



Where playing is our business, and learning is our achievement!

**Chocowinity, NC**

**Open: Monday - Friday, 6:30 am until 6:00 pm**

*Rates Effective December 1, 2022*

**Weekly Rates**

Age	4 & 5 Days	3 Days	2 Days	1st Business Day Discount	Daily
0 – 23 months (infants / 1's)	\$235	\$185	\$150	<b>\$50 / week</b> (pay on the first business day of the week to receive this discount)	\$80
24 – 35 months (2's)	\$225	\$180	\$145		\$75
36 months – start of kindergarten (3's, 4's, some 5's)	\$210	\$170	\$140		\$70
School Age Summer	\$190	\$155	\$125		\$60
SA Before &/or After School	\$150	\$125	\$105		\$45

**Weekly Rates: On-Time, Late Payment, Vacation**

- The base rate will be charged when payment is not received on the first business day of the current week.
- Childcare services will be discontinued for any family who has not paid by Friday of the current week.
- Each student is entitled to **ONE** week of vacation during each calendar year without payment. (The student must not be in attendance.)

**Monthly & Semi-Monthly Rates**

Age	Monthly Rate	Semi-Monthly Rate	1st Business Day Discount
0 – 23 months (infants / 1's)	\$1010	\$505	<b>\$220 / month</b> (pay on the first business day of the month to receive this discount)  <b>\$110 / semi-monthly</b> (pay on the 1st and 11th business day of the month to receive this discount)
24 – 35 months (2's)	\$965	\$483	
36 months – start of kindergarten (3's, 4's, some 5's)	\$900	\$450	
School Age Summer	\$815	\$408	
School Age Before and after	\$645	\$323	

**Monthly Rates: On-Time, Late Payment, Vacation**

- The base rate will be charged when payment is not received on the first business day of the current month.
- Childcare services will be discontinued for any family who has not paid by the 20<sup>th</sup> of the current month.
- Monthly fees are not prorated due to non-payment or attendance .
- One week of vacation is figured into the monthly rates above. There is no additional “vacation week” discount for monthly rates.



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### **Monthly Parent Fee: On-Time, Late Payment, Vacation**

*(for families receiving child care subsidy or other payment assistance)*

- The assigned monthly parent fee must be paid by the 15<sup>th</sup> of the current month.
- If the Parent Fee is not paid by the 15<sup>th</sup>, a \$100.00 late fee will be applied to your account.
- Childcare services will be discontinued for any family who has not paid by the 20<sup>th</sup> of the current month.
- One week of vacation has been figured into the rates above. There is no additional “vacation week” discount.

### **Scheduled Holidays & Closings:**

On the following days the center will be closed:

One day in February for staff development; Easter Friday or Monday; Memorial Day; Juneteenth; 4th of July; Labor Day; one day in August for Professional Development; Labor Day; Thanksgiving (Thursday and Friday); December 23rd-26th; New Year’s Eve or New Year’s Day.

**There is no rate reduction for these closings.**

### **Tuition Express**

- We provide an easy-to-use, automated tuition collection system - Tuition Express. This system accepts credit/debit cards, as well as checking account information.
- All families are encouraged to use this system, and paperwork is provided for sign-up at time of enrollment.

### **Other Information**

- Fees are paid to ensure child’s space. Spaces cannot be held without payment for any length of time.
- Please provide your center director with written notification of your intent to withdraw. Two weeks notice is required, and charges for services will end after the two-week notice period.
- All tuition paid to Care-O-World is non-refundable.
- Please make checks payable to **Care-O-World** and include your child’s name on all checks, money orders, and payment envelopes.

### **Other Charges**

- Full-time students who attend more than 10-hours per day will be charged at the hourly rate (\$10.00) for those hours in excess of 10 hours per day. *(Special arrangements will be made on a case by case basis with those families who have a need for on-going care in excess of 10-hours per day.)*
- Students who stay past 6:00 PM will be charged at three times the hourly rate (\$30.00). Partial hours are pro-rated to the half-hour only (any part of a half-hour will be charged as a half-hour).
- A \$25 late fee will be charged on all accounts that have an outstanding balance of \$50 or more on the last business day of each month.
- There will be a \$25 fee for returned/declined payments (including paper checks, electronic checks, and declined automatic credit card payments).