

SUPPORT, CARE, AND ENRICHMENT

YMCA CHILD CARE

PIERCE COUNTY INFORMATION

Program Details listed below for Peninsula, Clover Park and Franklin Pierce School Districts. For Tacoma School District, refer to Tacoma Pricing and Locations Information Sheet.

When Can I register for the 2025-26 School year?

April 16 Priority Registration for Current Participants & Incoming Kindergarteners*

June 1 Registration Opens to the Community

*Must be in Kindergarten. Transitional kindergartners are not eligible to enroll.

Registration Fee

\$50 per child and \$100 max per family | Non-refundable & non-transferrable Start Your registration fee here: Peninsula | Clover Park | Franklin Pierce

YMCA Membership Discounts

- » Kids get a FREE YMCA membership for fun activities like swim lessons and gymnastics. Families get 50% off memberships, too!
- » Contact our office for your family discount and check out amenities & programs at ymcapkc.org.

2025-2026 Before and After School Child Care Rates

Part-time and full-time care options are available. You'll select your days on the registration form. Use the table below for monthly costs. If a box says "Register for FT," it means the part-time rate is higher than full-time, so enroll in AM/PM Monday–Friday. You won't be charged more than the full-time rate.

	No Morning Care	1 Morning Per Week	2 Mornings Per Week	3 Mornings Per Week	4 Mornings Per Week	5 Mornings Per Week
No Afternoon Care		\$90/month	\$180/month	\$270/month	\$360/month	\$425/month
1 Afternoon per Week	\$97/month	\$187/month	\$277/month	\$367/month	\$457/month	\$522/month
2 Afternoons per Week	\$194/month	\$284/month	\$374/month	\$464/month	\$554/month	Register for FT
3 Afternoons per Week	\$291/month	\$381/month	\$471/month	\$561/month	Register for FT	Register for FT
4 Afternoons per Week	\$388/month	\$478/month	\$568/month	Register for FT	Register for FT	Register for FT
5 Afternoons per Week	\$450/month	\$540/month	Register for FT	Register for FT	Register for FT	\$605/month

Modified Schedule Pricing:

^{*}Clover Park Late Start Wednesday AM Care - \$97 per month

^{*}Franklin Pierce Early Release Wednesday AM Care - \$105 per month



*Peninsula Collaboration Participants must complete full packet and pay \$50 registration fee

What's included in the monthly fees?

Free YMCA membership is included for all participants. Families can receive a 50% membership discount. The care listed below is in addition to the regular school day:

<u>AM/PM Full Time Participants</u>: Late start, early release and half days are included in monthly cost. <u>PM Full Time Participants</u>: Half days are included in the monthly care cost. Sign Up is Required. <u>AM Full Time Participants</u>: Late start mornings are included in your monthly care cost.

Drop-In Care and Rates | Before and After School Program

Drop-in care is based on availability at each child care location.

<u>Current Participants</u> can add additional AM or PM care as needed. Based on availability at each site. <u>Drop-In only participants</u> are required to pay the \$50 annual registration fee and complete a full packet.

How to Add Drop-In Care Once You Have Submitted a Completed Packet

Call our child care office two days in advance to add drop in care for your child. Payment is due at time of request. Discounts do not apply to drop in fees.

	AM Care	PM Care	Half Day Release
Price per child	\$25 / day	\$25 / day	\$40 / day
If child is enrolled, fees will vary based on schedule. Sign up will be sent out 2 weeks in advance.			
	Non-Student Day*		
	\$55 / day. Effective 2024-25 school year, Non-Student Days are no longer part of the monthly enrollment for full time participants; they require separate registration and fees.		
Price per child			

2025-2026 Child Care Sites by District

Franklin Pierce	Child Care Site	Feeder School	Schedule
6:30am - 6:30pm	Elmhurst Elementary*		Early Release on Wednesdays
*Non-student day care			

Clover Park**	Child Care Site	Feeder School *	Schedule
	Custer Elementary	Oakbrook and Dower	
6:30am - 6:30pm	Idlewild Elementary	Lake Louise	Late Start on Wednesdays
	Tyee Park Elementary	Four Heroes, Tillicum and Park Lodge	

^{*}If your child attends a feeder school, you will need to complete the transportation form to arrange district transportation to/from your home school to your child care site.



**If your elementary school is not listed above, transportation will need to be confirmed to your school. Email childcare@ymcapkc.org with your child's name, school & child care schedule.

Peninsula	Child Care Site	Feeder School	Schedule	
6:30am – 6:30pm	Harbor Heights Elementary			
	Discovery Elementary		Late Start on	
	Swift Water Elementary		Wednesdays*	
	Vaughn Elementary	Purdy Elementary & KPMS Middle School		

^{*}Care on Wednesday Morning from 8:45-9:50am is provided at each childcare site for free, after paying the \$50 registration fee. Follow Enrollment Instructions and complete childcare packet.

Discounts, Subsidies and Scholarships

Sibling Discount	1 st child is full rate 10% on siblings enrolled		
Military Discount	10% after verification. Active Duty		
District Discount	20% after verification. Must be in a district we currently serve.		
YMCA Staff Discount	20% for YMCA of Pierce & Kitsap Counties Staff		

DSHS/DCYF State Subsidy

Thanks to recent changes, the state of Washington expanded the number of families who qualify for the DCYF child care subsidy program. More families than ever can qualify for up to 100% of their child care costs to be covered



YMCA Scholarships

The YMCA understands that quality childcare can be expensive and sometimes seem inaccessible to families who genuinely need it. Scholarships are available for families that qualify for financial support.



Parent Guide

Review our parent guide for important information on our program and policies on our Registration Help and Resources Page.



Questions? Contact your local child care office between 8am - 4:30pm | Monday-Friday

Pierce County

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Kitsap County

^{**}Contact the Kitsap Child Care office for enrollment questions