

Zion
Lutheran
Extend Care
2020 – 2021



**Nuturing and educating
children to become life-long
followers of Jesus**

Extend Care Information & Hours

Zion Lutheran School provides a daycare setting Monday through Friday of each week, through its Extend Care programs, to children ages 2 years through Kindergarten that are enrolled in one of our classroom settings.

Extend care services are available for students outside their scheduled class time. Extend Care hours will be 6:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. starting this summer session. The Extend Care staff members coordinate with classroom teachers to ensure classroom learning is reinforced in the daycare setting.

Registration Fees

School Year Registration Fees

Extend Care - \$50.00

This is due at the time of registration.

IT IS NON-REFUNDABLE.

Summer Registration Fees

Extend Care - \$50.00

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When registering, parents must identify a weekly schedule for extend care services. This will include what days before and/or after class services are needed and if services are needed on days when classes are not scheduled for their child. This schedule must be maintained week-to-week and will be the basis of a weekly Extend Care fee. This weekly fee is assessed whether the child attends Extend Care or not to hold their spot. If a schedule change is needed, parents must contact the school office at least two weeks prior to determine if openings exist for the new days and times to maintain the proper staff-to-child ratios. If the change can be accommodated, a new weekly fee will be determined.

Extend care availability will be communicated prior to holiday weeks to allow parents to sign up for different days and/or hours as necessary and to adjust the weekly fee accordingly. A two-week advanced written notification to terminate Extend Care services must be provided to the school office.

Extend Care costs to be used to determine the weekly fee:

	Days without class	Days with class ¹	Before School ²	After School ³
PS2	\$30	\$28	\$4	\$8
PS3 and PS4	\$28	\$25	\$3	\$7
Kindergarten	\$28	N/A	\$3	\$7

¹Examples include morning class preschoolers staying through the afternoon

²Drop offs for morning sessions between 6:30 AM – 8:00 AM

³Pick ups after afternoon sessions between 3:00 PM – 5:30 PM

Daily fees include lunch and an afternoon snack.

Daycare statements are sent home every Friday for that week. Payment is due by Wednesday of the following week. The daily fees will be charged for those days registered for during the week.

Payments can be made by check, cash, and money order. Online payments can be made through our Fast Direct portal, call the school office for details.

Extend Care is open most days school is not in session, including snow days, unless government officials have declared a “state of emergency” and ordered all vehicles off the roads.

On days when school is not in session, you must sign up in advance for your child to be in attendance. You will be charged for days you sign up for. Extend Care will be closed on exact holiday days.

Daily Experiences

Age appropriate activities are provided for the children in our Extend Care program, which includes:

- Play Time (indoor and outdoor as appropriate)
- Jesus Time
- Calendar Time
- Exercise Time
- Reading Time
- Learning Activities - counting, letters, colors, etc.
- Rest Time – PS2 & PS3 children are not required to sleep, but a rest time is scheduled every afternoon.
- PS4 children will have quiet time in the Extend Care room.
- Lunch and snack times as appropriate
- Craft Time
- Other activities

The Program

Zion Lutheran School is a place for learning, working and playing within a Christian environment.

Likewise, while outside the classroom setting, our Extend Care program is one in which our Christian staff provides daycare needs in a Christ – Centered environment and means.

Knowing that Jesus is the Master Teacher, even in our social development and maturity, we provide a nurturing atmosphere, as well as, provide for the day to day daycare needs of your child.

Learning experiences will take place in our Extend Care program that will support classroom curriculum