

BCC FEE STRUCTURE
September 1, 2021 - March 31, 2022

Children age 0-18 months old (Saplings)

	5 days	4 days	3 days	2 days	*1 day
RegularMonthly Rate	\$1,265	\$1,012	\$759	\$506	\$253
Fee Reduction	\$350	\$280	\$210	\$140	\$70
Rate with Fee Reduction	\$915	\$732	\$549	\$366	\$183

Children age 18-36 months old (Saplings/Maple)

	5 days	4 days	3 days	2 days	*1 day
RegularMonthly Rate	\$1,204	\$963	\$722	\$482	\$241
Fee Reduction	\$350	\$280	\$210	\$140	\$70
Rate with Fee Reduction	\$854	\$683	\$512	\$342	\$171

Children age 3-5 years old (Maple/Cedar)

	5 days	4 days	3 days	*2 days	*1 day
RegularMonthly Rate	\$1,143	\$914	\$686	\$457	\$229
Fee Reduction	\$100	\$80	\$60	\$40	\$20
Rate with Fee Reduction	\$1,043	\$834	\$626	\$417	\$209

AFTER SCHOOL CLUB FEE STRUCTURE
September 1, 2021 - June 30, 2022

After School Club Monthly Fees

Program	5 days	4 days	3 days	2 days	1 day
AM care – Gr 1+	\$180	\$144	\$108	\$72	\$36
<i>Fee Reduction</i>	(\$50)	(\$40)	(\$30)	(\$20)	(\$10)
**Kindergarten	\$130	\$104	\$78	\$52	\$26

PM Care Gr 1+	\$340	\$272	\$204	\$136	\$68
<i>Fee Reduction</i>	(\$50)	(\$40)	(\$30)	(\$20)	(\$10)
**Kindergarten	\$290	\$232	\$174	\$116	\$58
AM & PM Care Gr 1+	\$500	\$400	\$300	\$200	\$100
<i>Fee Reduction</i>	(\$100)	(\$80)	(\$60)	(\$40)	(\$20)
**Kindergarten	\$400	\$320	\$240	\$160	\$80
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Yearly registration fees per program per family	\$50.00
Deposit ASC	\$75.00
Deposit Cedar, Maple, Saplings	\$150.00

Notes on the above fee schedules:

Planned closures such as Summer and Winter breaks as well as Professional Development days have already been included in the fee structure in the Saplings, Maple and Cedar programs. The After School Club is based on the BICS calendar and will be billed accordingly. Family Place has a drop in fee of \$3 or a yearly membership of \$75.

- *There is a two day/week minimum at in our Saplings & Maple programs and a three day/week minimum in our Cedar program. There is currently no minimum for our After School Club programs.
- **Kindergarten age children attending school are eligible for the Child Care Fee Reduction based on their enrolment.
- *** Professional Development Days for children enrolled in After School Club camps are a flat rate of \$50 including snacks. Families please send a lunch for your child/ren.

Government Subsidies and Bowen Children’s Centre (BCC) Bursaries

The Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative (CCFRI):

The CCFRI is a government program that enhances child care affordability by offering funding to eligible, licensed child care providers to reduce and stabilize parents’ monthly child care fees. Child care providers must apply to receive funding. Parents do not need to apply. Approved providers (includes BCC) receive the following amounts to reduce parent fees for full-time care:

- \$350/month for group infant/toddler care
- \$100/month for group care for children aged 3 to Kindergarten
- Part-time care receives a pro-rated amount.

Affordable Child Care Benefit (ACCB)

The ACCB is available to eligible families. Eligible families with a combined income of \$111,000 per year may apply for this benefit on their own behalf. This would further reduce monthly child care fees. For more information go to:

And should you require help please email admin@bowenchildrenscentre.ca.

BCC Bursaries

Gail Taylor Bursary is a yearly fund supported by the Foxglove Fund at Bowen Island Community Foundation and serves families in three ways:

1. Extra support financial support is needed to send a child/ren to BCC's Education and Care programs (after applying for the ACCB).
2. If a family has a crisis during their child's year and extra financial support is required in order for a child/ren to remain at BCC
3. A child requires extra support for assessment and/or extra support in the classroom

Paul Tennant Community Fund is a designated fund to help support families with the cost of early childhood education and care at BCC.

For more information on the above funds, please contact the executive director at info@bowen-childrenscentre.ca and/or at 604-947-9626

Booking Arrangements for BCC Programs available each day as set out in

Regular Bookings

- Are bookings for two or more regular days each week on an ongoing basis (exception ASC where you can attend for one day/week)
- New regular bookings may be scheduled depending on space available
- You will be billed for regularly booked days whether or not your child attends

Drop-in

- Drop-in spaces are subject to availability and may be booked no more than two weeks in advance

Cancellation of Drop-in Days

- Drop-in bookings cancelled with less than 24 hours notice are billed in full

Closures

Preplanned closures (Statutory holiday, Professional Development days, etc.) are included in the monthly fees for Cedar, Maple and Saplings.

Billing explanation

- All BCC programs (with the exception of Family Place) have a limited number of spaces available each day as set out in the terms of its license, which dictates strict staff to child ratios.

- BCC is a registered charity and non-profit society that strives to maintain the highest standards of care and education while keeping rates as low as possible for our families
- Staff members must be scheduled in advance, based on projected bookings. While we understand that plans change and children are sometimes too unwell to attend the programs, once we have scheduled staff members to accommodate the bookings, we cannot cancel them on short notice. Therefore, we must charge for spaces as booked.

Child Care Tax Credit

- BCC issues tax receipts for all programs (except Family Place) yearly in early Spring (usually at the end of February) that families may use to claim the Child Care Tax Credit. These receipts reflect child care fees paid during the previous calendar year.

Schedule Changes and Withdrawal from the Programs

- Families who have a regular booking arrangement must give one month's written notice in the event that they decide to withdraw their child from the program or reduce the number of days booked. Alternatively, they may pay one month's fees in lieu of notice.