



# Aledo ISD Child Development Center

At the Aledo ISD Early Childhood Academy  
408 FM 1187, Aledo, TX 76008

The mission of the Aledo ISD Child Development Center is to provide a foundation of excellence in early childhood education for the employees of Aledo Independent School District.

The Aledo ISD Child Development Center will be housed in the new Aledo ISD Early Childhood Academy building, formerly Vandagriff Elementary. It is a unique childcare program that will encompass age-appropriate instruction and a nurturing environment with highly qualified instructors.

Children of Aledo ISD employees are encouraged to register. Grandchildren of employees will also be considered if space is available. Aledo ISD CDC will service children 6 weeks to 4 years of age with the exception of those turning 4 before September 1 who will transition to AISD free or tuition-based Pre-K, depending on qualifications.

## Hours and Operations

Aledo ISD Child Development Center is open Monday through Friday between 6:45 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. Aledo ISD CDC will follow the teacher calendar and will be open for all teacher workdays and professional development days (187 days per year). Hours for teacher workdays are from 7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. The center will not be open during school breaks, holidays or during the summer. Hours for Elementary school staff are from 6:45 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. and Secondary school staff are from 7:45 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

## Fees

Tuition will be based on classroom placement.

Non-refundable Registration fee: \$75 per family

Supply Fee: \$200 per year, per student for all new families entering into the 2024-2025 school year; \$100 in September and \$100 in January

Room (age)	Daily Rate	Cost Per Year	Monthly Rate 10 Months	Monthly Rate 12 Months
Infant (6 wks - 12 mos)	\$39	\$7,293	\$729.30	\$607.75
Toddler (12 mos - 24 mos)	\$38	\$7,106	\$710.60	\$592.16
Twos	\$37	\$6,919	\$691.90	\$576.58
Threes	\$37	\$6,919	\$691.90	\$576.58

## Payment

Registration fees will be collected through InTouch. It will be available after April 8 to register for the 2024-2025 school year. The registration fee is a non-refundable annual fee that will be collected each spring for the upcoming school year.

Currently enrolled students will be exempted under the current supply fee of \$150 per year, per student; \$75 in September and \$75 in January

A 10% sibling discount will be allowed for the oldest child enrolled or applied to the lowest amount of tuition. Tuition will not be prorated or discounted for any days that are missed due to illness or absences during the school year. This will also include days in which the district closes for inclement weather or otherwise deems it necessary to close.

## **Waitlist**

Currently, Aledo ISD CDC is open to registration for the 2024-2025 school year. Aledo ISD CDC is accepting registration paperwork on a first-come, first-serve basis. On April 15, a \$75 registration fee through InTouch will be required to secure your spot. We encourage you to fill out the registration form online or print, complete and return the form to Becky Albertson (Director) as soon as you are able. Please email paper registration forms to [ralbertson@aledoisd.org](mailto:ralbertson@aledoisd.org)

If the classroom roster is full, you will be placed on a waiting list. The registration fee will be good for one year.

## **Nutrition**

AM and PM snacks will be provided by the center. Breakfast will not be served but you may bring in breakfast with your child if they arrive prior to 8:00 AM. You may purchase lunch from the cafeteria using My School Bucks (ID's will be assigned at the beginning of the school year). Students may also bring their lunch. Your child will eat in the comfort and security of his or her classroom in an unhurried setting.

Infants not yet on table food will need to bring their own food from home including breastmilk, formula, and baby food. Bottles will need to be pre-made and ready to serve. We will not mix formula or defrost breastmilk to be poured into a bottle.

## **Communication**

Procure software will be used as the communication tool for our families. It will send real-time updates about your child's day. You will be able to send messages directly to your child's teacher and they can send messages back to you. Photos of your child can be sent through out the day. It will also be a portal for information on what your child is learning in class.

## **Curriculum**

Aledo ISD Child Development Center will be implementing Frog Street Curriculum in each of its classrooms. Frog Street Curriculum is based on early brain research that provides intentional, age-appropriate instruction for every age group, including infants.

## **Licensing and Regulation**

Aledo ISD Child Development Center will be regulated and licensed by the Texas Department of Health and Human Services.

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