

Financial Assistance based on financial criteria

Every student who wants to study at Pierce may apply for financial assistance. The discount ranges from 5% to 35% and is awarded for the 3 years of Gymnasium or Lyceum. Recipients who are completing the Gymnasium and will be attended the Pierce Lyceum will need to reapply.

All applications are reviewed and evaluated by the Financial Aid Committee, which takes under consideration the financial and other relevant information to be provided, as well as the student's academic performance and conduct.

Application periods

Although the college tries to support the families of all students in need, the available funds are limited, and therefore, it is highly recommended that interested families apply within the set deadlines. Families who apply late, run the risk of their application not be evaluated.

For new students

On line Financial Assistance Applications (along with all required documents) for new students can be submitted from:

Monday, May 4 to Monday, August 31, 2026.

For continuing students

On line Financial Assistance Applications (along with all required documents) for continuing students can be submitted from

Monday, June 1 to Monday, August 31, 2026.



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Financial Assistance Terms and Conditions

- Applicants who receive any form of financial assistance (grant and/or scholarship) must immediately inform the Financial Assistance and Planning Office of any changes in their financial and/or family status.
- Financial assistance applies to tuition only and does not cover other fees (e.g., bus fees are not included).
- Only complete applications, submitted within the respective deadlines and accompanied by all necessary documentation, will be evaluated.
- All applications and supporting materials are retained by the Office of Financial Assistance and Planning. These materials are securely stored and kept strictly confidential in compliance with Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council ("General Data Protection Regulation") and Greek personal data protection legislation (Law 4624/2019), as amended from time to time (the "Personal Data Legislation").
- All communication regarding the progress of an application will be conducted via the communication email address provided on the application form and/or the guardian's email address.
- Since financial assistance is funded by the College's own resources and the generous contributions of donors, the College reserves the right to rename previously awarded tuition reductions as named scholarships. This conversion serves to recognize the recipient's academic performance and does not alter the original terms or obligations of the tuition reduction. To ensure the proper functioning of the Financial Assistance Program, a random sample of recipients will be required to reapply each year. The families of these students will be notified via the email address of the parent/guardian registered with the Pierce Gymnasium/Lyceum administration offices.
- To ensure the proper functioning of the Financial Assistance Program, a random sample of beneficiaries will be required to reapply each year. The families of these students will be notified via the email address of the parent/guardian registered with the Pierce Gymnasium/Lyceum administration offices.

Criteria for awarding Financial Assistance

- The Applicant's financial and family's status.
- The applicant's academic performance and student conduct.

Documents that must accompany Need-Based Financial Assistance Applications for the Academic Year 2026-27

Tax Statements mandatory for all applications (must be submitted as downloaded from myTaxisNet):

- **E1 - Tax Declaration Form 2025** for income obtained between 01/01/2025 and 31/12/2025
- **FEFP (ΦΕΦΠ) 2025** - Tax Clearance Form for income obtained between 01/01/2025 and 31/12/2025.
- **ENFIA (ΕΝΦΙΑ) 2026** – Tax Declaration for personal property. This document may be downloaded from My TaxisNet: *Εφαρμογές TAXISnet / Εφαρμογή Περιουσιολογίου Ε9 / Είσοδος / Έτος: 2026 / Εκτύπωση εκκαθαριστικού τελευταίας εκκαθάρισης για το έτος 2026 (αρχείο pdf)*. If no property is owned, verification must be provided by submitting a notarized affidavit or the relevant screenshot from myTaxisNet.
- **Income-Expenses Certificate** – For the year 2025 (έγγραφο «Ενημέρωση Εισοδημάτων-Δαπανών Υπόχρεου ή/και της Συζύγου/ΜΣΣ για το 2025»). This document may be downloaded from My TaxisNet.

Tax Statements to be submitted ONLY upon request:

- **FEFP (ΦΕΦΠ) of previous years** - Tax Clearance Forms for income obtained in previous years.
- **E2** – Tax Declaration for income from rents obtained between 1-1-2025 and 31-12-2025.
- **E3 or N** – Tax Declaration for income from independent profession/business activity obtained between 1-1-2025 and 31-12-2025.

Additional documents which verify the applicant's financial status (if applicable)

- **First house mortgage loan(s):** If the first house mortgage loan amount paid in 2025 is shown in the Income-Expenses Certificate, there is no need for further documentation. In any other case, an official certificate from the bank is required.
- **Medical certificate(s):** For each medical certificate submitted, a signed consent form for processing the personal and medical data of the individual mentioned in the certificate must also be provided. This form must be signed by the person facing the issue or by an authorized representative. It is available for download under the relevant question in the application or can be obtained in hard copy from the Office of Financial Assistance and Planning.

NOTE: Without the DGPR consent form(s), health-related issues will not be considered in the evaluation process.

- **Divorce paper(s) and document(s) for child/children alimony.**
- **Various Certificates (if necessary): family** (e.g. for large families), **death, pension** (in case of retirement in 2025 or 2026, or in case of a temporary pension), **unemployment** (if not submitted, unemployment status will not be taken under consideration in the evaluation process), **notarized affidavit via GOV** (for various verifications).

In case of:

- **Parents Filing Separate Tax Forms:** Tax statements and certificates for both parents must be submitted.
- **Non-Obligated Taxpayer for E1 Submission:** If an individual is not required to submit an E1 form, an official certificate from the tax authorities must be provided.
- **Family Members 18+:** Tax documents for family members over 18 must be submitted for them to be included the evaluation process.
- **Foreign Income:** All necessary documents for income earned abroad must be submitted.
- **Insufficient Income:** If your income is insufficient to cover living expenses and tuition, provide a clear explanation of your financial situation. The Financial Assistance Committee strives for a fair distribution of aid, as available funds are limited. Therefore, it is crucial to accurately reflect the applicant's and family's true financial circumstances.