



### *Payment of school fee IPSG 2025-2026*

Dear parents and carers,

We are pleased to share with you the school fee details for the upcoming 2025–2026 academic year.

The Groningse Schoolvereniging (GSV) was founded in 1910 by parents committed to providing high-quality education for their children. As part of this tradition, we believe it is important not only to inform you of the school fees but also to explain how these fees directly contribute to the quality and enrichment of education at the International Primary School Groningen (IPSG), a department within the GSV.

IPSG is a Dutch International Primary School (DIPS). Due to the higher costs associated with international education, parents enrolling their children in a DIPS school are required to pay school fees.

#### **How the School Fee Supports IPSG**

Your contribution helps us maintain and enhance the quality of education through:

- Small class sizes (20–22 pupils)
- Tailored support: funding additional staff such as a quality coordinator, learning support teachers, teaching assistants, and a behaviour specialist
- Specialist subject teachers: for music, English, Dutch, and physical education
- ICT education: personal devices for students in Years 2–6, a customised digital curriculum, and integration of ICT skills across subjects
- Cultural and artistic experiences: visits to the North Netherlands Orchestra, museums, and heritage sites
- Educational enrichment: school gardens, workshops, theatre, and nature education
- International learning environment: the International Primary Curriculum (IPC), which integrates language, literacy, citizenship, and ICT into thematic units
- A spacious and inspiring learning environment
- English and multilingual library resources

### School Fee Structure for 2025–2026

The school fee is income-dependent as shown in the table below. Families are initially placed in the highest fee category unless documentation (e.g. final income tax assessment from the previous year) shows eligibility for a lower category.

Scale	Combined Income	1st Child	Additional Child(ren)
1	< € 22,142	€ 4,004	€ 3,004
2	€ 22,142 – € 41,572	€ 4,626	€ 3,469
3	> € 41,572	€ 4,953	€ 3,715

### Payment Options

You may choose to pay the school fee:

- In one instalment in October
- In 10 monthly instalments from October to July

Or adjusted, in the event of enrolment later in the year.

Payments are made via iDEAL through our WIS-Collect system. You will receive a separate message with instructions.

Thank you for your continued support and commitment to your child's education.

With kind regards,  
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