and students, to be informed about the academic performance of your children as well as events, activities, and reminders that our Institution wants to communicate.

This innovative project consists of the use of cutting-edge technology to have direct communication between the Institution-parents / Institution-students.

Its main services are the following:

- Registered grades of quizzes (daily).
- Registered grades of projects (daily).
- Registered compliance of homework assignments (daily).
- Exam grades.
- Final grades for each trimester.
- Summaries for all subjects.
- Control and notification of behavior reports (both positive or negative).
- Notifications of events, reminders, and activities of our school.

In our social networks (Facebook Fan Page and YouTube Channel), you will be able to find a tutorial video on how to use the virtual classroom step by step and its respective login (this tool will be possible to use via the website of our Institution. www.mountviewcr.com).



TRANSPORTATION SERVICE

We offer bus service through our bus providers to the Western sector of the Metropolitan Area (La Uruca, La Sabana, Pavas, Rohromoser, Santa Ana, Escazú, Ciudad Colón, Guachipelín and Lindora), also, to Guácima de Alajuela and San Antonio de Belén, Heredia. To know the costs of the service according to your area of residence, please call our central office: 2215-1154 .



COSTS 2024

NURSERY

Enrollment c200.000.00
Materials c100.000.00
Monthly payments (10 months) c275.000.00

PREKINDER

Enrollment c200.000.00
Materials c100.000.00
Monthly payments (10 months) c295.000.00

KINDER

Enrollment..... c225.000.00
Materials c100.000.00
Monthly payments (10 months) c330.000.00

PREP

Enrollment..... c235.000.00
Materials c110.000.00
Monthly payments (10 months) c380.000.00

ELEMENTARY

Enrollment..... c255.000.00
Materials..... c125.000.00
Monthly payments (10 months)... c405.000.00

HIGH SCHOOL

Enrollment..... c280.000.00
Monthly payments (10 months) c460.000.00

Additional information:

- ✓ At MVS, **10 monthly payments are charged per year**; that is, the months in which our students receive lessons (from February to November).
- ✓ Once the Registration Fee is paid, it is non-refundable.
- ✓ The cost of each a club is **c13.000.00 + IVA**
- ✓ Books and uniforms are sold in January and have a separate cost.

*All monthly payments made before the 15th
of each month will have a discount of
c10.000 colones.*



DISCOUNT FOR SIBLINGS

At Mount View School, we always like to find ways for the families who make up our great community to be better; therefore, our Institution offers each of the families that has more than 1 registered child the following benefits:

1. **The 1st student** pays full tuition.
2. **The 1st sibling has a 5% discount** on each monthly payment. (2nd child registered)
3. **The 2nd sibling has a 10% discount** on each monthly payment. (3rd child registered)
4. **The 3rd sibling has a 15% discount** on each monthly payment. (4th child registered)

NOTE: Discounts only apply to the monthly payment category.



Communication media

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