

## **SCHOOL AGE AND SUMMER CAMP**

Your school age child, 6—12 years old, will experience an innovative program when public/religious schools are closed due to inclement weather or other school closings. This exciting program fosters a child's need to learn through social and recreational activities with their friends. Our program creates safe and fun "neighborhoods" that allow children to enjoy experiences that they do not have at school.

Our summer camp program fosters involvement in enriched art activities, science, cooking, drama, computers, games, and music. Your child will be able to participate in a variety of clubs, enjoy interesting and fun field trips, and be introduced to a variety of sports or other activities.

Our teachers are trained in the unique social and emotional needs of school age children and with the child's input, can create experiences that foster that critical development.



## **STAFFING**

Our Staff is well experienced and has educational preparation in child development. Our staff members are carefully screened and are selected based on a list of qualifications, experiences, personal characteristics and capabilities. Each staff member is trained in First Aid and CPR.

## **ENROLLMENT AND TUITION**

Kids Count Child Center is open to you to enroll your child on either a full time or part time schedule. You are required to complete the admission papers and provide the center with medical and immunization records and a \$50 non-refundable registration fee regardless of the schedule. There will also be a one week deposit required upon enrollment as well.

Our Tuition fees are based upon the age of the enrolled child and the program you choose. We offer one week's vacation and a comfortable mat to be used at naptime.

## **HOURS OF OPERATION**

To accommodate parents with a variety of work schedules, our hours of operation are Monday-Friday from 7:00 AM to 6:30 PM. Should a child be picked up after closing time, a late fee of \$10 for the first fifteen minutes and a \$1.00 each additional minute is charged. We are closed only on major holidays.

## **PARENT INVOLVMENT**

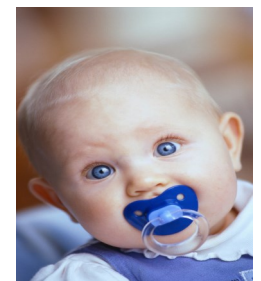
We have an open door policy where parents may visit their children at any time without appointment. However, for older classes we encourage that our parents wait until after "school hours." Individual Parent/Teacher Conferences are scheduled twice a year for the older classes. Nevertheless, beginning and end of the day interaction between parents and teachers is always encouraged.

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# **KIDS COUNT CHILD CENTER**

Where your Child is Always  
**# 1**



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## OUR HISTORY

Welcome to Kids Count Child Center with over 30 years experience in the education field, our center adheres to the same high quality standards our loyal families have come to expect over the years. We feel children learn best by experiencing the world and its wonders first hand by touching, tasting, smelling, and hearing. With guidance and support from understanding adults, children gain knowledge and experience about their world.

## OUR PHILOSOPHY

Our philosophy at Kids Count is a program designed with a structured curriculum to promote growth and enhance each child's cognitive, language, social, emotional, physical, and creative development. We hope to create a lifetime of memories and experiences for children to keep.

## OUR CLASSROOMS

Our classrooms are organized, yet comfortable and child focused. At Kids Count, we have found a way to balance structure and freedom. Children need structure and boundaries for security, but must have a good deal of freedom of choice and movement. We offer specific activities to further develop and refine skills in language, art, music, listening, gross motor ability, and increased awareness of self.

# KIDS COUNT CHILD CENTER PROGRAMS



## INFANTS

Our Infant Program is a unique and enjoyable one. Infants and Toddlers are learning with caring and loving teachers in a homelike setting. This program is designed to enhance optimal development of the very young child through singing, moving, imitating, playing, thinking, and laughing.

## TODDLERS

Toddlers are busy, busy little learners with lots of things to explore. We specialize in channeling all that energy into things that help toddlers learn and grow. The Toddlers learn through age-appropriate activities to improve coordination, increase verbal skills, and learn to problem solve.

## PRE-SCHOOL

Preschoolers are like sponges, they soak up knowledge. Social, verbal, cognitive and physical skills are built through activities that engage children. Our Pre-School Program maintains a quality curriculum which features a mix of readiness activities and educational materials. Books, puzzles, blocks, sand and water tables, cooking, dramatic play, and art supplies are used to promote creativity and individual expression.

## PRE-KINDERGARTEN

Our Pre-Kindergarten Program has been designed to ensure your child's academic success by building self-confidence and enhancing skills for intellectual, physical, emotional, and social growth. We offer the latest most well-researched learning materials. The integration of computers extends the curriculum even further. Your child will experience emergent literacy, math, and science activities to stimulate their active imagination and natural curiosity for learning.

## KINDERGARTEN

Our Kindergarten Program allows a child's first experience to sparkle with wonder and delight. Our certified teacher provides activities for creative exploration in language arts and reading with "Land of the Letter People," math, literature, science, art, movement and cooking. A connection is designed to bring together children, teachers, and parents and to intensify the inter-relationship among them. Within our comfortable encouraging environment, children deepen knowledge free from fear of mistakes and failure.

