



The Ark Children's Center
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2026-2027 REGISTRATION INFORMATION

At The Ark Children's Center, we believe that every student is an individual who has been created by God and has been blessed with special gifts. Our preschool celebrates children in a safe and nurturing environment, one that promotes play, self-discovery, problem solving, social and emotional growth, developmentally appropriate learning, preacademic readiness, and sensory experiences.

Registration begins in late January with currently enrolled students, followed by alumni families, Oakdale members, individuals on our mailing list, and then members of the community. All registration is processed through Brightwheel. Parents will need to access Brightwheel to complete required paperwork, sign multiple contracts, and make payments before receiving confirmation of enrollment. Once you've been billed and have submitted all required payments—application fee, materials fee, and the first tuition installment (listed below)—your enrollment is confirmed. Please complete the registration process as soon as possible, as classes fill quickly.

2026-2027 School Year Program Offerings:

Program offerings are subject to change based on enrollment.

Program		Days	Hours	Yearly Rate	Monthly Installment Rate	
2's	2 day	MT	8:30-12:00	\$4,100.00	\$410.00	<i>Must be 2 by Sept. 1, 2026</i>
2's	3 day	W-F	8:30-12:30	\$6,930.00	\$693.00	<i>Recommend age 2 ½ by September, 2026</i>
3's	2 day	MT	8:30-12:30	\$3,900.00	\$390.00	
3's	3 day	W-F	8:30-12:30	\$4,950.00	\$495.00	
3's	4 day	M-Th	8:30-12:30	\$5,750.00	\$575.00	
4's	3 day	W-F	8:30-12:30	\$4,950.00	\$495.00	
4's	5 day	M-F	8:30-12:30	\$7,400.00	\$740.00	
Aftercare		M-F	12:30-2:30	\$30/day billed biweekly		<i>Must be enrolled in 3's or 4's classes to attend</i>

Registration Fees:

1. **Application Fee – \$100.00** (1st child, \$50 each additional sibling) *non-refundable*.
2. **Materials Fee – \$125.00** per child (non-refundable after July 1st).
3. **First tuition installment payment** (non-refundable after July 1st).

What is required for registration?

- **Registration Form**
- **Signed contracts:**
 1. Tuition Agreement
 2. Health & Safety Agreement
 3. Parent & General Consent Agreement
 4. Nut Policy Acknowledgement
- **Registration Fee** (outlined above)