

## **Our Lady of the Valley Child Care Center**

### **SCHOOL AGE PROGRAM**

Our Lady's Child Care Center offers care for children Kindergarten to 10 yrs of age, during non-school days. This includes Christmas, winter and spring vacation, in-service days, parent conference days, some holidays, some snow days, and any other day that school is closed and our center is open. If your child turns 10 during the school year then care will end at the end of the school year. If your child turns 10 during the summer then care will end at the end of summer. Parents must notify Our Lady's Child Care Center at least 1 full week in advance prior to bringing their child to the center for a non- school day. If there is a snow storm we ask that you please call that morning to confirm that we are open. Priority space is given to children of siblings that are currently enrolled with us or are parishioners of Our Lady of the Valley Parish.

If you are only enrolling in the summer program and/or school vacation weeks then the last week of tuition does not need to be paid up front. Your child is welcome any number of weeks, you only pay for the weeks your child is enrolled. Children that are currently enrolled in the before and after school program will have priority for the school vacation slots.

The school age program also covers care for before and after school. It runs on the Child Care schedule of Monday through Friday from 7:00 a.m until 5:30 p.m. The scheduled holiday closings apply to the school age program. A one time non-refundable enrollment fee of \$25.00 will be charged upon enrolling your child into the program. If your child is a preschooler and becomes old enough to enter the school age program the registration fee does not have to be paid again. The first and last week of tuition will be required. Children can be enrolled in our before school care, after school care or both. Those enrolled in the before and/or after school are automatically enrolled in the non-school days during the school year. You must let the director know if you will require summer care.

We will walk children to and from the Center-Pepin complex from September 1 through December 1 and from April 1 through the end of school as we feel that .3 miles is an appropriate distance for the children to walk. However, since the winter months can bring very dangerous roads with snow and ice, very cold temperatures

and winds, it is not always safe for the children to walk; therefore a bus will be provided from December 1 through March 31. Children attending Maple Street School will walk to Pepin and take a bus to Maple Street. In the afternoon they will take a bus from Maple Street to Pepin and walk back to Our Lady's Child Care Center. Children with disabilities will be transported on the same bus as the other children if possible. If it is not possible, the Easthampton school system does provide busing for children with disabilities. Children must arrive before 8:05 am to take part in the school transitions. For more information see the transportation policy in our Parent Handbook.

**School Age Rates:**

Non-school days:

- Full non school days     \$30.00 per day
- Half non school days     \$25.00 per day
- 5 days a week             \$125.00 per week (school weeks & vacation weeks)

Before and After School Days:

- \$125.00 per week (doesn't change)
- \$75.00 per week (after school only) ( \$15 per afternoon)
- \$50.00 per week (mornings only) (\$10 per morning)

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My child will attend the following days per week:  
(Circle all that apply.)   Monday   Tuesday   Wednesday   Thursday   Friday

My child will attend:  
                    Before school     After school     Both

My child will attend non school days and vacation weeks:   Yes     No

My child will attend the summer program:     Yes     No