

2023

Group Center Child Care Rates

Dane County



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- Group programs in this report include regulated group centers, school age programs, preschools, camps, and license exempt programs that are participating in YoungStar.
- Responses are based on **approximately 75% return rate**.
- If a program only offered full time monthly rates, full time weekly rates were converted by dividing the monthly rate by 4.348.
- 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. This includes programs located in Fitchburg, Monona, Sun Prairie, DeForest, Verona, Waunakee, Mt. 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 Care Rates - Full Time Weekly Rates

Age	2023 Range	2023 Average	2023 Median	2022 Median	Median Change from 2022-2023
Infants (0-11 months)	\$210 - \$597	\$397.78	\$380.50	\$350.00	9.0%
1 year old	\$210 - \$536	\$383.93	\$375.00	\$343.00	9.0%
2 year old	\$190 - \$470	\$333.12	\$328.87	\$301.00	9.0%
3 year old	\$170 - \$462	\$309.76	\$308.00	\$285.00	8.0%
4 year old	\$110 - \$431	\$296.64	\$289.00	\$276.38	5.0%
5 year old	\$90 - \$431	\$284.78	\$280.00	\$262.00	7.0%
6 year old	\$ 90 - \$416	\$267.60	\$264.00	\$259.50	2.0%

City of Madison Group Center Rates - Full Time Weekly Rates

Age	2023 Range	2023 Average	2023 Median	2022 Median	Median Change from 2022-2023
Infants (0-11 months)	\$210 - \$597	\$420.76	\$420.00	\$391.00	7.0%
1 year old	\$210 - \$536	\$416.76	\$425.00	\$390.00	9.0%
2 year old	\$190 - \$470	\$360.45	\$327.00	\$340.00	8.0%
3 year old	\$190 - \$462	\$333.28	\$335.79	\$315.00	7.0%
4 year old	\$190 - \$416	\$321.25	\$327.87	\$300.00	9.0%
5 year old	\$190 - \$416	\$315.01	\$320.00	\$294.00	9.0%
6 + year old	\$108 - \$416	\$297.90	\$312.00	\$277.50	12.0%

Outside Madison Group Center Rates - Full Time Weekly Rates

Age	2023 Range	2023 Average	2023 Median	2022 Median	Median Change from 2022-2023
Infants (0-11 months)	\$220 - \$533	\$352.57	\$345.00	\$332.50	4.0%
1 year old	\$220 - \$521	\$347.39	\$340.00	\$322.00	6.0%
2 year old	\$190 - \$459	\$303.49	\$299.00	\$285.00	5.0%
3 year old	\$170 - \$418	\$284.02	\$282.94	\$275.00	3.0%
4 year old	\$110 - \$431	\$271.72	\$270.00	\$260.00	4.0%
5 year old	\$101 - \$431	\$257.22	\$265.00	\$255.00	4.0%
6 + year old	\$110 - \$394	\$246.30	\$240.00	\$240.00	0.0%

City of Madison Accredited Group Center Rates - Full Time Weekly Rates

Age	2023 Range	2023 Average	2023 Median	2022 Median	Median Change from 2022-2023
Infants (0-11 months)	\$335 - \$558	\$439.69	\$460.00	\$433.52	6.0%
1 year old	\$312 - \$525	\$436.25	\$443.88	\$420.08	6.0%
2 year old	\$271 - \$460	\$369.72	\$375.00	\$352.00	7.0%
3 year old	\$250 - \$428	\$339.16	\$346.00	\$320.00	8.0%
4 year old	\$213 - \$403	\$324.68	\$331.00	\$304.02	9.0%
5 year old	\$190 - \$395	\$316.20	\$322.38	\$298.00	9.0%
6 + year old	\$108 - \$395	\$292.23	\$297.00	\$290.62	2.0%

Dane County Accredited Group Center Rates - Full Time Weekly Rates

Age	2023 Range	2023 Average	2023 Median	2022 Median	Median Change from 2022-2023
Infants (0-11 months)	\$335 - \$597	\$431.09	\$425.00	\$392.00	8.0%
1 year old	\$312 - \$536	\$425.74	\$431.00	\$390.00	11.0%
2 year old	\$271 - \$460	\$365.32	\$367.76	\$344.00	7.0%
3 year old	\$250 - \$428	\$335.42	\$340.00	\$314.50	8.0%
4 year old	\$188 - \$431	\$321.92	\$325.00	\$305.89	6.0%
5 year old	\$120 - \$431	\$310.86	\$311.00	\$290.00	7.0%
6 + year old	\$108 - \$395	\$294.02	\$290.00	\$283.00	2.0%

Dane County Group Center - Part Time Rates

Age	PT Weekly Range	PT Weekly Avg	PT Weekly Median	PT Daily Range	PT Daily Average	PT Daily Median	PT Hourly Median
Infants (0-11 months)	\$203 - \$430	\$296.16	\$268.50	\$50 - \$160	\$89.38	\$85.00	\$14.00
1 year old	\$203 - \$430	\$285.13	\$267.00	\$27 - \$160	\$79.39	\$79.60	\$13.00
2 year old	\$117- \$370	\$230.32	\$226.00	\$27 - \$144	\$65.90	\$60.00	\$13.00
3 year old	\$117- \$370	\$208.64	\$198.00	\$27 - \$126	\$61.09	\$60.00	\$11.00
4 year old	\$117- \$324	\$200.18	\$191.50	\$27 - \$126	\$59.62	\$60.00	\$11.00
5 year old	\$100 - \$324	\$191.36	\$185.00	\$16 - \$126	\$58.15	\$59.50	\$12.00
6 + year old	\$95 - \$320	\$170.75	\$150.00	\$16 - \$126	\$52.81	\$57.00	\$10.00

Dane County Group Center - 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
\$66.00	\$8.50	\$120.00	\$12.00

Dane County Group Center - Discounts & Additional Fees

- Family discounts vary from program ranging from 5% to 15% off sibling tuition rates.
- One Time and Yearly Enrollment Fees range from \$10 - \$300 per child.
- Late Pick Up Fees varies from \$1 per minute up to \$50 for every hour. The majority of programs charged \$1 per minute.

