



April 16, 2021

Dear Mother's Day Out Families,

We are so excited to announce our plans for the Fall 2021-2022 school year! This upcoming fall will look a little bit different than our Mother's Day Out in the past, but we have created a way for our students to get the part-time care and learning experience of a Mother's Day out program with our full-time class! We believe that this merge will allow for more social interaction and curriculum integration with the added benefit of the choice of a longer day. We are *completely* merging with our fellow classmates at The Willow Child Development Center and creating a 2-day Part-time program. This upcoming year is full of great perks while maintaining the integrity of our program. These perks include:

- Earlier drop off/later pick up times available (7 a.m. – 6 p.m.).
- Lunch and snacks are included (A.M./P.M. snacks and lunch).
- Comparable monthly tuition rate (\$225/month).
- Less closures due to school calendar changes.
- Classes ranging from 18 months to Kindergarten.
- Chapel/Holiday Events (covid-pending)/Summer activities

We realize this is a change from the past years, but we are excited to continue our Mother's Day program while offering the "extras" that our full-time children are afforded. Your family is important to us! Please feel free to reach out with any questions or concerns you might have. We will be happy to help in any way we can.

Sincerely,

Kristen Beasley

The Willow Director

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## **FAQ**

*Will there be a separate classroom for just the 2-Day part-time students?*

No, the students will be grouped in the same classrooms as our full-time Child Development Center program.

*Am I required to bring my child only on Mondays and Fridays or will I be able to choose different days for their attendance?*

Mondays and Fridays are the **only days** that students can attend using the 2-day part time program at \$225/month. We do this because the teachers have to plan/prepare for all activities and meals for our students. If you would like to have choice of days, you may opt for our 3-day program that is \$125/week.

*Can I still bring my child's lunch/snacks if I would like although the school will provide them?*

Yes, you may still bring your child's own lunch/snacks if you would like. We will only need you to sign our "nutritional waiver." Due to the fact that we are required to serve our students a specific portion of protein, vegetables, fruit and dairy per meal, the nutritional waiver does not hold us responsible to parent-made lunches.

*Can I still drop off and pick up at the original Mother's Day Out time of 9a-2pm?*

You are no longer required to drop off and pick up just between these times. You have the added benefit of dropping off and picking up anytime between 7a and 6pm. You may still drop off and pick up at the times of 9a and 2pm if you would like, but it does not adjust the price of the program.

*Will my child miss out on anything being grouped in the full-time class since they will only be in attendance Mondays and Fridays?*

We take great care to ensure that all of our major activities (including show n' tell/special days) take place during the times that our Part-time students are here. Chapel always takes place on Monday mornings and other special holiday events usually take place on a Fridays already. Any necessary curriculum activities that the students would have missed during the week, will be saved for them to do on either Monday or Friday so they will not miss out.

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