

**Child Representation
Sliding Fee Scale 2024**



Parent's Household Size ¹	Poverty Guide-line	Lower Income Level ²	Upper Income Level ²	Fee ³
1	\$15,060	\$0	\$37,650	\$0
		\$37,651	\$45,180	\$300
		\$45,181	\$60,240	\$600
		\$60,241	\$75,300	\$900
		\$75,301	\$82,830	\$1,200
		\$82,831	\$90,360	\$1,500
		\$90,361	\$97,890	\$1,800
		\$97,891	\$105,420	\$2,100
		\$105,421	\$112,950	\$2,400
		\$112,951	\$120,480	\$2,700
		\$120,481	\$128,010	\$3,000
		\$128,011	\$135,540	\$3,300
		\$135,541	\$143,070	\$3,600
		\$143,071	\$3,900 retainer ⁴	
1.5	\$17,750	\$0	\$44,375	\$0
		\$44,376	\$53,250	\$300
		\$53,251	\$71,000	\$600
		\$71,001	\$88,750	\$900
		\$88,751	\$97,625	\$1,200
		\$97,626	\$106,500	\$1,500
		\$106,501	\$115,375	\$1,800
		\$115,376	\$124,250	\$2,100
		\$124,251	\$133,125	\$2,400
		\$133,126	\$142,000	\$2,700
		\$142,001	\$150,875	\$3,000
		\$150,876	\$159,750	\$3,300
		\$159,751	\$168,625	\$3,600
		\$168,626	\$3,900 retainer ⁴	
2	\$20,440	\$0	\$51,100	\$0
		\$51,101	\$61,320	\$300
		\$61,321	\$81,760	\$600
		\$81,761	\$102,200	\$900
		\$102,201	\$112,420	\$1,200
		\$112,421	\$122,640	\$1,500
		\$122,641	\$132,860	\$1,800
		\$132,861	\$143,080	\$2,100
		\$143,081	\$153,300	\$2,400
		\$153,301	\$163,520	\$2,700
		\$163,521	\$173,740	\$3,000
		\$173,741	\$183,960	\$3,300
		\$183,961	\$194,180	\$3,600
		\$194,181	\$3,900 retainer ⁴	

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2.5	\$23,130	\$0	\$57,825	\$0
		\$57,826	\$69,390	\$300
		\$69,391	\$92,520	\$600
		\$92,521	\$115,650	\$900
		\$115,651	\$127,215	\$1,200
		\$127,216	\$138,780	\$1,500
		\$138,781	\$150,345	\$1,800
		\$150,346	\$161,910	\$2,100
		\$161,911	\$173,475	\$2,400
		\$173,476	\$185,040	\$2,700
		\$185,041	\$196,605	\$3,000
		\$196,606	\$208,170	\$3,300
		\$208,171	\$219,735	\$3,600
		\$219,736	\$3,900 retainer ⁴	
3	\$25,820	\$0	\$64,550	\$0
		\$64,551	\$77,460	\$300
		\$77,461	\$103,280	\$600
		\$103,281	\$129,100	\$900
		\$129,101	\$142,010	\$1,200
		\$142,011	\$154,920	\$1,500
		\$154,921	\$167,830	\$1,800
		\$167,831	\$180,740	\$2,100
		\$180,741	\$193,650	\$2,400
		\$193,651	\$206,560	\$2,700
		\$206,561	\$219,470	\$3,000
		\$219,471	\$232,380	\$3,300
		\$232,381	\$245,290	\$3,600
		\$245,291	\$3,900 retainer ⁴	

¹ Household size includes the party and the party's minor child(ren) in the residence. If parties have joint physical care, each counts half of the children in his/her calculation. E.g., if a parent with income of \$50,000 shares care of one child, her household size is 1.5, so she would pay \$560.

² Income is each party's gross annual income. Child support/spousal support is subtracted from the payor's income/added to the payee's income if it has been paid regularly for the past 6 months pursuant to a court order.

³ Fee: Kids First bills at \$175/hr. Once the fee is earned, representation is provided at no charge. Unearned fees are refunded.

⁴ Retainer: Fee for top income level is \$175/hr. (minus other party's fee) with max. \$5,000 total.

