

# Douglas County

## Parent Resources



### Average Cost of Child Care in Douglas County

Child Care Center
Weekly, Full-Time Rates Average Cost (\$)
12 Months and under
257.00
12-17 Months
228.00
18-23 Months
226.00
2 Years
209.00
3 Years
183.00
4 Years
183.00
5 Years
183.00
6 Years and older
151.00

Family Child Care
Weekly, Full-Time Rates Average Cost (\$)
17 Months and under
162.00
18-35 Months
153.00
3 Years
149.00
4 Years
148.00
5 Years
145.00
6 Years and older
139.00

Preschool
Monthly, Part-Time Rates Average Cost (\$)
3 Years
235.00
4 Years
235.00
5 Years
235.00

School Age Program
Weekly, Part-Time Rates Average Cost (\$)
5 Years
33.00
6 Years and older
33.00

**Information at your fingertips!**  
 Receive parenting tips via text message on:

- Child Development
- Activities
- Healthy Recipes & More

Up to 4 msg/mo. Msg & data rates may apply.

### Parenting Information

Resource	Contact Information	Services
Parents as Teachers	(785) 594-2721, <a href="http://www.usd348.com">www.usd348.com</a> (785) 832-5000, <a href="http://www.usd497.org">www.usd497.org</a>	Early education program for parents of children prenatal to 3 years old
Infant-Toddler Services (Tiny-K)	(785) 330-2323 <a href="http://www.usd497.org">www.usd497.org</a>	Services for families who have children with developmental delays
Head Start	(785) 242-5481 <a href="http://www.eckan.org">www.eckan.org</a>	Early childhood education program serving income eligible families
Mental Health Services	(785) 843-9192 <a href="https://bertnash.org/">https://bertnash.org/</a>	Services from individual therapy to medication assessment and management

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# Douglas County Community Resources

## Local Community Services

Resource	Contact Information	Services
Department for Children and Families Services	(785) 832-3700 www.dcf.ks.gov	Child care assistance, child support enforcement, food assistance, health services
Health Department	(785) 843-3060 www.ldchealth.org	Healthy Families, Healthy Dads, breastfeeding support, child care licensing, immunizations, Women, Infants & Children (WIC)
K-State Research & Extension Office (Local Agent)	(785) 843-7058 www.ksre.ksu.edu	Nutrition education, youth development, family financial planning, family life
American Red Cross	(785) 354-9238 www.redcross.org	Community services that help the families in need
Lawrence Public Library	(785) 843-3833 www.lawrence.lib.ks.us	Books, classes, community information, internet access, children's programs, adult programs
Lawrence Chamber of Commerce	(785) 865-4411 www.lawrencechamber.com	Community contacts promote and improve the business climate
Douglas County Emergency Management	(785) 832-5259 www.douglascountyks.org	Provides information to plan for a disaster/emergency
Lawrence Memorial Hospital	(785) 505-5000 www.lmh.org	Resource for health care needs, cancer care, emergency care, laboratory, maternity and obstetrics, rehabilitation and surgical
Kansas Special Health Care Needs	(913) 249-2431	Promotes the functional skills of persons, who have or are at risk for a disability or chronic disease

## State/National Services

Resource	Contact Information	Services
KanCare	www.kancare.ks.gov	Low cost or no cost health insurance for families and children
United Way 2-1-1 of Kansas	Call 2-1-1 www.211kansas.org	Food pantries, counseling, mentoring, after-school programs, disability services and much more
Parent Help Line	(800) 244-5373	A 24-hour help line for parents in stress or in need of other services
Child Abuse & Neglect Hotline	(800) 922-5330	If you suspect a child is being abused or neglected
National Center for Homeless Education	http://bit.ly/2spPMQ5 (785) 296-6714	Guidance is provided to families, and communities who need information regarding students are in homeless situations

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