



A loving start for a brighter future...

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Our Child Care Center

At Above and Beyond Christian Child Care Center, LLC. (A&B) we strive to provide an age appropriate learning environment for children 1 year through 5th grade. Engaging activities, fun crafts, daily story time, Bible time, and well supervised playtime encourage each child to learn and explore through a variety of experiences. Our staff will guide, support, and lovingly nurture them toward their God-given potential. We recognize that each child develops differently, but that each needs the opportunity to explore the world around them in creative ways that engage each of their senses in a safe, clean, and loving environment.

Educational Philosophy

We believe in balance. Learning should be fun! Learning should be hands-on and eye-opening. Play centers and activities promote cognitive development through music, movement, art and sensory play, and daily reading experiences. Fine motor activities prepare children for writing and cutting. Play time inside and out allow for social growth and development. We recognize that children are social, physical, cognitive, creative, emotional, and spiritual beings so we run our daycare accordingly, meeting the needs of the whole child.

Program Description

1-year old class: Learn through play. The day is spent in a variety of spaces where the toddler is engaged in playful, multisensory learning. Most of the training in this room focuses on social and emotional development, independence, fine and gross motor skills, and language development.

2-year-old class: Introduction to structured learning. Although the day is still centered on a large amount of exploratory and play learning, the children are encouraged to participate in periods of more structured learning during circle times. Social development and independence are still a priority.

3-year-old class: Formal learning begins. The child is considered a true preschooler and the day begins to take the shape of a real school day still offering a large portion of the day to play. The learning time is structured, but creative, fun, and multi-faceted.

4-year-old pre-k class: Introduction to kindergarten. These specially designed classes lay a solid foundation for future learning. The goals include solid number and letter recognition, beginning reading skills, handwriting, and exploring basic science, geography, social studies, health, and math.

Before and After School Care: Flexibility.
 Time may be spent quietly to rest or receive homework support. Playtime is available to socialize and use up energy. We seek to optimize the time each child spends at our center as we meet their individual needs.

Calendar

Closed on these days:

- Labor Day
- Thanksgiving Day and the Friday after
- 3:00 Christmas Eve, Christmas Day
- 3:00 New Year’s Eve, New Year’s Day
- Good Friday
- Memorial Day
- Staff in-service day (early June)
- Independence Day
- Staff in-service day (end of August)

A Typical Day

(Schedules vary with child’s age level.)

6:30 – 9:00	Free Play
9:00 – 11:30	Opening activities
	Bible Story
	Snack
	Free Play
	Story time
11:30 – 12:15	Lunch
12:15 – 1:00	Play time
1:00 – 3:00	Nap time
3:00 – 3:45	Bathroom/Snack time
3:45 – 5:30	Play time

Tuition & Fees

1. Check out the website for individual rates based on the child’s age.
 **Subject to change.
2. Part- time students must keep the same days every week.
3. Multiple children discount.
4. Registration fee is \$60 (non-refundable).
5. Pre-k 4’s book/material fee of \$25 is assessed in August
6. *****No credits for vacations or sick days.*****
7. Open year-round, Monday to Friday, 6:30 am to 5:30 pm. See website for before and after- school care and preschool times.
8. Transportation provided by South Western School District to all four elementary schools.

Facility Description

We provide a large, secure facility with five classrooms and a kitchen. Each classroom has a restroom and sink easily accessible to the children. Cleaning staff routinely sanitizes and properly cleans every room each evening. The facility is always locked when the children are inside. There is a large area for outdoor play with plenty of room to run. Our facility is inspected yearly by the state. Please call

ahead to schedule a tour. We would love to show you all we have to offer.

Staff

We love kids! Although we are a new facility, our caring staff is very experienced and highly qualified. Each teacher is required to maintain all state required clearances, complete six hours of health and safety training, an additional six hours in state approved curricula yearly, and is certified in first aid and CPR. We comply with all DHS codes and regulations. Our facility is a member of the Keystone STARS program.

Above and Beyond Christian Child Care Center, LLC’s admissions, the provision of services, and referrals of clients shall be made without regard to race, color, religious creed, disability, ancestry, national origin (including limited English proficiency), age, or sex. Program services shall be made accessible to eligible persons with disabilities through the most practical and economically feasible methods available. These methods include, but are not limited to, equipment redesign, the provision of information and assistance to obtain aides, and the use of alternative service delivery locations. Structural modification shall be considered only as a last resort among available methods.