

# STATE OF CONNECTICUT OFFICE OF EARLY CHILDHOOD



## Connecticut Administered State-Funded Program General Policy B-01

### Fee Schedule

- OEC Early Start CT Programs
- OEC Smart Start CT Programs

### POLICY

This general policy applies to Early Start CT (ESCT) Contractors, Subcontractors and Programs, and Smart Start grantees.

Revised and effective on **July 1, 2025**, see the Fee Schedule below. The Fee Schedule is used to calculate required contributions of families with children enrolled in ESCT and Smart Start programs, as applicable. The Fee Schedule is based on the State Median Income (SMI) which is published annually in the [Federal Register](#) by the U.S. government.

- All families that enroll in ESCT programs on or after July 1, 2025, shall pay fees based on the new Fee Schedule.
- Families enrolled prior to July 1, 2025 will begin paying the new fees at the time of their next income redetermination, at the latest.

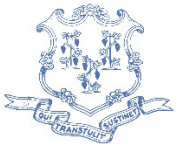
Only if families are provided with 30 calendar days' prior notice, ESCT and Smart Start programs are permitted to charge families based on the new Fee Schedule.

ESCT and Smart Start programs shall refer to General Policy B-02 for definitions and detailed information on the use of the Fee Schedule.

\*This policy **excludes** ESCT State Head Start families.

### INSTRUCTIONS

1. Refer to General Policy B-02 for instructions on how to determine family size and gross annual family income.
2. Below on the Fee Schedule chart, look under the heading “FAMILY SIZE” to choose the column (from those running across the top of the chart) that corresponds to the size of your family.



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3. Once you have identified your family size, follow that column down until you come to the figure that indicates your gross family annual income.
4. Move from that space directly over to the section of the chart labelled "WEEKLY FAMILY FEE". Note that the funding and space types are indicated at the top of each column (for example, infant/toddler full-time, etc.). Choose the appropriate funding and space type. Where that column intersects with row you followed over, you will find the percentage of your family annual income that will make up your weekly family fee.
5. Multiply this percentage by your gross annual family income. This figure represents the annual family fee.
6. To calculate the weekly family fee, divide the annual family fee by 52 and round up to the nearest whole dollar.

### Example:

- Family enrolling in an ESCT Full-Time Preschool space
- Family Size: 6
- Gross Annual Family Income: \$120,000
- % SMI = 61% - 64%
- % of Annual Income to Determine Family Fee = 8%
- $\$120,000 \times .08 = \$9,600$  Annual Family Fee
- $\$9,600/52$  weeks = \$184.62/week
- Round up to nearest whole dollar
- Weekly Family Fee = \$185



