



The Center For The Development of Children

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Dear Parents,

It is with great pleasure that we provide you with the 2024-2025 application for The Center for the Development of Children (CDC).

The CDC is a private, not-for-profit preschool. As a not-for-profit, the school is supported by an entirely volunteer Board of Directors who assist with the business planning of the school. This structure provides an environment where all profits will be re-invested into the program.

The CDC prides itself on the longevity of our staff, the flexibility of our schedule choices, as well as, the quality of early childhood education. Our curriculum is based on the Massachusetts Preschool Frameworks, meeting all curriculum areas such as social studies, language arts, math and science.

With this application, there is **a non-refundable fee of \$50.00 for new families**. This fee will keep your name on our waiting list should we not be able to accommodate your application immediately.

Applications for new families will begin being accepted on **November 27, 2023** and will be continued until spaces are full. All applicants will receive a decision on admission for September 2024 via email by mid January.

Once your space is assigned, a confirmation letter will be returned to you with your projected monthly tuition amount. **We ask that you return the signed confirmation with one month's tuition payment as a non-refundable deposit; this will be applied to your last month's tuition payment. Please note, this payment will not be refunded should you decide to withdraw from CDC.** Please remember we have a 2 day minimum commitment for 2 year olds and a 3 day minimum commitment for 3 year olds and over.

Tuition rates for the 2024-2025 school year core hours are as follows:

Note: For our core hours, we have staggered drop off (8:30,8:40,8:50) and pick up (12:20,12:30,12:40) times by last name.

	<u>Under 3 years old as of Sept 1</u>	<u>3 and Older as of Sept 1</u>
	Puppy room	Panda/Penguin rooms
	17.00 per hour	\$15.50 per hour
2 Days	\$510/month	N/A
3 Days	\$765/month	\$698/month
4 Days	\$1020/month	\$930/month
5 Days	\$1275/month	\$1163/month
Per diem	\$18.00/hour	\$16.50/hr

We appreciate you have a choice in your children's education and care. We thank you for considering and supporting the CDC. We look forward to teaching and caring for your child in the fall.

Warm Regards,

Sandy Blinn, Program Director