



Mt. Airy Daycare & Learning Center, Inc.
 MSDE Accredited License # 47525
 605 Ridge Avenue Mt. Airy, MD 21771

Spring Newsletter

2022-2023

Preschool Registration

We are very enthusiastic about the year ahead of us and have a variety of programs to offer for all your various needs. As an MSDE Accredited Center and a proud participant in MD EXCELS, we are excited to offer families we serve a high-quality program with degreed teachers! Please see below all we have to offer!

Pre-School 2's (Room 2)	Class Times	MADLC Rates For 2022-2023
Tuesday / Thursday	9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.	\$250.00 per month
Tuesday / Thursday	12:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.	\$250.00 per month
Monday / Wednesday / Friday	9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.	\$360.00 per month
Monday / Wednesday / Friday	12:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.	\$360.00 per month
Tuesday / Thursdays FULL DAY	9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.	\$400.00 per month
Monday / Wednesday / Friday FULL DAY	9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.	\$450.00 per month
Monday – Friday FULL DAY	9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.	\$850.00 per month

Pre-School 3's (Room 5)	Class Times	MADLC Rates For 2022-2023
Tuesday / Thursday	9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.	\$228.00 per month
Monday / Wednesday / Friday	9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.	\$278.00 per month
Tuesday / Thursdays FULL DAY	9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.	\$370.00 per month
Monday / Wednesday / Friday FULL DAY	9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.	\$420.00 per month
Monday – Friday FULL DAY	9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.	\$790.00 per month

Pre-School 4's (Room 1)	Class Times	MADLC Rates For 2022-2023
Tuesday / Thursday FULL DAY	9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.	\$370.00 per month
Monday/ Wednesday/ Friday FULL DAY	9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.	\$420.00 per month
Monday – Friday FULL DAY	9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.	\$790.00 per month

We are still a full-service business with many offerings to our community! We provide care for children 18 months to 14 years of age. We offer before and after care for those children attending Carroll County Public Schools and Frederick County Public Schools, along with care for school closings. We have all day care for our working families ages 18 months to 5 years old with preschool. Our program includes age-appropriate activities that offer a variety and balance of child selected and teacher directed activities. The learning environment and lesson plans support social-emotional development, physical development, language and literacy, cognitive and mathematical thinking, social studies, and the arts. Our curriculum allows us the flexibility to meet the needs and address the unique interests of the children in our care. As we focus on changes in the world around us throughout the year, we also encourage and promote healthy lifestyles, nutritious eating, and safety awareness.



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Mark Your Calendars

Carroll County Public Schools

Monday, April 4, 2022	2 hours 45-minute early dismissal
Friday, April 15, 2022 – Monday, April 18, 2022	CLOSED
Monday, May 30, 2022	CLOSED

Frederick County Public Schools

Friday, April 15, 2022 – Friday, April 22, 2022	CLOSED
Friday, May 6, 2022	2-hour early dismissal
Friday, May 20, 2022	2-hour early dismissal
Monday, May 30, 2022	CLOSED

Preschool Classes

Friday, April 15, 2022-Friday, April 22, 2022	CLOSED
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Mt. Airy Daycare & Learning Center

Friday, April 15, 2022	CLOSED
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Mt. Airy Daycare & Learning Center
will be CLOSED on Friday, April 15th
In observance of Good Friday



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Springtime brings a lot of holidays and other fun events! The weather starts to get nicer and warmer; the days get a little longer, and everyone is constantly looking for excuses to get outside and do something fun together after a winter of being cooped up. Our children are looking forward to our annual Easter egg hunt. Finding hidden eggs is like a treasure hunt and it is one of the cutest traditions many families participate in. Below is the following class schedule.

PreK 2's	Thursday, April 14 th
PreK 3's	Wednesday, April 13 th
PreK 4's	Wednesday, April 13 th
Room 2 & 3	Wednesday, April 13 th
Room 4	Thursday, April 14 th

Please refer to your child's classroom email for specific times and details.



