

THE CHILDREN'S SCHOOL
TUITION BREAKDOWN 2011–2012

Under Act 62, the State of Vermont helps to publicly fund prekindergarten education for 3-5 year olds. As both a NAEYC and 4 STARS accredited program, The Children's School exceeds the quality standards that allow us to participate in public funding as a partnering provider. We work hard to offer this benefit to our families. As a result, families residing in the Burlington, South Burlington, Winooski, and CSSU districts receive significant tuition assistance to attend our preschool program, as shown in the chart below. While this funding assists the large majority of our families, The Children's School has also chosen to provide a discount to those families who reside in non-funding districts.

Program	Tuition	TCS Discount for non-funded families	Burlington, CSSU & South Burlington Tuition after Discount (District Discount \$2600*)	Winooski District Tuition after Discount (Discount is \$2400*)
		Tuition after Discount		
T/TH Morning 8-12	\$3160	\$750	\$1080 (80% of 10 hour minimum: Discount is \$2080)	\$1240 (80% of 10 hour minimum: Discount is \$1920)
		\$2410		
MWF Morning 8-12	\$4740	\$1120	\$2140	\$2340
		\$3620		
M-F Morning 8-12	\$7900	\$1870	\$5300	\$5500
		\$6030		
T/TH All Day 8-5:30	\$4260	\$490	\$1660	\$1860
		\$3770		
MWF All Day 8-5:30	\$6390	\$740	\$3790	\$3990
		\$5650		
M-F All Day 8-5:30	\$10,650	\$1220	\$8050	\$8250
		\$9430		

*These numbers are based on dollar amounts given by the school districts for the 2010-2011 school year. Although districts are hoping to fund at the same levels for the 2011-2012 school year there is no guarantee this will be the case. Updated school district amounts will be published in late August after the towns have approved their school budgets and the legislature has approved the state budget.

An \$85.00/\$150 non-refundable registration fee is due with the application. A non-refundable \$100 deposit and 15% of the tuition are due before the beginning of the school year. The Children's School offers a 10% family discount on the tuition of your second child if both children are attending during the same school year.

****Please note that our All Day rates have increased due to an increase in hours for our All Day program****