



## Tuition Agreement

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Father's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Payment for my child's program is due on Monday of each current week as specified in the current rate schedule. Tuition is payable according to the tuition schedule whether or not my child attends. All parents must be set up on ACH draft for tuition payments. A \$10 per day late fee will be added for all non-payments. If tuition and/or late fees are not paid by Friday, then I understand that my child cannot return to care the following Monday until paid. The Early Care and Education Parent Handbook can be downloaded from [www.earlycareandeducation.com](http://www.earlycareandeducation.com)

(parent initials) \_\_\_\_\_

Weekly Tuition Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Parent initial \_\_\_\_\_ Non-refundable Annual Registration Fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Parent initial \_\_\_\_\_

Effective Date \_\_\_\_\_

In the event of a NSF check or ACH return, a \$35 NSF check penalty will be added to my account. Additional late payment fees may also be added upon receipt of a returned payment. If Early Care and Education receive 3 or more NSF checks or ACH returns in a one-year period of time, your enrollment may be terminated. (parent initials) \_\_\_\_\_

Our program is open Monday through Friday from 6:30 am to 6:30 pm. Early Care and Education is only licensed by the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services to care for children during these specified times. If I am late picking up my child, a \$1 a minute late penalty will be charged to my account. Late penalties must be paid to Early Care and Education before the child can return to care. Regular attendance is imperative to your child's education. If your child will be absent, you agree to notify Early Care and Education by 8:30 am each day. Failure to notify Early Care and Education will result in a \$5 No Call Penalty per day. (parent initials) \_\_\_\_\_

During summer months and holiday times, an activity fee may be charged. Activity fees are for additional activities outside our normal planned curriculum. Parents will be notified 30 days in advance of activity fee options. (parent initials) \_\_\_\_\_

Early Care and Education chooses not to get involved in custody disputes. In the event a court order is on file, Early Care and Education will not acknowledge which party is responsible for payment of tuition fees. These arrangements must be coordinated between the two parents. Late fees and withdrawal guidelines will still apply regardless of which parent is responsible for tuition fees. (parent initials) \_\_\_\_\_

In the event I choose to end my relationship with Early Care and Education and withdraw my child or change my child's schedule, a 30- day notice will be given in writing. (parent initial) \_\_\_\_\_

Proper attendance tracking is imperative to the safety of the children enrolled. All parents are required to sign their children in and out each day. When a family fails to sign their child in or out, a \$5 penalty will be applied to your account for each occurrence. (parent initial) \_\_\_\_\_

**School Age Children:** Early Care and Education has strict policies on before and after school pick up. The safety of your child and the other children being picked up is top priority. Because of this, you agree to notify Early Care and Education by 2:00pm each day if your child will not be picked up at their elementary school. If you fail to notify Early Care and Education, you agree to pay a \$25 no call penalty. On days that the children are not in school, a \$12 per day in-service fee will be charged. (parent initials) \_\_\_\_\_

Tuition is due whether my child attends or not. If my child is absent for an entire week, I will receive an absent credit equal to one half my weekly tuition rate. Parents must notify Early Care and Education of the absence in writing or by email. (parent initials) \_\_\_\_\_

If at any point my account becomes delinquent, I understand that any credits or discounts will be removed from my account. (i.e. absent credits, corporate discounts, multiple child discounts etc.) (parent initials) \_\_\_\_\_

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Parent Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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Director Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**You don't stop playing because you grow old, you grow old when you stop playing**