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3.5	\$28,510	\$0	\$71,275	\$0
		\$71,276	\$85,530	\$300
		\$85,531	\$114,040	\$600
		\$114,041	\$142,550	\$900
		\$142,551	\$156,805	\$1,200
		\$156,806	\$171,060	\$1,500
		\$171,061	\$185,315	\$1,800
		\$185,316	\$199,570	\$2,100
		\$199,571	\$213,825	\$2,400
		\$213,826	\$228,080	\$2,700
		\$228,081	\$242,335	\$3,000
		\$242,336	\$256,590	\$3,300
		\$256,591	\$270,845	\$3,600
	\$270,846	\$3,900 retainer ⁴		
4	\$31,200	\$0	\$78,000	\$0
		\$78,001	\$93,600	\$300
		\$93,601	\$124,800	\$600
		\$124,801	\$156,000	\$900
		\$156,001	\$171,600	\$1,200
		\$171,601	\$187,200	\$1,500
		\$187,201	\$202,800	\$1,800
		\$202,801	\$218,400	\$2,100
		\$218,401	\$234,000	\$2,400
		\$234,001	\$249,600	\$2,700
		\$249,601	\$265,200	\$3,000
		\$265,201	\$280,800	\$3,300
		\$280,801	\$296,400	\$3,600
	\$296,401	\$3,900 retainer ⁴		
4.5	\$33,890	\$0	\$84,725	\$0
		\$84,726	\$101,670	\$300
		\$101,671	\$135,560	\$600
		\$135,561	\$169,450	\$900
		\$169,451	\$186,395	\$1,200
		\$186,396	\$203,340	\$1,500
		\$203,341	\$220,285	\$1,800
		\$220,286	\$237,230	\$2,100
		\$237,231	\$254,175	\$2,400
		\$254,176	\$271,120	\$2,700
		\$271,121	\$288,065	\$3,000
		\$288,066	\$305,010	\$3,300
		\$305,011	\$321,955	\$3,600
	\$321,956	\$3,900 retainer ⁴		

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5	\$36,580	\$0	\$91,450	\$0
		\$91,451	\$109,740	\$300
		\$109,741	\$146,320	\$600
		\$146,321	\$182,900	\$900
		\$182,901	\$201,190	\$1,200
		\$201,191	\$219,480	\$1,500
		\$219,481	\$237,770	\$1,800
		\$237,771	\$256,060	\$2,100
		\$256,061	\$274,350	\$2,400
		\$274,351	\$292,640	\$2,700
		\$292,641	\$310,930	\$3,000
		\$310,931	\$329,220	\$3,300
		\$329,221	\$347,510	\$3,600
	\$347,511	\$3,900 retainer ⁴		
5.5	\$39,270	\$0	\$98,175	\$0
		\$98,176	\$117,810	\$300
		\$117,811	\$157,080	\$600
		\$157,081	\$196,350	\$900
		\$196,351	\$215,985	\$1,200
		\$215,986	\$235,620	\$1,500
		\$235,621	\$255,255	\$1,800
		\$255,256	\$274,890	\$2,100
		\$274,891	\$294,525	\$2,400
		\$294,526	\$314,160	\$2,700
		\$314,161	\$333,795	\$3,000
		\$333,796	\$353,430	\$3,300
		\$353,431	\$373,065	\$3,600
	\$373,066	\$3,900 retainer ⁴		

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6	\$41,960	\$0	\$104,900	\$0
		\$104,901	\$125,880	\$300
		\$125,881	\$167,840	\$600
		\$167,841	\$209,800	\$900
		\$209,801	\$230,780	\$1,200
		\$230,781	\$251,760	\$1,500
		\$251,761	\$272,740	\$1,800
		\$272,741	\$293,720	\$2,100
		\$293,721	\$314,700	\$2,400
		\$314,701	\$335,680	\$2,700
		\$335,681	\$356,660	\$3,000
		\$356,661	\$377,640	\$3,300
		\$377,641	\$398,620	\$3,600
		\$398,621	\$3,900 retainer ⁴	
6.5	\$44,650	\$0	\$111,625	\$0
		\$111,626	\$133,950	\$300
		\$133,951	\$178,600	\$600
		\$178,601	\$223,250	\$900
		\$223,251	\$245,575	\$1,200
		\$245,576	\$267,900	\$1,500
		\$267,901	\$290,225	\$1,800
		\$290,226	\$312,550	\$2,100
		\$312,551	\$334,875	\$2,400
		\$334,876	\$357,200	\$2,700
		\$357,201	\$379,525	\$3,000
		\$379,526	\$401,850	\$3,300
		\$401,851	\$424,175	\$3,600
		\$424,176	\$3,900 retainer ⁴	

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7	\$47,340	\$0	\$118,350	\$0
		\$118,351	\$142,020	\$300
		\$142,021	\$189,360	\$600
		\$189,361	\$236,700	\$900
		\$236,701	\$260,370	\$1,200
		\$260,371	\$284,040	\$1,500
		\$284,041	\$307,710	\$1,800
		\$307,711	\$331,380	\$2,100
		\$331,381	\$355,050	\$2,400
		\$355,051	\$378,720	\$2,700
		\$378,721	\$402,390	\$3,000
		\$402,391	\$426,060	\$3,300
		\$426,061	\$449,730	\$3,600
		\$449,731	\$3,900 retainer ⁴	