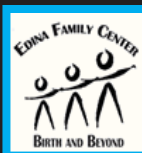


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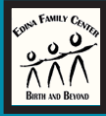
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ECFE Baby and Toddler Classes

Enjoy time with your baby/toddler exploring the classroom, singing songs, art activities, reading books and playing to learn. Turn to page 4 and 5 for class offerings.

Two Year Old Program

Choose a one day ECFE class or 2 day class with ECFE day and preschool day. Each day includes large muscle play, art activities, and circle time. Children need not be toilet trained. Turn to page 6 for class offerings.



Preschool Program

The Edina Family Center offers classes that focus on each child's social, physical and pre-academic development. Children need not be toilet trained. Turn to page 7 for 3 year old class offerings and page 8 for 4 and 5 year old class offerings.



Saturday, Evening and Beyond ECFE Classes

We offer ECFE classes for Dad's, infants, and families as well as school age parenting. Turn to page 9 for class descriptions. Class times and dates will be available in May 2010.



Dear Parents,

We are delighted you are considering the Edina Family Center for your child's early learning experience. Each family is important to us and we are excited to be offering an array of programs to meet the diverse needs in our community.

We have an experienced team of Minnesota Department of Education licensed parent educators and early childhood teachers who work closely with qualified assistants to support you and your children through these important first few years of life.

Our outstanding pre-school program – which offers both ECFE classes and child only preschool classes, provides an enriched, nurturing and supportive environment. As part of the Edina Public Schools, the Edina Family Center's pre-school program is linked to the district's curriculum – giving students a smoother transition to their kindergarten classes. We hope to see you here for the 2010-2011 school year...and years to come

Laurie Denn, MA

Coordinator – Edina Family Center

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Baby & Toddlers Non-Separating



BABY & ME

Learn about your baby's growth and development and what the new brain research has to say about a baby's important first experiences. A licensed parent educator will facilitate a discussion and provide current information while you are playing with your baby. Join us to share your concerns, ideas and experiences in a supportive environment. Classes are 75 minutes a week. The age of your child as of September 1, 2010 determines your class for the entire school year. Tuition is for a semester unless otherwise noted.

Birth-6 Months Baby & Me				ISD #273 Resident	Non-Resident
Thurs.	11:15-12:30	0006-1		\$159	\$245
Fri.	11:15-12:30	0006-2	Starts Dec. 3	\$205 1x charge	\$190 1x charge
Wed.	1:00-2:15	0006-3	Starts March 2	\$113 1x charge	\$174 1x charge

3-9 Months Baby & Me				ISD #273 Resident	Non-Resident
Tues.	1:00-2:15	0039-1		\$164	\$253
Thurs.	1:00-2:15	0039-2		\$159	\$245

12-24 Months Toddler Play and Stay				ISD #273 Resident	Non-Resident
Wed	11:00-12:30	1224-1		\$216	\$285

Baby & Toddlers

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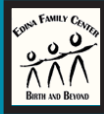
BUSY BABIES/TODDLIN' TYKES/TENDER TOTS

Enjoy time with your baby/toddler exploring the classroom, singing songs, testing out art activities, reading books and playing to learn. Parents separate for a portion of the class into another classroom with a licensed parent educator to discuss their child's social, emotional and physical development while the children play with their teachers and classmates. Classes are 1-1/2 hours a week. The age of your child as of September 1, 2010 determines your class for the entire school year. Tuition is for a semester.

7-11 Months Busy Babies			ISD #273 Resident	Non- Resident
Mon.	11:00 -12:30	0711-1	\$203	\$270
Tues.	9:00-10:30	0711-2	\$216	\$285
Wed.	9:00-10:30	0711-3	\$216	\$285

12-17 Months Toddlin' Tykes			ISD #273 Resident	Non- Resident
Mon.	9:00-10:30	1217-1	\$203	\$270
Tues.	11:00-12:30	1217-2	\$216	\$285
Wed.	11:00-12:30	1217-3	\$216	\$285
Thurs.	9:15-10:45	1217-4	\$210	\$276
Fri.	9:15-10:45	1217-5	\$210	\$276

18-23 Months Tender Tots			ISD #273 Resident	Non- Resident
Tues.	9:00-10:30	1823-1	\$216	\$285
Wed.	9:00-10:30	1823-2	\$216	\$285
Thurs.	9:00-10:30	1823-3	\$210	\$276
Thurs.	11:00-12:30	1823-4	\$210	\$276
Fri.	9:30-11:00	1823-5	\$210	\$276



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2 Year Old Play Pals

Choose a one day ECFE class or our two day program with an ECFE day and a preschool child only day. Been There Done That (BTDT) are classes for parents with older children who wish to join "veteran" parents and discuss parenting from a family perspective. Once a week class tuition is charged by the semester. Two day classes are charged monthly. Children need not be toilet trained to attend our program. Child care for siblings is available on the parent/child day. *Day is parenting.

