

## **SCHOOL AGE CHILD CARE: Third Marking Period Program (02/01-04/14)**



**INFORMATION:** We are pleased to be able to continue to operate in our current locations for the Third Marking Period! We will continue to provide Wi-Fi access to complete virtual learning (parents must provide schedules, log-in information, electronic devices & headphones), arts and crafts, games, activity stations, and STEM & Literacy enrichments. Outdoor play will be utilized as we are able depending upon weather, sharing space with schools, site layout and restrictions. Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner will also be provided for FREE to the children via our partnership with Anne Arundel County Public Schools' Food and Nutrition Services.

**Current COVID-19 restrictions include the following:** children must remain in the same room the entire week, children & staff members must wear masks (except when eating), heightened sanitizing & social distancing will be in place, and temperature checks & health screenings are required upon arrival of staff and children. Parents may not enter the child care space and must also wear masks at all times. We will follow the guidance of the Health Department to close/alert the program as necessary if a child/staff member meets the symptom/exposure criteria to do so. If the program closes due to COVID, credits will be issued to parents. *Per the Maryland State Department of Education, please be aware that group sizes to previous child care capacity as long as social distancing can be maintained.*

**REGISTRATION/REFUND POLICY:** Please be aware that there is a minimum & maximum registration for each center. We will roll-over registration for the families we are currently serving before opening any remaining spaces to the public.

- **Third Marking Period Registration** for any available spaces is now open online on a first-come, first-serve basis. Interested parents must log in to their account, and register for the location they are interested in. Your child(ren) will be placed on the Wait List. Then, the Billing & Registration team will contact you if there are spaces available in the location of your choice. Your first payment will be due when you have been alerted that a space is available. *See below Third Marking Period Fee Schedule for more details.*
- **Payment & Refund Policy:** You must pay for the third marking period program on a bi-weekly basis two weeks ahead of service. If your needs should change during the marking period and your family no longer needs care, you must email us at [sacc@aacounty.org](mailto:sacc@aacounty.org) to withdraw from the program. A \$25 fee will be charged for all refunds due to withdrawal.
- **Holiday Closings:** All programs will be closed for President's Day (02/15) and Easter/Spring Break (04/01-04/05). Credits will be issued for these days.

### **THIRD MARKING PERIOD FEE SCHEDULE:**

<u>Payment Due Date</u>	<u>Child Care Service Period</u>	<u>Days Closed during the Service Period</u>	<u>Virtual Fee/ Bi-Wkly</u>
<i>Due upon Registration</i>	02/01/21-02/12/21		\$360.00
02/01/2021	02/16/21-02/26/21	02/15	\$324.00
02/15/2021	03/01/21-03/12/21		\$360.00
03/01/2021	03/15/21-03/26/21		\$360.00
03/15/2021	03/29/21-04/14/21**	04/01, 04/02 & 04/05	\$360.00

**\*\*Special note to be aware of for Service Period 03/29/21-04/14/21:** There are 13 days (rather than the usual 10 days) in the final service period. The 3 days SACC is closed equal out the 3 additional days of care, so the fee remains the same.

### **ELIGIBILITY:**

- **AGES:** Children must be at least 5yo & entering Kindergarten through 5<sup>th</sup> grade for the 2020-2021 school year to be eligible to attend.
- **STATE MANDATED FORMS:** Every child must have the State mandated forms completed and on file at the site on their first day.
- **TOILETING:** Children must be toilet trained. Your child must be able to be self-directed & self-sufficient in the restroom and able to care for their own hygiene needs.

### **LOCATIONS:**

- Arnold Senior Center (Arnold)
- Benfield Elementary School
- Davidsonville Elementary School
- Folger McKinsey Elementary School
- Freetown Elementary School
- Glendale Elementary School
- Hebron-Harman Elementary School
- High Point Elementary School
- Lake Shore Elementary School
- Mayo Elementary School
- Nantucket Elementary School
- O'Malley Senior Center (Odenton)
- Pasadena Elementary School
- South County Senior Center (Edgewater)

### **FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE:**

- Our office accepts Scholarships through the Department of Social Services for all school locations. Call DSS for more info: (866) 243-8796.