2024-2025 Flexible Tuition Rates

The CoroRio vision is to transform the lives of children from ALL ethnic and socioeconomic backgrounds by giving them the skills, self-discipline, and confidence to succeed in music and in life. In an effort to better align ourselves with that vision, combined with the financial burden we know many families are currently facing, we have instituted a need-based tuition program. It is the desire of the MMI Board of Directors that every student who desires membership in CoroRio be able to participate, regardless of their family's financial means. We are asking each family to carefully consider their resources and make their monthly tuition payment an honest reflection of their ability to contribute to the organization and the music education of their child. We have faith that our community will rally around this effort to nurture all our young people through the gift of music, not just those whose families can afford it.

TUITION RATES

The following are tuition options for the 2024-2025 season. If your family does not quality for TANF/SNAP rate and financial constraints to do not allow you to make the monthly payments at the 75% rate, please reach out to Amy Touchstone (cororio@gmail.com) and she will work with you to set up monthly payments that are within your means. If the initial deposit (registration fee) is an issue, please follow the same process. The full tuition and registration rates shown are what it costs the MidSouth Music Institute to operate classes, produce concerts and pay staff. We will look for community support to help bridge the gaps so that children who wish to participate are able.

	NINO - 60 min	CORRIENTE - 75 min	ARROYO/FUENTE/RIO - 90 min
Tuition	\$495	\$595	\$750
75%	\$371	\$446	\$563
TANF/SNAP	\$250	\$250	\$250

^{*}Students on TANF or SNAP automatically qualify for \$25/month for 10 months. (\$250 for the year)

Activity Fee (Registration Fee): \$40 for Nino/Corriente, \$50 for Arroyo, Rio, Fuente (covers music, tshirt, uniform and other classroom supplies). This fee is all-inclusive so you won't have to worry about other unexpected costs popping up throughout the rest of the year.

Families with three (3) or more children enrolled in the program will receive a 50% discount off the third and subsequent children.

Ways you can help further the mission of the MidSouth Music Institute!

- Select a tuition amount that is a small percentage over the monthly cost for your child
- Sell an ad(s) for our annual program book (see below for how this benefits both you and MMI!
- Tell local businesses you frequent or have a relationship with about the mission of the MidSouth Music Institute and invite them to partner with us by being a sponsor
- Invite people to our events to help spread awareness about the organization in the community
- Share our posts on social media

Program Advertising (Referral Credit Opportunity)

MMI produces a program book which is distributed at concerts throughout the season. The book will contain information about the organization, choir, photographs, a list of contributors, advertisements sold by the singers and other interesting items. The following referral credits will be applied to a singer's Active Network account

for any businesses that purchases an ad and lists the singer as their referral contact: $\frac{1}{4}$ page: \$25, $\frac{1}{2}$ page: \$50, Full Page: \$75