2 Year Olds Play Pals			ISD #273 Resident	Non-Resident
Mon.*	9:00-11:00	0002-1	\$268/semester	\$334/semester
Mon.*	11:30-1:30	0002-2	\$268/semester	\$334/semester
Mon.*/Wed.	9:00-11:00	0002-8	\$116/month	\$130/month
Mon./Wed.*	11:30-1:30	0002-9	\$116/month	\$130/month
Tues.*/Thurs.	9:00-11:00	0002-3	\$120/month	\$135/month
Tues./Thurs.*	9:00-11:00	0002-7	\$120/month	\$135/month
Tues.*/Thurs.	11:30-1:30	0002-4	\$120/month	\$135/month
Wed.*/Fri.	9:00-11:00	0002-5	\$118/month	\$132/month
Wed.*/Fri (BTDT)	11:30-1:30	0002-6	\$118/month	\$132/month

3 Year Olds

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HAND IN HAND PRESCHOOL



These classes bring together typically developing children with children with special needs. Each class has 2 licensed teachers—one from the Edina Family Center and one from the district's ECSE. Classes held in ECSE classrooms and each day includes large muscle play, activity centers, circle time and snack. Opportunity for parent involvement throughout the year includes field trips, special events and parent-teacher conferences. Class runs thru June 9th.

Terrific Three's Hand in Hand			ISD #273 Resident	Non-Resident
Tues./Thurs.	9:35-12:05	0003-1	\$156/month	\$170/month

TERRIFIC THREE'S WITH ECFE DAY

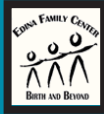
Classes meet 3 times a week. Two days are a preschool child only day and one is an ECFE day. Pre-school activities include large muscle play, activity centers, circle time and snack. Activities are designed to encourage personal, social and physical development, pre-reading, pre-writing skills and language development. Parents share child-rearing experiences and ideas with other parents and a licensed parent educator. Child care for siblings is available on the parent/child day. *Day is parenting.

Terrific Three's with Parenting			ISD #273 Resident	Non-Resident
Mon./Fri. Wed.*	9:15-11:45 9:15-11:15	0003-3	\$199/month	\$214/month
Mon./Fri. Wed.*	12:00-3:00 12:00-2:00	0003-6	\$225/month	\$240/month
Tues./Thurs. Fri.*	9:30-12:00 9:30-11:30	0003-2	\$205/month	\$218/month

TERRIFIC THREE'S PRESCHOOL

This child only class meets 2 or 3 times a week. Each day includes large muscle play, activity centers, circle time and snack. Opportunity for parent involvement throughout the year includes field trips, special events and parent-teacher conferences.

Terrific Three's Preschool			ISD #273 Resident	Non-Resident
Mon./Wed./Fri.	9:00-11:30	0003-4	\$205/month	\$218/month
Mon./Wed./Fri.	12:30-3:00	0003-5	\$205/month	\$218/month
Tues./Thurs.	11:30-2:00	0003-7	\$150/month	\$160/month



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4 & 5 Year Olds

HAND IN HAND PRESCHOOL

These classes bring together typically developing children with children with special needs. Each class has 2 licensed teachers—one from the Edina Family Center and one from the district's ECSE. Classes held in ECSE classrooms and each day includes large muscle play, activity centers, circle time and snack. Opportunity for parent involvement throughout the year includes field trips, special events and parent-teacher conferences. Class runs thru June 9th.

Fabulous 4's & 5's Hand in Hand			ISD #273 Resident	Non-Resident
Tues./Wed./Thurs.	9:35-12:05	0045-1	\$232/month	\$247/month
Tues./Wed./Thurs.	1:05-3:35	0045-2	\$232/month	\$247/month

FABULOUS FOUR'S & FIVE'S WITH ECFE DAY

Choose a 4 or 5 day class. One day is ECFE and the others are child only days. Pre-school activities include large muscle play, activity centers, circle time and snack. Activities are designed to encourage personal, social and physical development, pre-reading, pre-writing skills and language development. Parents share child-rearing experiences and ideas with other parents and a licensed parent educator. Child care for siblings is available on the parent/child day. *Day is parenting.

