

Dane County Group Child Care Rates

2018



- Group programs in this report include regulated group centers, school age programs, preschools, and camps.
- Responses are based on an approximate 80% return rate.
- Previous 4-C rate surveys combined the 3-5 age range. Rates are now broken out by each age. N/A is used when no comparison is available.
- 2017 data results were from Fall 2016 - Spring 2017.
- 2018 data results were from Spring 2018 - Fall 2018.
- Madison refers to group programs that have a City of Madison address.
- Outside Madison refers to group programs who are in Dane County and do not have a City of Madison address. Examples are programs located in Fitchburg, Monona, Sun Prairie, DeForest, Verona, Waunakee, Mount Horeb, etc.
- City of Madison accreditation is a voluntary accreditation process based on a set of quality standards. The standards are designed to promote the optimal development of the child. For more information on City of Madison accreditation, please visit their website.

Dane County Group Center Rates Full Time Weekly Rates

Age	2018 Range	2018 Average	2018 Median	2017 Average	2017 Median	Median Change from 2017-2018
Infants (0-11 months)	\$185 - \$490	\$ 310.73	\$ 309.50	\$ 292.00	\$ 285.00	8.6%
1 year old	\$185 - \$448	\$ 305.63	\$ 305.00	\$ 288.00	\$ 287.00	8.7%
2 year old	\$165 - \$425	\$ 268.68	\$ 267.00	\$ 253.00	\$ 250.00	6.8%
3 year old	\$165 - \$367	\$ 252.67	\$ 250.00	\$ 239.00	\$ 231.00	8.2%
4 year old	\$140 - \$351	\$ 243.52	\$ 242.50	N/A	N/A	N/A
5 year old	\$120 - \$351	\$ 237.12	\$ 238.00	N/A	N/A	N/A
6 + year old	\$75 - \$335	\$ 221.63	\$ 220.00	N/A	\$ 213.00	3.3%

City of Madison Group Center Rates Full Time Weekly Rates

Age	2018 Range	2018 Average	2018 Median	2017 Average	2017 Median	Median Change from 2017-2018
Infants (0-11 months)	\$251 - \$490	\$ 335.40	\$ 330.00	\$ 312.00	\$ 297.00	11.1%
1 year old	\$250 - \$448	\$ 329.06	\$ 322.00	\$ 309.00	\$ 297.00	8.4%
2 year old	\$204 - \$425	\$ 286.08	\$ 280.00	\$ 267.00	\$ 260.00	7.7%
3 year old	\$170 - \$367	\$ 267.10	\$ 270.00	\$ 251.00	\$ 250.00	8.0%
4 year old	\$140 - \$351	\$ 255.65	\$ 259.00	N/A	N/A	N/A
5 year old	\$120 - \$351	\$ 252.26	\$ 253.28	N/A	N/A	N/A
6 + year old	\$120 - \$315	\$ 231.28	\$ 235.00	N/A	\$ 223.00	5.4%

Outside Madison Group Center Rates						
Full Time Weekly Rates						
Age	2018 Range	2018 Average	2018 Median	2017 Average	2017 Median	Median Change from 2017-2018
Infants (0-11 months)	\$185 - \$420	\$ 290.62	\$ 290.00	\$ 276.00	\$ 267.00	8.6%
1 year old	\$185 - \$390	\$ 286.05	\$ 280.00	\$ 271.00	\$ 263.00	6.5%
2 year old	\$165 - \$370	\$ 254.26	\$ 248.50	\$ 241.00	\$ 240.00	3.5%
3 year old	\$165 - \$370	\$ 240.98	\$ 240.00	\$ 228.00	\$ 235.00	2.1%
4 year old	\$165 - \$335	\$ 234.60	\$ 235.00	N/A	N/A	N/A
5 year old	\$150 - \$335	\$ 226.33	\$ 225.00	N/A	N/A	N/A
6 + year old	\$75 - \$335	\$ 215.82	\$ 210.00	N/A	\$ 207.00	1.4%

City of Madison Accredited Group Center Rates						
Full Time Weekly Rates						
Age	2018 Range	2018 Average	2018 Median	2017 Average	2017 Median	Median Change from 2017-2018
Infants (0-11 months)	\$250 - \$490	\$ 350.04	\$ 340.00	\$ 334.00	\$ 323.00	5.3%
1 year old	\$250 - \$448	\$ 339.26	\$ 329.50	\$ 334.00	\$ 328.00	0.5%
2 year old	\$217 - \$425	\$ 289.22	\$ 286.00	\$ 276.00	\$ 274.00	4.4%
3 year old	\$217 - \$351	\$ 270.04	\$ 262.00	\$ 261.00	\$ 260.00	0.8%
4 year old	\$206 - \$351	\$ 263.47	\$ 259.00	N/A	N/A	N/A
5 year old	\$205 - \$351	\$ 262.02	\$ 254.00	N/A	N/A	N/A
6 + year old	\$185 - \$306	\$ 233.51	\$ 238.78	N/A	\$ 233.00	2.5%

Dane County Group Center Rates							
Part Time Rates							
Age	Part Time Weekly Range	Part Time Weekly Average	Part Time Weekly Median	Part Time Daily Range	Part Time Daily Average	Part Time Daily Median	Part Time Hourly Median
Infants (0-11 months)	\$82 - \$339	\$ 239.69	\$ 243.00	\$50 - \$81	\$ 66.13	\$ 66.50	\$ 12.00
1 year old	\$54 - \$327	\$ 230.34	\$ 236.50	\$50 - \$81	\$ 66.72	\$ 66.50	\$ 12.00
2 year old	\$72 - \$296	\$ 195.50	\$ 200.00	\$23 - \$75	\$ 56.89	\$ 57.00	\$ 12.00
3 year old	\$65 - \$295	\$ 175.77	\$ 178.00	\$22 - \$80	\$ 53.75	\$ 54.50	\$ 10.00
4 year old	\$65 - \$250	\$ 163.84	\$ 166.50	\$22 - \$75	\$ 51.52	\$ 54.00	\$ 9.00
5 year old	\$90 - \$250	\$ 167.81	\$ 170.00	\$15 - \$80	\$ 51.24	\$ 54.00	\$ 9.00
6 + year old	\$70 - \$250	\$ 147.87	\$ 150.00	\$12 - \$92	\$ 46.13	\$ 45.00	\$ 10.00

Dane County Group Center Rates Before and After School Rates			
Weekly Before School Median	Hourly Part Time Before School Median	Weekly After School Median	Hourly Part Time After School Median
\$ 54.50	\$ 7.75	\$ 94.00	\$ 10.50

- Family discounts vary by program ranging from 5% to 15% off sibling tuition rates.
- One time and yearly enrollment fees range from \$25 - \$300 per child.
- Late pick up fees vary from \$1 per minute to \$25 for every 15 minutes. The majority of programs charged \$1 per minute.

