C.A.R.E. Academy LLC
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Fee Schedule
FOR THE 2026-2027 SCHOOL YEAR
Effective 07/27/2026

REGISTRATION FEE: $150 PER CHILD (HEROES 50% OFF) | ANNUAL ENROLLMENT FEE: $100 PER CHILD

RATE OPTIONS

Full-Time: Weekly

Equivalent	Infant 6 wk-12 M	Toddler 12 M-2.5 yrs	Preschool 2.6 yrs- 3.5 yrs	3K (3 years old by 9/1)	4K (Private Pay, 4 years old by 9/1)	4K (SC First Steps, 4 years old by 9/1)
Week	**$352**	**$352**	**$347**	**$314**	**$314**	**Free**
*Daily and hourly amounts are provided for comparison purposes only. C.A.R.E. Academy offers weekly tuition only. We do not offer daily or hourly care rates.						
Day	$70.40	$70.40	$69.40	$62.80	$62.80	$0.00
Hour	$6.40	$6.40	$6.31	$5.71	$5.71	$0.00

C.A.R.E. Flex Plan and C.A.R.E. Heroes: Weekly 3 Days

Equivalent	Infant 6 wk-12 M	Toddler 12 M-2.5 yrs	Preschool 2.6 yrs- 3.5 yrs	3K (3 years old by 9/1)	4K (Private Pay, 4 years old by 9/1)	4K (SC First Steps, 4 years old by 9/1)
Week	**$325**	**$325**	**$320**	**$290**	**$290**	**Free**
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Day	$108.33	$108.33	$106.67	$96.67	$96.67	$0.00
Hour	$9.85	$9.85	$9.70	$8.79	$8.79	$0.00

C.A.R.E. Flex Plan and C.A.R.E. Heroes: Weekly 2 Days

Equivalent	Infant 6 wk-12 M	Toddler 12 M-2.5 yrs	Preschool 2.6 yrs- 3.5 yrs	3K (3 years old by 9/1)	4K (Private Pay, 4 years old by 9/1)	4K (SC First Steps, 4 years old by 9/1)
Week	**$300**	**$300**	**$295**	**$265**	**$265**	**Free**
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Day	$150.00	$150.00	$147.50	$132.50	$132.50	$0.00
Hour	$13.64	$13.64	$13.41	$12.05	$12.05	$0.00

Part-time: Weekly MWF

Equivalent	Infant 6 wk-12 M	Toddler 12 M-2.5 yrs	Preschool 2.6 yrs- 3.5 yrs	3K (3 years old by 9/1)	4K (Private Pay, 4 years old by 9/1)	4K (SC First Steps, 4 years old by 9/1)
Week	**$213**	**$213**	**$210**	**$210**	**$210**	**Free**
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Day	$71.00	$71.00	$70.00	$70.00	$70.00	$0.00
Hour	$6.45	$6.45	$6.36	$6.36	$6.36	$0.00

Part-time: Weekly TTH

Equivalent	Infant 6 wk-12 M	Toddler 12 M-2.5 yrs	Preschool 2.6 yrs- 3.5 yrs	3K (3 years old by 9/1)	4K (Private Pay, 4 years old by 9/1)	4K (SC First Steps, 4 years old by 9/1)
Week	**$150**	**$150**	**$148**	**$148**	**$148**	**Free**
*Daily and hourly amounts are provided for comparison purposes only. C.A.R.E. Academy offers weekly tuition only. We do not offer daily or hourly care rates.						
Day	$75.00	$75.00	$74.00	$74.00	$74.00	$0.00
Hour	$6.82	$6.82	$6.73	$6.73	$6.73	$0.00

Before/After School

	Before Only	After Only	Before and After
Per week	$70	$130	$195.00

***Payments are due weekly on Fridays at 6pm. All payments are made on the Playground App. Checks and Cash are not accepted.**

Updated: 11/06/2026

C.A.R.E. Academy — Understanding Your Enrollment Options

Enrollment Plan	Attendance	Scheduling
Full-Time	Up to 5 days/week	Monday–Friday
Part-Time 3-Day	3 days/week	Monday, Wednesday, Friday
Part-Time 2-Day	2 days/week	Tuesday, Thursday
C.A.R.E. Flex 3-Day	Any 3 weekdays/week	Rotating, scheduled 2 weeks ahead
C.A.R.E. Flex 2-Day	Any 2 weekdays/week	Rotating, scheduled 2 weeks ahead
C.A.R.E. Heroes	2 or 3 days/week	Same scheduling as Flex
Before/After School	Before school, after school, or both	Based on school transportation and program availability

How each program works

Full-Time Enrollment

Designed for families needing consistent, Monday–Friday childcare. Tuition reserves the child's space for the full week, whether the child attends every day or not. This option offers the greatest attendance flexibility without requiring weekly scheduling.

Traditional Part-Time — 3 Days

Children attend Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. These days are fixed and cannot be exchanged for other weekdays. This option is ideal for families with consistent childcare needs who do not require full-time care.

Traditional Part-Time — 2 Days

Children attend Tuesday and Thursday each week. This is a fixed schedule and does not include exchanging or making up missed days.

C.A.R.E. Flex — 2 or 3 Days

Created for families with rotating work schedules or changing childcare needs. Families select any two or three weekdays each week, provided their schedules are submitted at least two weeks in advance.

Families commit to their selected two-day or three-day plan for a minimum of 90 days. Weekly tuition remains consistent regardless of attendance, and scheduled days cannot be changed after confirmation except with administrative approval and availability.

Flex tuition is higher than traditional part-time tuition because the Academy must reserve classroom capacity for changing attendance days.

C.A.R.E. Heroes — 2 or 3 Days

Designed to recognize families serving our community, civilian firefighters, EMTs, paramedics, and law enforcement officers.

C.A.R.E. Heroes includes all the benefits and requirements of C.A.R.E. Flex, with an additional 50% discount on the registration fee.

Weekly tuition is identical to C.A.R.E. Flex. The Heroes benefit does not include an additional weekly tuition discount. Benefit begins 11/01/2026.

Before & After School Care

Designed for school-age children who need supervised care before the school day begins, after dismissal, or both.

Services may include transportation to and from designated partner schools, supervised activities, and age-appropriate enrichment. Availability, schedules, and tuition depend on the services selected.

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Proposed tuition comparison

Enrollment Option	Infants–2.5 yrs	Ages 2.6–3.5	Ages 3.5–5
Full-Time (5 days)	$352	$347	$314
Part-Time 3-Day (MWF)	$213	$210	$210
Part-Time 2-Day (T/Th)	$150	$148	$148
C.A.R.E. Flex 3-Day	$325	$320	$290
C.A.R.E. Flex 2-Day	$300	$295	$265
C.A.R.E. Heroes 3-Day	$325	$320	$290
C.A.R.E. Heroes 2-Day	$300	$295	$265