



Private boarding school founded 1966
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Ecole Chantemerle, Blonay

Private boarding and day school since 1966

Admission dossier 2024-25

Established in 1966 by Mathilde and Jean Wegmüller, Chantemerle is an international private boarding & day school for students ages 6 to 18. Over the years, our school has established an international reputation for its academic excellence and personalized family atmosphere.

Academic programs :

- Swiss pathway :
 - Primary and secondary schools
 - Swiss Federal Matura (bilingual option on demand)
 - French Baccalaureate (option maths/physics)
- Cambridge International Pathway
 - Lower and Upper secondary programmes (IGCSE)
 - A-Level programmes
- Study abroad / language immersion (French or English)
 - From September to June
 - 1 term to 10 months

Beautifully located in nature, close to Geneva and Montreux, Chantemerle offers a peaceful and well-balanced learning environment with a rich program of sports, artistic and cultural activities.

Conscious that choosing the right school for your child is an important decision, we remain at your disposal for a first Zoom discussion or a visit of Chantemerle.

The Wegmüller family and Chantemerle team



FEES AND GENERAL CONDITIONS ACADEMIC SCHOOL YEAR 2024/25

1. ACADEMIC SCHOOL YEAR

Annual fees 2024/25	Swiss pathway French-speaking curriculum			Cambridge International pathway English-speaking curriculum		
	Primary 5-10 years	Secondary (DNB) 11-15 years	High school (Swiss Matura) 16-19 years	Lower secondary 11-14 years	Upper secondary (IGCSE) 14-16 years	High school (A-levels) 16-19 years
Tuition only (Day school)	CHF 21'500.-	CHF 23'500.-	CHF 25'000.-	CHF 23'500.-	CHF 23'500.-	CHF 25'000.-
Tuition + 5-day boarding	CHF 41'500.-	CHF 43'500.-	CHF 50'000.-	CHF 43'500.-	CHF 43'500.-	CHF 50'000.-
Tuition + 7-day boarding	CHF 49'500.-	CHF 51'500.-	CHF 55'000.-	CHF 51'500.-	CHF 51'500.-	CHF 55'000.-
Personal expenses *	+ 15 %.	+ 15 %.	+ 15 %.	+ 15 %.	+ 15 %.	+ 15 %.

Bilingual Matura option : + 1'500.-/ term

Scholarships and financing plans upon request

Included in the fees :

- Boarding student: full board, tuition, supervision and care, supervised homework, sports/arts/cultural activities (see activity list), airport transfers.
- Day school student: tuition, supervision and care from 0730 to 1730, hot meals and snacks, supervised homework, sports/arts/cultural activities (see activity list).

Additional fees* (Ask for a simulation with detailed costs) :

- Deposit (non-refundable) payable in advance to secure your child's place at Chantemerle. : CHF 1'600.- (admission, material, package art/culture/transport, uniforms).
- Personal expenses (on demand): Swiss Matura bilingual option, private courses, health insurances, private transports, excursions, pocket money, ski pack, exam fees, entry fees to public domains, etc..). Professional sport academies.

2. STUDY ABROAD / IMMERSION PROGRAMMES (FRENCH OR ENGLISH)

	4 to 8 weeks	More than 8 weeks	Full year
Fees*	CHF 1'650.- / week	CHF 1'450.- / week	CHF 51'500.-

* Please ask for simulation for personalized length of stay.

Included: full board, courses and material, all activities, transports and airport transfers.
Not included: Deposit for personal expenses (about + 15%): private courses, health insurances (+ CHF 6.- / day), private transports, excursions, pocket money, Ski Pack (ask for simulation), exam fees, entry fees to public domains, etc..). Professional sport academies (ask for simulation).



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PRE-APPLICATION FORM

Academic school year 2024/25 and 2025/26

I. STUDENT INFORMATION (CAPITAL LETTERS)

First and family name	
Date and country of birth	
Gender	
Religion and Mother tongue	
Important observations / special precautions	
For what reason would you like your child to attend Chantemerle?	
Visa or student permit situation	

Current level in French:	Beginner <input type="checkbox"/>	Intermediate <input type="checkbox"/>	Advanced <input type="checkbox"/>
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II. PARENT INFORMATION (CAPITAL LETTERS)

Name of legal representative	
Profession	
Billing address	
Phone number	
Email	
Name of other parent	
Phone number	
email	
Contact person in Switzerland	

III. PROGRAMS

1. Primary and middle school:

A comprehensive and internationally recognized program from preschool to middle school, preparation for admission into High School

Academic school year 2023/24	<input type="checkbox"/>	Academic school year 2024/25	<input type="checkbox"/>
5 days boarding <input type="checkbox"/>	7 days boarding	day school	<input type="checkbox"/>

2. High school :

Academic school year 2023/24	<input type="checkbox"/>	Academic school year 2024/25	<input type="checkbox"/>
5 days boarding	7 days boarding <input type="checkbox"/>	day school	<input type="checkbox"/>

3. French Immersion / Study abroad program / winter camps (short and long term stays):

A fully validated academic program to learn French and validate a full study year abroad. DELF exam preparation.

Length of stayweeks/months
Date of arrival / Date of departure /

IV: GENERAL CONDITIONS

I am fully aware of the pedagogical project, the methods of education and the organization at Chantemerle School for having been informed, particularly through the documentation of the school, as well as by through the site www.chantemerle.ch.

