

FILED
at 1:30 o'clock P M

**Fee Schedule for Court-Appointed Attorneys
Providing Indigent Representation in the
Juvenile Court of Williamson County**

SEP 17 2024

Lisa David
District Clerk, Williamson Co., TX.

In compliance with 51.10 Tex. Fam. Code (Right to Assistance of Attorney; Compensation) and Art. 26.04, Tex. Code of Crim. Proc. (Court shall appoint Counsel), attorneys providing representation in juvenile cases shall be compensated according to the following fee schedule, as approved by the Williamson County Juvenile Board:

<u>Fixed Fee Schedule</u>	
Detention Hearings	\$200.00 without further proceedings
Routine Adjudication and Disposition	\$1,500.00 per case
Contested Hearings and Trials	\$600 per half day
Cases with non-English Speaking Defendant <i>In a case where the respondent speaks a foreign language, and the attorney is fluent in that language or utilizes an interpreter/translation service.</i>	\$500 additional per case
<u>Hourly Fee For Non Standard Cases</u>	
<i>An attorney may choose to bill based on an hourly rate or using the fixed fee schedule above.</i>	
Non-Standard Cases	\$125-155/hour
Cases with non-English Speaking Defendant <i>In a case where the respondent speaks a foreign language, and the attorney is fluent in that language or utilizes an interpreter/translation service.</i>	\$500 additional per case (fixed fee)
<u>Appeals</u>	
Appeals	\$125 per hour
<u>Investigator Fees</u>	
<i>Note: Investigators will not be paid for time in court without prior authorization from the District Judge.</i>	
	\$75.00 per hour with prior court approval.

Note: The court may approve additional expenditures upon good cause shown and reserves the discretion to deviate upward or downward in awarding an attorney fee (whether by the hour or by the total awarded fee) depending upon the time and labor required, the complexity of the case and the experience and ability of the appointed counsel.

Adopted by the Williamson County Juvenile Board this 21st day of August 2024.

Stacey Mathews

Hon. Stacey Mathews
Judge, 277th District Court
Chair, Williamson County Juvenile Board