

Access JCDS Application Process

JCDS, Boston's Jewish Community Day School is happy to provide this program, which offers a modest amount of support with minimal paperwork and documentation. Families who submit the Access JCDS form may be eligible to receive a \$5,000 per student tuition assistance grant.

Eligibility Requirements:

- Total JCDS tuition, and that of other Jewish Day Schools, is equal to or greater than 15% of your adjusted gross income.
- Total family net assets, excluding home equity, are less than \$350,000.
- Families who are divorced or separated must complete a form for each household.
- Include a copy of your 2023 filed IRS Form 1040 or 1040SR. (Due by March 1, 2024)
- A copy of your 2023 W-2's from your employer(s)

If you believe that you meet these criteria, please complete the form on the following page. Submit your form to Edward J. Black, Director of Finance, no later than March 1, 2024. Admissions and Tuition Assistance decisions will be mailed by March 10, 2024.

If you believe that the limited Tuition Assistance grant described above is not enough to enable your child/ren to attend JCDS next year, please complete the application for Flexible Tuition.

If you are submitting the Access JCDS Form, you are not eligible to submit the Flexible Tuition application. If you are unsure about which form to submit, please contact Edward J. Black at EdB@jcdsboston.org.

Parent #1: _____

Parent #2: _____

Address: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Home: _____

Telephone Home: _____

Work: _____

Work: _____

Cell: _____

Cell: _____

Email: _____

Email: _____

Student Name	School	Full Tuition	Grade as of Sept. 2024
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Total 2024-2025 Tuition \$_____ (a)

Adjusted Gross Income \$_____ (b)

Adjusted gross income (AGI) is on Form 1040 and Form 1040SR is Line 11 for 2023

Tuition divided by AGI _____ % (a÷b)

Net Assets, excluding Home Equity \$_____

If parents file separate tax returns, the total for both parents must be included.

Net assets are defined as, but not limited to: bank accounts, trust funds, certificates of deposit, stocks, bonds, mutual funds, other securities, 529 plan, installment and land sale contracts, vacation homes, time shares, and cars minus debts. Debts are defined as, but not limited to: student loans, personal loans, automobile loans, and credit card debt.

Do not include the value of pensions, retirement plans, IRAs or Keoghs, value of your primary residence and the mortgage(s) on your primary residence. Please remember to include a final filed copy of your 2023 Form 1040 or 1040SR and all required schedules with this application.

Submit electronically to EdB@jcdsboston.org, or mail completed form and 2023 tax return to:

JCDS, Boston's Jewish Community Day School
ATTN: Edward J. Black
57 Stanley Avenue
Watertown, MA 02472

The information reported on this form, to the best of our knowledge and belief, is true, correct, and complete:

Signature, Parent #1: _____ Date: _____

Signature, Parent #2: _____ Date: _____