



Over the past few years the Redeemer School Board has spent considerable time discussing and trying to resolve a serious concern over delinquent tuition accounts. Payment delinquencies are a significant drain on school finances and we've recently been forced to issue salary cuts to both teachers and staff as a direct result of such delinquencies. Although we recognize that much of this problem is directly related to current economic conditions, it is the Board's responsibility to maintain the financial health of our school by trying to bring tuition payments in line with the current budget. To do this we are faced with some difficult decisions, some of which will affect those whose tuition account becomes delinquent.

Therefore, effective Jan. 1, 2010, delinquent accounts (which are in excess of 30 days), will be assessed a MONTHLY penalty of \$25.00 for any balance which remains unpaid. This penalty will also apply to amounts that are overdue from the prior school year. Monthly penalties will be cumulative until the account is paid in full. If your account is currently listed as being delinquent (for a period of greater than 60 days), you are further required to meet with the Principal and members of the School Board in order to determine the best course of action to mitigate your specific delinquency. Please contact the School Office within the next 5 business days so that we may schedule a meeting date and time. Should an account remain delinquent beyond 90 days, the account will be considered in default of agreement and any student(s) currently attending will not be allowed to remain in class until a mutual agreement is reached.

HOWEVER, please note that there is an alternative to payment of penalties and/or termination. To qualify, you must meet with the Principal and School Board to develop an alternative written agreement which, if maintained, may allow for a waiver of some, if not all, penalties. We therefore urge you to contact the School Office to arrange for a meeting.

We sincerely hope you'll take this opportunity to work with us to determine an alternate payment schedule that is specifically suited for your family. We truly care for each and every one of our students and want to find a solution to help each family.

On behalf of the Redeemer School Board.