

Dillon Southwest Korean Program Fee Schedule

Currently, there is a Federal TAX CREDIT of over \$12,000 available to most families. Please contact your tax advisor or our agency for more information.

Type of Fee	Payment Amount	Time Payment is Due	Additional Information
Pre-Application	\$50.00	Submitted with the Pre-Application.	
Orientation	None		
Application Fee	\$250.00	Submitted with the Formal Application.	
DSW Group Training	None		
Cost of additional required Internet training or purchase of books to read	Varies based upon selection	Additional training needs to be concluded prior to home study completion.	
Home Study Certification (includes Certification Interviews and Home Study Report completed by DSW)	\$1250.00	Due at the time the signed contract is returned and prior to the start of the home study.	This fee is reduced by \$200 for families currently certified, or those processing through the agency for additional placements.
Extension of DSW Home Study for Court or USCIS (for adoption in process only)	\$350.00	Due with Extension Application.	This fee only necessary if family's study must be extended during the process.
Korean Country Fee - sent to Eastern Social Welfare Society	\$18,800.00	Due with the acceptance papers for placement of a specific child.	This fee includes costs of caring for the children, social services, legal responsibilities, working with Korean and overseas entities, legal and governmental documents and requirements, identification and humanitarian aid.
Korean Escort Fee to Port of Entry (usually Los Angeles) for child under 2 years of age*	\$2,200.00*	Due with the acceptance papers.	This fee is not paid if parents choose to pay their own travel expenses to Korea to escort their child home.
Dillon Southwest Adoption Service Fee for the Korean Program	\$6,500.00	Due with the acceptance papers for placement of a specific child.	This fee covers costs for administration, personnel, operational expenses, program development, training expenses, communications and other costs related to providing adoption services in the United States. It also includes a donation to ESWS.
Escort Fee from point of entry to Phoenix by a DSW employee	\$100.00 plus airfare, parking and meals.	Due after the child arrives.	This is an optional service.
Travel expense reimbursement for travel by agency personnel for mandatory home visits and court appearances outside of Maricopa County.	Mileage and Expenses (varies depending on location)	Due after the visit has been made.	<u>Only applies to those outside of Maricopa County.</u>
Post-Placement Services for one child (includes Post-Placement Visits, Reports and court appearance)	\$1250.00	Due with the acceptance papers.	This fee is increased by \$100.00 if our agency has not done the home study for this placement. If siblings are placed, the additional fee is determined on a case by case basis.

Additional Costs

- Variable charge for being fingerprinted (approximately \$10.00 per person).
 - Fingerprint processing fee per couple for home study certification in Maricopa County, Pima County and most additional counties (approximately \$25-\$40 per person).
 - Fingerprint processing fee for an additional set of fingerprints with the FBI (approximately \$15-25 per person).
 - Cost of a physical exam for adoptive applicants if the cost of the exams is not covered by health insurance.
 - \$720.00 filing fee for U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services. Biometric (fingerprinting) fee is \$85.00 for each person over 18 living in the home. For two people, the total fee would be \$890.00. You can send one check for the total fee.
 - The cost for one round trip airline ticket to point of entry to escort a child home to Arizona. If agency personnel escort a child, in addition to the \$100.00 agency fee (see above), the escort's airfare and expenses are paid by the family.
- *Ticket is required for children two years and over and is not included in the \$2200 escorting fee.
- If additional reports or services are necessary, they will be billed at \$90 per hour.
 - Any attorney's fees involved in the adoption process are the responsibility of the family, as are any court costs. In Arizona, the county attorney's office currently provides legal services to residents of the state pursuing an uncontested adoption at no charge.