The first payment of CHF 1'600.- (1'000.- for immersion and short stays) covers the fixed admission fee, and the fixed charges and guarantees the reservation of your child's place. This amount is non-refundable. Tuition and board, as well as variable fees deductible from the child's personal deposit, will be paid in accordance with the approved payment plan. Notice of Departure: The school administration must make prior arrangements regarding class training, schedule structure, room lists and recruitment. For this reason, a student's departure must be communicated by registered letter no later than 30 days before the beginning of the coming term. A started term is due in its entirety. Payments made in advance will not be refunded in the event of cancellation, early departure or dismissal of the student. In case of late payments, the school reserves the right to refuse the student.

Covid-19 cancellation policy : please contact us for more information

The admission of a student to Chantemerle implies the acceptance of the financial conditions by the parents or the legal representative. Chantemerle reserves the right to change tuition fees. I understand that images of my child can be published on the internet. If deemed necessary, I will contact Chantemerle and clarify my position with respect to such use. I also authorize Chantemerle to initiate the appropriate medical intervention in the case of an emergency. In case of dispute, the competent jurisdiction is Vevey. I understand and accept the financial conditions of Chantemerle.

Date _____ Location _____

Parent 1 : Full name _____ Signature _____

Parent 2 : Full name _____ Signature _____



Appréciation scolaire / *School evaluation*

Seulement pour candidat à l'année scolaire / *Only for academic school year candidate !*

A remplir par les parents de l'élève et transmettre à Chantemerle afin de finaliser l'inscription du candidat.

To be filled by the child's parents and returned to Chantemerle in order to finalize the application.

1. Nom, prénom, âge de l'enfant : *Name and family name, age of the child:*
2. Dernière école fréquentée:
Last school attended:
3. 1ère langue vivante (LV1) choisie : anglais / allemand Autre
Chosen 1st foreign language (LV1) : English / German
4. Quel est l'équivalent de la classe actuelle de l'enfant ? *What is the child's equivalent current class ?*

Français	GSM (5 ans)	CP (6 ans)	CE1 (7 ans)	CE2 (8 ans)	CM1 (9 ans)	CM2 (10 ans)	6ème (11 ans)	5ème (12 ans)	4ème (13 ans)	3ème (14-15 ans)
	PRIMAIRE						SECONDAIRE			
Suisse										
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5. A-t-il été promu en classe supérieure? / Was the child promoted to next level ?
Si non, pour quelle(s) raisons(s) / If not, explain the main reason(s)
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6. Niveau scolaire, points forts et points faibles du candidat ? / *Academic level, strong and weak points:*
7. Caractère et personnalité de l'enfant en classe / *please describe the character and personality of the child in the classroom:*
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HEALTH FORM

Child's first & family name	
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1. General health

Please describe your child's general health	
Important remarks concerning your child's general health	

2. Vaccination

Is your child's vaccination booklet up to date?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Date of last anti-tetanus shot		
Date of last anti-tetanus booster		

3. Allergies

Is your child subject to allergies?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
If yes, to which substance/food/animals		

4. Ongoing medical treatments

Does your child currently receive medical treatment?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
If yes, which treatment(s)?		

5. Insurances

All students enrolled at Chantemerle must have medical/accident and third party insurances recognized in Switzerland. Upon request, Chantemerle can arrange an insurance package (Approximate costs for school year = CHF 120.- / month, for short stays = 6.-/ day).

Does your child already have an health insurance	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
If yes, please provide Chantemerle with a copy of your child's health plan.		
If no, would you like CHANTEMERLE to arrange and insurance package for your child (CHF=120.-/month) ?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>



Calendar

School year 2024-25

Back to school for boarders	Sunday September 1st 2024, all day
Start of courses 1st term	Monday September 2nd 2024 at 08h00
Monday Jeûne Fédéral	Monday September 16th 2024 (school excursion)
October mid-term break	Last day of classes: Friday October 18th 24 at 16h00 Classes resume: Monday October 28th 2024 at 08h00
End of school - Christmas holidays	Last day of classes: Friday December 20th 2024 12h00 Christmas show: Friday December 20th 2024 18h00
Start of courses 2nd term	Monday January 6th 2025 at 08:00
February mid-term break	Last day of classes: Friday, February 14th 2025 at 16h30 Classes resume: Monday, February 24th, 2025 at 08h00
End of school - Easter holidays	Last day of class: Friday April 11th 2025 at 16h30
Start of courses 3rd term	Monday April 28th 2025 at 08h00
Week-end Ascension	Last day of classes: Wednesday May 28th 2025 at 15h15 Classes resume: Monday June 2nd 2025 at 0800
Pentecôte Monday	Monday June 9th 2025 Classes resume: Tuesday June 10th 2025 0800
End of the school year and closing ceremony	Last day of classes and end of year show: Friday June 20th 2025 at 18h00

Important notes :

- Boarding students are not allowed to leave the school without written permission from the parents.
- Boarding students can stay in Chantemerle during the October and February breaks. Activities will then be offered.
- Departures and arrivals are made according to the specified timetables. Early departures are not permitted unless requested in writing by parents. Missed classes will be recorded in the report card and must be made up.
- Timetables and flight numbers for arrivals and departures by plane must be announced in advance by email or fax.
- Participation in end-of-year shows is compulsory. Departures must be scheduled after 17:00.
- Weekends start on Friday at 16:30 and end on Sunday at 19:00. A shuttle bus is available at these times.
- If a student is invited to spend a weekend away from home, written permission from the student's parents and an invitation from the host family must be sent by fax or email no later than 3 days before the weekend.
- Interviews with the teachers and the management can be arranged at any time. Please notify us in advance by email (contact@chantemerle.ch).