BIRTHDAYS THIS MONTH

Ms. Arden Monday, April 4th
 Ms. Karen Wednesday, April 13th



Spring Pictures

Please keep an eye out for your child's pictures. You should receive an email with the proofs. If you have not received notification, please call.

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Spring Teacher-Parent Conferences

Teachers will be sending out a pre-conference form. We are asking you to fill it out and send it back prior to your child's conference. With your help we can make the best use of time during your conference.

Conference Schedules:

PreK 2's	Tuesday, April 19 th
PreK 3's	Monday, April 18 th
PreK 4's	Monday, April 18 th
Room 2 & 3	Thursday, May 12 th
Room 4	Thursday, April 28 th

This is an opportunity to increase communication between school and home, keep parents informed about your child's progress, and develop a plan for your child's future. If the dates do not work please reach out to your child's teacher to make other arrangements.



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Reminders

Extra Clothes

Please take a few minutes to check your child's supply of extra clothes. Check to see that all clothes are appropriate for the season and still fit properly.

Emergency Information

It is critical that any changes in your home, work, or cell phone #s are updated with us. If there is an emergency with your child, we want to be able to reach you as quickly as possible. If we are not able to reach you, we will call the people listed as your emergency contacts. If you do have changes, please see Karen or Jeanie to make changes on the original Emergency Card.



E-Mail

If you have not already received e-mail and you would like to add your name to our list, please take a moment to let us know at the front desk.

Summer Camp

Our summer curriculum is designed to be fun and engaging while exploring our world through sight, sound and experience. The teachers will implement developmentally appropriate practices that encourage and support children to learn through play and self-discovery. A wide range of age-appropriate materials will be provided to allow the children to create, experiment, and discover. More information will be coming soon!

PreK Graduation

The children going into kindergarten next year will be graduating from PreK!!!! PreK 4's and Room 4's graduation will be held on Friday, May 20th. More details will be posted on our parent boards in your child's classrooms as well as through email.





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Family Resources

MSDE	410-549-6489
Child Protective Services	410-386-3434
Department of Social Services	410-857-6224
	1-800222-1222
Infant/Toddler and Child Find (Carroll County)	410-386-8340
(Frederick County)	301-694-1611
Zero to Three	202-683-1144
Carroll County Public Library	301-829-5290
Outreach Services	410-386-4450
Twin Ridge Elementary	240-236-2300
Parr's Ridge Elementary	301-829-6585
Mt. Airy Elementary	301-829-1515

Child Development: Learning About Books and Print

Your child was born to learn! From birth, your child is learning important language and literacy skills. He sees printed words and symbols all around him, on signs, in books, magazines, newspapers and many items in your home. You can help your child learn that the print tells us something. These skills will help your child learn to read and write.

Your Toddler

- Choose books that are not too long, and that have some words that repeat (The Little Engine that Could repeats the words "I think I can, I think I can..."). Point to words as you read them.
- Look at the cover of the book and talk about it. Soon your child will recognize favorite books by their covers.
- Ask your child to help read the book. Try letting your child "finish" the text. (For example, read the book The Three Little Pigs to your child. You say, "I'll huff and I'll puff", ask your child to finish the phrase and "I'll blow your house down".
- At breakfast point out the letters on the cereal box. When driving point out signs and say "we need to stop when we see a stop sign".
- Make a short storybook with your child. Have them draw a picture, then make up a story for your book.

Your Preschooler

- Read books to your preschooler every day. Be willing to read his favorites over and over again. Talk about the pictures and how they connect with the story. Point to the words when you read so your child knows the story is coming from print.
- Ask your child to help you read. Let your child "read" a favorite book to you using the pictures on the pages
- Help your child recognize a word that is large on a page that may go with a certain noise (ex. QUACK!)
- Write your child's name in various places at home so that she can begin to recognize it.

Want more suggestions Visit: [www. Readyatfive.org](http://www.Readyatfive.org)