

# Bright Beginnings Tuition, Fees, and Age Requirements

## Tuition and Fees

Bright Beginnings is intended to be a year-long commitment. Tuition is calculated on the entire year. You may pay in full for the year or for your convenience it may be broken down into nine monthly installments. Monthly installments are broken down on the list below. If you choose to make monthly payments, tuition is due on or before the first class day of the month starting in September. Credit is not given for a child's absence. This includes childhood illness, family vacations, and holidays. Teachers have been employed on a nine-month contract; thus, our income must have continuity. A supply and registration fee is due at the time of registration. **This fee is non-refundable.**

In addition to the registration and supply fees, we will collect a tuition deposit at the time of registration. For our current families, we will collect a postdated check that will be deposited on May 1<sup>st</sup>. This will then be applied to your May tuition in 2021 (or your last month's tuition if you withdraw early). **This money is non-refundable.**

The one time, non-refundable supply and registration fee is paid at the time of registration and is as follows:

	Registration and Supply Fee
Two Day Classes	\$130
Three Day Classes	\$170
Four Day Classes	\$200
Bridge (4 Days)	\$200

### Monthly Tuition

Age	2 Day Class (Mon/ Wed)	2 Day (Tues/Thurs)	3 Day Class	4 Day Class
1 yr old	\$195	\$210	NA	NA
2 yr old	\$185	\$200	NA	NA
3 yr old	NA	NA	\$290	\$350
4 yr old (Pre-K)	NA	NA	\$290	\$350
Bridge	NA	NA	NA	\$370

**Family Discount:** Families with more than one child in the program receive a \$10.00 monthly discount on tuition with each additional child.

## Days and Times

One and Two Year Olds	2 Days Only
Three Year Olds and Pre-K (4 year Olds)	3 and 4 Day Options
Bridge (5 Year Olds)	4 Days Only

- **School Days**

- Two Day Classes – Monday and Wednesday OR Tuesday and Thursday
- Three Day Classes – Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday
- Four Day Classes – Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday

- **Hours**

- 9:00-1:30 – All Classes except Bridge
- 8:30-1:30 – Bridge

## Age Requirements

One of our goals for each child who enters our program is for them to continue with us each year until elementary school. In order to align with the school district's age requirements we have a minimum age for each class level. This enables us to create a developmentally appropriate environment at each age level. It also allows each child to transition from one class to the next each year without having to repeat an age group before they leave for kindergarten. We understand that there are occasions when it is more appropriate for a child to be placed with a different age group than what their birth date dictates. We will treat each of those circumstances on a case by case basis.

- **Minimum Age to Enroll** – We have decided to keep the current minimum age of 12 months (as of September 1, 2020) to our **current families ONLY**. The minimum age to enroll for all new families is 17 months as of September 1, 2020.

Age	Birthday (on or before)
One Year Olds	Sept. 1, 2019
Two Year Olds	Sept. 1, 2018
Three Year Olds	Sept. 1, 2017
Pre-K	Sept. 1, 2016
Bridge	Sept. 1, 2015

\*Age Group is determined by age as of September 1<sup>st</sup> of the enrolling school year\*