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OEC Fee Schedule for OEC-Feeder Early Care and Education Programs see instructions GP B-01													WEEKLY FAMILY FEE expressed as a percentage of annual income							
% SMI	FAMILY SIZE												Annual 2022\$							
	1-3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20		
	From	To	From	To	From	To	From	To	From	To	From	To	From	To	From	To	From	To		
0%	0	14,701	17,501	20,302	23,103	25,904	28,705	31,506	34,307	37,108	39,909	42,710	45,511	48,312	51,113	53,914	56,715	59,516		
1%	14,702	17,503	20,304	23,105	25,906	28,707	31,508	34,309	37,110	39,911	42,712	45,513	48,314	51,115	53,916	56,717	59,518			
2%	17,504	20,305	23,106	25,907	28,708	31,509	34,310	37,111	39,912	42,713	45,514	48,315	51,116	53,917	56,718	59,519	62,320			
3%	20,310	23,111	25,912	28,713	31,514	34,315	37,116	39,917	42,718	45,519	48,320	51,121	53,922	56,723	59,524	62,325	65,126			
4%	23,115	25,916	28,717	31,518	34,319	37,120	39,921	42,722	45,523	48,324	51,125	53,926	56,727	59,528	62,329	65,130	67,931			
5%	25,920	28,721	31,522	34,323	37,124	39,925	42,726	45,527	48,328	51,129	53,930	56,731	59,532	62,333	65,134	67,935	70,736			
6%	28,725	31,526	34,327	37,128	39,929	42,730	45,531	48,332	51,133	53,934	56,735	59,536	62,337	65,138	67,939	70,740	73,541			
7%	31,530	34,331	37,132	39,933	42,734	45,535	48,336	51,137	53,938	56,739	59,540	62,341	65,142	67,943	70,744	73,545	76,346			
8%	34,335	37,136	39,937	42,738	45,539	48,340	51,141	53,942	56,743	59,544	62,345	65,146	67,947	70,748	73,549	76,350	79,151			
9%	37,140	39,941	42,742	45,543	48,344	51,145	53,946	56,747	59,548	62,349	65,150	67,951	70,752	73,553	76,354	79,155	81,956			
10%	39,945	42,746	45,547	48,348	51,149	53,950	56,751	59,552	62,353	65,154	67,955	70,756	73,557	76,358	79,159	81,960	84,761			
11%	42,750	45,551	48,352	51,153	53,954	56,755	59,556	62,357	65,158	67,959	70,760	73,561	76,362	79,163	81,964	84,765	87,566			
12%	45,555	48,356	51,157	53,958	56,759	59,560	62,361	65,162	67,963	70,764	73,565	76,366	79,167	81,968	84,769	87,570	90,371			
13%	48,360	51,161	53,962	56,763	59,564	62,365	65,166	67,967	70,768	73,569	76,370	79,171	81,972	84,773	87,574	90,375	93,176			
14%	51,165	53,966	56,767	59,568	62,369	65,170	67,971	70,772	73,573	76,374	79,175	81,976	84,777	87,578	90,379	93,180	95,981			
15%	53,970	56,771	59,572	62,373	65,174	67,975	70,776	73,577	76,378	79,179	81,980	84,781	87,582	90,383	93,184	95,985	98,786			
16%	56,775	59,576	62,377	65,178	67,979	70,780	73,581	76,382	79,183	81,984	84,785	87,586	90,387	93,188	95,989	98,790	101,591			
17%	59,580	62,381	65,182	67,983	70,784	73,585	76,386	79,187	81,988	84,789	87,590	90,391	93,192	95,993	98,794	101,595	104,396			
18%	62,385	65,186	67,987	70,788	73,589	76,390	79,191	81,992	84,793	87,594	90,395	93,196	95,997	98,798	101,599	104,399	107,200			
19%	65,190	67,991	70,792	73,593	76,394	79,195	81,996	84,797	87,598	90,399	93,200	95,999	98,800	101,601	104,402	107,203	110,004			
20%	67,995	70,796	73,597	76,398	79,199	81,999	84,800	87,601	90,402	93,203	95,999	98,800	101,601	104,402	107,203	110,004	112,805			
21%	70,800	73,601	76,402	79,203	82,004	84,805	87,606	90,407	93,208	95,999	98,800	101,601	104,402	107,203	110,004	112,805	115,606			
22%	73,605	76,406	79,207	82,008	84,809	87,610	90,411	93,212	95,999	98,800	101,601	104,402	107,203	110,004	112,805	115,606	118,407			
23%	76,410	79,211	82,012	84,813	87,614	90,415	93,216	95,999	98,800	101,601	104,402	107,203	110,004	112,805	115,606	118,407	121,208			
24%	79,215	82,016	84,817	87,618	90,419	93,218	95,999	98,800	101,601	104,402	107,203	110,004	112,805	115,606	118,407	121,208	124,009			
