The Child Development Center at MiraCosta College

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Online Application: www.miracosta.edu/childdevclick.co click on "Applying to the Center"

(Enrollment for Fall begins May 1st; enrollment for Spring begins November 1st)

Admission is open to all children 18 months to 4.11 years of age regardless of race, creed, color, ability or national origin. Children may be enrolled in morning and extended care (extended days are only available in the preschool classrooms). As a campus-based child development program, priority enrollment and discounted tuition are provided to MiraCosta College student families. Children of MiraCosta staff/faculty and the community are welcome to enroll as space permits. All children must be enrolled in a minimum of two days per week to allow for program continuity.

We strive to craft classroom enrollments that reflect the diversity of today's families. As such, we include consideration of student status, age, gender, primary language, ethnicity, and developmental needs in our enrollment decisions.

Programming Options

	Rooms 1 & 2 (entry at ages 18-30 months)	Room 3 (entry at ages 2.7-3.4 years)	Rooms 4 & 5 (entry at ages 3.5 – 4.5 years)
Morning Program	8:30 am -11:30 am	8:45 am – 11:45 am	8:45 am – 12:00 pm
Early Care	7:30 am – 8:30 am	7:30 am – 8:45 am	7:30 am – 8:45 am
Extended Day Program* (Includes flexible pick-up beginning at 2:30pm)	Not Available	8:45 am – 4:45 pm	8:45 am – 4:45 pm

^{*} Early Care, Lunch, and Extended Care are limited primarily to students attending MiraCosta College classes during those times or for MCC faculty and staff employed on campus.

- Room #1: Toddler (18 24 months). 12 children w/3 staff (1:4 ratio). This room provides our youngest children with what is often their first group experience. Focus is given to developing quality relationships through consistent routines, as children master self-help and social-interaction skills. Morning option only; lunch program available until 12:00 pm for students in class during those times.
- Room #2: Two-Year-Olds (25 30 months). 15 children w/3 staff (1:5 ratio). In this classroom, children engage in developmentally appropriate learning experiences across a variety of interest centers. Morning option only; lunch program available until 12:00 pm for students in class during those times.
- Room #3: Young Preschool (2.7 3.4 years). 18 children w/3 staff (1:6 ratio). Children engage in developmentally appropriate learning experiences across a variety of interest centers. Morning or extended day options.
- Rooms #4: Preschool (3.5 3.11 years): 22 children w/3 staff (~1:8 ratio). This class provides the preschool child a developmentally appropriate early learning experience, serving as the foundation for a successful transition to t-kindergarten or a final year in preschool. Morning or extended day options.
- Room #5: Preschool (4.0+ years): 22 children w/3 staff (~1:8 ratio). This class provides the preschool child a developmentally appropriate early learning experience, serving as the foundation for a successful transition to kindergarten. Morning or extended day options.

The Child Development Center @ MiraCosta College Program Fees 2020/2021

Session	Student Rate (6+ units)	Community Rate	STUDENT	FACULTY, STAFF, COMMUNITY			
EARLY CARE* (7:30-8:30)	\$5 per day						
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MORNING PROGRAM	Week	Weekly Cost		Semester Cost			
2 Days/Week	\$22.00	\$40.00	\$374.00	\$680.00			
3 Days/Week	\$33.00	\$60.00	\$561.00	\$1,020.00			
4 Days/Week	\$44.00	\$80.00	\$748.00	\$1,360.00			
5 Days/Week	\$55.00	\$100.00	\$935.00	\$1,700.00			
LUNCH* Rooms 1 & 2 (11:30-12:00) \$5 per day Rooms 3,4 & 5 (12:00-12:30)							
EXTENDED DAY PROGRAM*	Week	Weekly Cost		Semester Cost			
2 Days/Week	\$47.00	\$80.00	\$799.00	\$1,360.00			
3 Days/Week	\$71.00	\$120.00	\$1,207.00	\$2,040.00			
4 Days/Week	\$94.00	\$160.00	\$1,598.00	\$2,720.00			
5 Days/Week	\$117.00	\$180.00	\$1,989.00	\$3,060.00			

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Note: Tuition is based upon a semester rate prorated evenly across 17 weeks of scheduled programming each semester. Families are billed at the beginning of each month for their projected weekly enrollment. Monthly bills are not reduced for absences or for holidays (exceptions being the College Semester Break in December/January and Spring Break in March).

Tuition is due on the 1st and considered delinquent after the 10th of each month. Payments are made at the Student Accounts Office located in the 3200 Building. Families may pay in person, by mail, or by phone.