

Adoption Expenses by Chronology International Families

The total cost of your China adoption will consist of CCAI Service Fees and expenses outside of CCAI Service Fees. One of the many benefits of CCAI's China adoption program is that the costs are clearly defined from the moment you begin your adoption journey. The adoption fees and costs are spread out over the course of the entire adoption process. Expenses paid to CCAI throughout the adoption (highlighted in **BOLD** below) will be about one-third of the overall adoption expenses. Below we have listed each expense necessary to complete your adoption, to whom it is paid, and when it is due. Each expense is identified by the **Key** and detailed in "Explanation of Non-CCAI Expenses".

Key	Expense	Amount	Pay to	Due
	Application Fee	\$250 – Check/ACH Withdrawal †	CCAI	App Submission
*	First Program Fee (incl. home study & dossier compilation) ¹	\$6,050 – Check/ACH Withdrawal †	CCAI	After App Approval
1	IAAME Monitoring & Oversight Fee	\$500 – Check/ACH Withdrawal †	CCAI (forwarded to IAAME)	After App Approval
2	USCIS Filing & Fingerprinting ²	\$775 – Check/Money Order \$85 per person FP fee (may vary at US Embassy/Consulate in country) †	US Department of Homeland Security (fingerprinting fee is paid at US Embassy/Consulate in country)	When home study is completed and approved
*	Second Program Fee	\$5,250 – Check/ACH Withdrawal †	CCAI	Dossier Submission
3	CCCWA Fee	\$1,270 (wiring fee included) – Check/ACH Withdrawal †	CCAI (wired to China)	Dossier Submission
4	CCCWA Post Adoption Translation Fee	\$300 – Check/ACH Withdrawal †	CCAI (wired to China)	Prior to receiving child match acceptance letter (LOA)
*	Third Program Fee (incl. 3 post adoption reports) ¹	\$5,500 – Check/ACH Withdrawal †	CCAI	Prior to receiving child match acceptance letter (LOA)
*	Post Adoption Deposit ***	\$1,500 – Check/ACH Withdrawal †	CCAI	Prior to receiving child match acceptance letter (LOA)
5	Visa to enter China ³	\$140 per person (plus courier fee) – Check/Credit Card †	Chinese Consulate via a courier/travel agency	Approximately one month before travel to China, if applicable
6	In-China Travel & Accommodations	Approx. \$4,000 - \$4,400 for two adults – Check	CCAI (wired to China)	Approx. 7-10 days prior to China departure
7	Adoption Registration and Notarization	Approx. \$800 - \$1,000 – Cash	Local government in China	In China
8	Orphanage Donation ***	(Voluntary)	Orphanage	In China
9	Child's Passport	Approx. \$100 - \$150 – Cash	Local passport agency	In China
10	Food	Approx. \$700 - \$800 per couple – Cash/Credit Card	Hotel(s), restaurant(s)	In China
11	Child Physical & Photo	Approx. \$130 - \$150 – Cash	Clinic	In Guangzhou, China
12	Child U.S. Entry Visa	\$325 – Cash or Check	US Consulate in Guangzhou, China	In China

13	International & U.S. Domestic Airfare ³	Not applicable to families living in China	A travel agency/airline of your choice	Within 90 days after receiving visa from the US Consulate for your adopted child
14	N-600K ⁴	\$1,170 – Check/Money Order	U.S. Department of Homeland Security	After adoption finalization
15	Court Validation Fee	Varies by state/county	Your county court	After U.S. return
16	Child Birth Certificate	Varies by state	Your state	After U.S. return
TOTAL: \$27,300 - \$28,400 for two adult travelers (not including post adoption deposit orphanage donation)				

* Please see Explanation of CCAI Service Fees for details.

¹ Does not include the travel expenses for social worker, including airfare, transportation, room and board, that you will be responsible for. In addition, if the social worker is travelling outside of his/her home city to complete your home study report, home study update or post adoption reports, there will be up to an additional \$250 fee per report for his/her travel time. This is paid directly to CCAI and due at the time the services are required; either with 1st China Program fee, 3rd China Program fee or at time home study update is needed.

² China adoption timelines are variable. Due to unpredictable wait times, you may need to re-file your immigration application, which includes a new I-800A form or Supplement 3, re-fingerprinting and a home study update. The overall cost to re-file can be an additional \$800-\$2,500.

³ Visa to enter China and US Domestic & International Airfare may not apply if you are living in China at time of placement.

⁴ The N-600K is applicable for families who do not immediately move back to the U.S. This is required to establish U.S citizenship for your adopted child. (See page 22 of this Packet for more detailed information.)

*** The “Total” above does not include the \$1,500 refundable Post Adoption deposit or the orphanage donation.

† When you provide a check as payment, you authorize CCAI either to use information from your check to make a one-time electronic fund transfer from your account or to process the payment as a check transaction. When we use information from your check to make an electronic fund transfer, funds may be withdrawn from your account as soon as the same day we receive your payment, and you will not receive your check back from your financial institution.

Financial Aid Application(s) & Administrative Assistance

CCAI is happy to support your family if you choose to seek financial aid through grant(s) to fund your adoption. Once you have researched and selected a grant organization that you would like to apply to, CCAI will provide assistance in compiling requested agency documentation for as many grants as you choose to apply for throughout your adoption process. CCAI will provide the following services to you at no additional fee: 1) initially analyzing and verifying your adoption case position and stage in the adoption process; 2) verifying your paid adoption expenses and estimating the overall cost for your current adoption; 3) writing and delivering (including postage) your case-specific adoption expense information to the fund(s) or foundation(s) you applied to; 4) generating a home study summary (if applicable); 5) ongoing communication with grant provider(s) regarding your adoption progress and paid and estimated expenses; 6) tracking and applying your grant funds to the specific adoption fees and travel related expenses; and 7) accounting reconciliation and coordinating with the fund(s) or foundation(s) to determine how best to disburse excess funds if necessary. These services will be provided for all the grants that you receive throughout your adoption process.

NOTE: Financial contribution from your relatives, friends, churches or other related parties toward your adoption is not tax deductible according to the IRS rules.