25%	82,020	84,821	87,622	90,423	93,221	95,999	98,800	101,601	104,402	107,203	110,004	112,805	115,606	118,407	121,208	124,009	126,810			
26%	84,825	87,626	90,427	93,225	95,999	98,800	101,601	104,402	107,203	110,004	112,805	115,606	118,407	121,208	124,009	126,810	129,611			
27%	87,630	90,431	93,231	95,999	98,800	101,601	104,402	107,203	110,004	112,805	115,606	118,407	121,208	124,009	126,810	129,611	132,412			
28%	90,435	93,235	95,999	98,800	101,601	104,402	107,203	110,004	112,805	115,606	118,407	121,208	124,009	126,810	129,611	132,412	135,213			
29%	93,240	95,999	98,800	101,601	104,402	107,203	110,004	112,805	115,606	118,407	121,208	124,009	126,810	129,611	132,412	135,213	138,014			
30%	96,045	98,800	101,601	104,402	107,203	110,004	112,805	115,606	118,407	121,208	124,009	126,810	129,611	132,412	135,213	138,014	140,815			
31%	98,850	101,601	104,402	107,203	110,004	112,805	115,606	118,407	121,208	124,009	126,810	129,611	132,412	135,213	138,014	140,815	143,616			
32%	101,655	104,402	107,203	110,004	112,805	115,606	118,407	121,208	124,009	126,810	129,611	132,412	135,213	138,014	140,815	143,616	146,417			
33%	104,460	107,203	110,004	112,805	115,606	118,407	121,208	124,009	126,810	129,611	132,412	135,213	138,014	140,815	143,616	146,417	149,218			
34%	107,265	110,004	112,805	115,606	118,407	121,208	124,009	126,810	129,611	132,412	135,213	138,014	140,815	143,616	146,417	149,218	152,019			
35%	110,070	112,805	115,606	118,407	121,208	124,009	126,810	129,611	132,412	135,213	138,014	140,815	143,616	146,417	149,218	152,019	154,820			
36%	112,875	115,606	118,407	121,208	124,009	126,810	129,611	132,412	135,213	138,014	140,815	143,616	146,417	149,218	152,019	154,820	157,621			
37%	115,680	118,407	121,208	124,009	126,810	129,611	132,412	135,213	138,014	140,815	143,616	146,417	149,218	152,019	154,820	157,621	160,422			
38%	118,485	121,208	124,009	126,810	129,611	132,412	135,213	138,014	140,815	143,616	146,417	149,218	152,019	154,820	157,621	160,422	163,223			
39%	121,290	124,009	126,810	129,611	132,412	135,213	138,014	140,815	143,616	146,417	149,218	152,019	154,820	157,621	160,422	163,223	166,024			
40%	124,095	126,810	129,611	132,412	135,213	138,014	140,815	143,616	146,417	149,218	152,019	154,820	157,621	160,422	163,223	166,024	168,825			
41%	126,900	129,611	132,412	135,213	138,014	140,815	143,616	146,417	149,218	152,019	154,820	157,621	160,422	163,223	166,024	168,825	171,626			
42%	129,705	132,412	135,213	138,014	140,815	143,616	146,417	149,218	152,019	154,820	157,621	160,422	163,223	166,024	168,825	171,626	174,427			
43%	132,510	135,213	138,014	140,815	143,616	146,417	149,218	152,019	154,820	157,621	160,422	163,223	166,024	168,825	171,626	174,427	177,228			
44%	135,315	138,014	140,815	143,616	146,417	149,218	152,019	154,820	157,621	160,422	163,223	166,024	168,825	171,626	174,427	177,228	180,029			
45%	138,120	140,815	143,616	146,417	149,218	152,019	154,820	157,621	160,422	163,223	166,024	168,825	171,626	174,427	177,228	180,029	182,830			
46%	140,925	143,616	146,417	149,218	152,019	154,820	157,621	160,422	163,223	166,024	168,825	171,626	174,427	177,228	180,029	182,830	185,631			
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49%	149,340	152,019	154,820	157,621	160,422	163,223	166,024	168,825	171,626	174,427	177,228	180,029	182,830	185,631	188,432	191,233	194,034			
50%	152,145	154,820	157,621	160,422	163,223	166,024	168,825	171,626	174,427	177,228	180,029	182,830	185,631	188,432	191,233	194,034	196,835			
51%	154,950	157,621	160,422	163,223	166,024	168,825	171,626	174,427	177,228	180,029	182,830	185,631	188,432	191,233						