

Southwest Adventist Junior Academy 2025-2026. Frequently Asked Questions

1. What grades does SWAJA serve?

SWAJA serves students in Pre-K3 through 10th grade for the 2025–2026 school year.

2. What are the school hours?

School is in session Monday through Friday from 8:00 AM to 3:30 PM, Monday -Thursday. School hours on Friday are 8:00 to 2:00. Students should arrive no later than 7:55 AM to be on time for class.

3. Where is SWAJA located? We will be announcing our new location soon!

4. What is the tuition for 2025–2026?

Tuition for the upcoming school year is being offered at a discounted rate of \$100/month per child, with a registration fee of \$500 per student.

5. How do I register my child?

Registration for **new students** is done through the **AE-Connect Portal** (Click <u>HERE</u> to start the process). **Returning students**' parents may log in to the **AE-Connect Parent Portal** and register their student. If you don't remember your password, your email is your login, and you can click "forgot password."

6. What is the uniform policy?

Students are required to wear school uniforms. Uniform requirements are outlined below, and may be purchased at :

Advantage Uniforms 7010 Bruton Rd. Dallas, Texas. 75217 214-206-1977

Note: Parents are not required to use this business and may purchase uniform items from any retailer, provided they meet the school's dress guidelines.

7. Is transportation available?

Limited transportation may be available from designated pick-up locations near **Interstate 20** (not extending beyond Cooper Street). The finalized pick-up location will be announced as soon as we get more information regarding the student's/family's needs.

8. Does SWAJA support students with learning differences or special needs?

While we strive to meet each student's learning needs, we **do not currently have a formal special education department**. If your child has an IEP or 504 Plan, please contact the principal to determine if we can support their learning.

9. What curriculum does SWAJA use?

We follow the North American Division Seventh-day Adventist Curriculum.

10. Are there extracurricular activities?

Yes. Students may participate in Robotics (First LEGO League). They may also participate in Music productions and Chapel Leadership, the school and Conference Science Fair, and Spelling Bee.

11. Will there be school communication updates?

Yes. Families will receive a **monthly newsletter** and regular updates via email and the AE-Connect platform. Additionally, teachers send out weekly newsletters informing parents of assignments and upcoming events, and activities.

12. Who should I contact if I have more questions?

Please contact Dr. Violet Dean, Principal, at vdean@swrgc.org or (945) 354-9716. We are happy to assist you!