



PERIDOT-OUR SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN SCHOOL

Dear Parents and Supporters of Peridot-Our Savior's Lutheran School,

The Empowerment Scholarship Application (ESA) is an exciting new scholarship opportunity in our region. This allows funds to be used for tuition for students transferring into our school from public schools.

ESA sets the rates for educating students in grades 1-8 at \$5,000, and Kindergartners at \$3,000.

For all students returning to Peridot-Our Savior's Lutheran, tuition will stay exactly the same as our school will subsidize the difference.

ESA qualifying students tuition = Grades 1-8; \$5,000
Kindergarten; \$3,000

Peridot-Our Savior's returning students = Grades K-8; No change in tuition after school subsidy.

Due to these Arizona tax credits, and with the growing ESA program, we are in a very exciting time of growth for our school. For the 2018-19 school year, we are expecting a possible increase in enrollment.

Therefore, in order to plan well and be able to support this possible growth, we are asking for our parents to let us know if you plan on bringing your students to Peridot-Our Savior's Lutheran School for the 2018-19 school year, starting next August.

The reasoning is because there is limited space in our classrooms, and we want to give you, our returning families and students, first priority in filling those spots.

Please note, we will follow the schedule below. If we do not have your form signed by the date below, your spot is not saved and is in jeopardy of going to a new transfer student through their ESA funds.

Below is the schedule we will follow in holding spots for the 2018-19 school year...

March 1st—Returning school families/students (Church members & Church member transfers)
March 31st—Returning school families/students (non-Church members)
April 16th—Incoming transfers and those that qualify through ESA

By signing below, you give us your intent to enroll the students written below, and your spot will be held, until July 30th, in the order they are received (first come first served) for the 2018-19 school year. On July 30th, you will need to have the rest of the application checklist done to keep your spot saved

Signature: _____ Printed Name: _____

Phone Number(s): _____

Student's Name(s) enrolled: _____

Please do not hesitate to contact Benjamin Pagel with any questions.
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