



# 2021/2022 Fees and Rates

## Daily/Monthly Rates

Our Childcare and Early Learning Center rate is \$68 per day if you are registering for 2-4 days per week. Your monthly rate will vary depending on the total number of days you plan to attend each month. If you are full time at 5 days per week then you have a set rate at \$1,484 per month.

At this time, these rates are subject to change with 30 days written notice from Little Forest Dwellers ELC.

Withdrawal: One calendar month written notice to the Director is required if a parent chooses to withdraw their child from the program. Otherwise, one month's tuition will be forfeited.

Please note that we close on all statutory holidays, as well as one week for winter break and 3 professional development days through the year. These are all paid closed days.

**\*We have a non-refundable registration fee of \$100 per application\***

## Drop-In Fees

If you are registered for 2-4 days a week, and require a drop-in day, the fee will be \$68 for the day. This is subject to space available on that day.

## Late Fees

Our hours are from 7:00AM-5:00PM. You are required to pick up before 5:00M. In the case you are unable to pick up before this time, a late fee of \$1/minute will be charged.

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## Subsidy

We are an Alberta licensed day care facility, so you may be able apply for subsidy funding if you meet the eligibility criteria. For more details please visit <https://www.alberta.ca/child-care-subsidy.aspx>.



# Daily Rhythm

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**Our Full day is from 7:00 am – 5:00 pm.**

We would like your child to be dropped off before 8:30am so they can have time for free play before our morning gathering at 9:00am. You can pick up your child anytime between 3:00-5:00pm.

*\*Meals are not provided. Children must bring their own lunch, snacks and containers.\**

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**7:00-9:00 AM Arrival & Indoor Play/Exploration (outdoor when weather permits):**

*Engaging Invitations to Play, Create and Learn, Individual Sensory Bins, Free Play & Building*

This is child-led and teacher supported and will include, but will not be limited to: Process Art, Dance, Music, Science, Math, Literacy, Physical Education, and Health and Wellness.

**9:00-9:30 AM Morning Gathering & Meditation:**

*Community Building, Sharing Stories, Songs and Activities.*

Children are invited to attend the morning gathering, and have choice in what we do during it.

**9:30-10:00 AM Snack (indoors)**

**10:00-11:30 AM Outside Play and Exploration**

*Engaging Invitations to Play, Create and Learn, Sensory Play, Free Play, Building & Small World*

This is child-led and teacher supported and will include, but will not be limited to: Sand and Water Tables, Process Art, Dance, Music, Science, Math, Literacy, Physical Education, and Health and Wellness

**11:30 AM-12:00 PM Lunch (indoors)**

**12:00-2:00 PM Nap Time & Quiet Time (outdoor when weather permits)**

Children who require a nap will nap in our napping area, and children who do not have a nap will have quiet activities to choose from such as: reading, resting, yoga, building, puzzles, creating art, etc.

**2:00 PM Snack (indoors)**

**2:30-5:00 PM Outside Play and Exploration**

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