Fabulous 4's & 5's with Parenting			ISD #273 Resident	Non-Resident
Mon.*	9:00-11:00	0045-3	\$370/month	\$386/month
Tue./Wed./Thur./Fri.	9:00-12:00			
Mon./Tues./Thurs.	9:15-12:15	0045-5	\$297/month	\$310/month
Wed.*	9:15-11:15			

FABULOUS FOUR'S & FIVE'S PRESCHOOL

Choose a 3 or 4 day class. Each day includes large muscle play, activity centers, circle time and snack. Opportunity for parent involvement throughout the year includes field trips, special events and parent-teacher conferences

Fabulous 4's & 5's Preschool			ISD #273 Resident	Non-Resident
Mon./Wed./Fri.	12:30-3:00	0045-7	\$199/month	\$215/month
Mon./Tues./Wed./Thurs.	12:45-3:15	0045-6	\$262/month	\$275/month
Tues./Thurs./Fri.	9:30-1:00	0045-4	\$278/month	\$292/month

SATURDAY & EVENING Class Descriptions

Class Schedules Announced May 2010

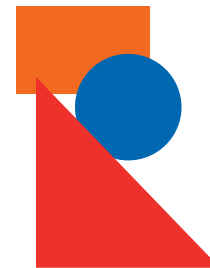
DAD'S CLASS

Calling all Dads! Bring your children ages 18 months-5 years and enjoy art, singing, sensory and motor activities together. A portion of the class, led by a licensed parent educator, focuses on the joys and challenges of parenting from a father's perspective.



NIGHT OWLS

This class is open to families and their children ages birth-5. The family is invited to explore new toys, songs and different fun activities each week. A portion of the class, led by a licensed parent educator, focuses on the joys and challenges of parenting from a family perspective. Classes meet for 10 week sessions.

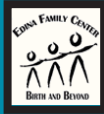


SATURDAY CLASSES

We offer Saturday classes for babies and for families with children birth-5 years of age. Classes meet for 10 week sessions.

Beyond ECFE

If you have a child in elementary, middle or high school, you may be wondering where to find answers to your parenting concerns. The Edina Family Center offers classes to meet your needs. A licensed parent educator will guide the discussion and provide information based on research and knowledge of child development. Group discussion allows parents to share experience and wisdom. Class offerings will be announced May 2010.



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ECFE SIBLING CARE

When attending an ECFE parenting class, you may need care for your other child(ren). Care begins 15 minutes prior to the start of class and ends 15 minutes after your ECFE class. We take children as early as 6 weeks old. Register for sibling care at the same time you are registering for an ECFE classes. If you are due to have a baby during the school year and will need sibling care, please let us know the date you anticipate needing care. Infants are welcome in parenting class until 4 months of age. Your child will spend time in age appropriate activities under the supervision of our highly trained, dedicated childcare staff.

Age	Fee
Infant (6 weeks-15 months)	\$5.00/hour
Toddler (16-32 months)	\$4.50/hour
Pre-School (33 months-Grade K)	\$4.25/hour
Additional Child	\$3.25/hour

SCHOOL READINESS ISD #273 RESIDENTS ONLY

School Readiness helps families with children, 3-1/2 to 5 years old, prepare for a successful school experience. If you have concerns or needs for your family or young children and are not eligible for services from other local programs, School Readiness may be for you.

SCHOOL READINESS: Home visits and access to parenting resources
 Assistance with pre-school experience
 Scholarship or reduced fees

For more information contact
Mary Streier at 952-848-3985 OR
e-mail: marystreier@edina.k12.mn.us

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

ISD #273 residents only: We never want fees to be the reason you don't attend ECFE! A sliding fee scale based on household size and income is available on our website on the School Readiness page. Requests are confidential. Call Mary Streier at 952-848-3985 OR e-mail: marystreier@edina.k12.mn.us for information.



REGISTRATION INFORMATION

ISD #273 Residents registration for the Edina Family Center Classes and Sibling Care begins on Thursday January 21, 2010 at 7am.

Edina Family Center Classes and Sibling Care begin on Thursday January 28, 2010 at 7am.

Non District Residents registration for the

The age of your child as of September 1, 2010 determines your class for the entire school year.

Follow these easy steps

Go to www.edinacommunityed.org/familycenter

Select Registration from the menu on the left side of the page.

School year 2010/2011 choose Register Online.

Enter your user name and password to login
or click on Start your 10-11 Registration Request Here.

You must have a valid Mastercard or VISA to complete your registration.

For one day per week classes and sibcare: a non-refundable \$25.00 registration fee and 1st semester tuition will be charged to your credit card March 2, 2010. Second semester tuition will automatically be charged to your credit card February 2011.

For multiple day classes: a \$50.00 non-refundable registration fee and May 2011 tuition will be charged to your credit card March 2, 2010. September thru April tuition will automatically be charged the first week of each month beginning September 2010.

After completing your registration you will be sent an email stating: "Thank you for submitting your Edina Family Center registration request." You will be notified by email concerning your admittance status within 3 working days. Please check your junk email if you do not receive this email.

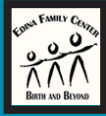
Class Cancellation Policy

Cancellations must be received in writing or by email by April 30, 2010 to receive a full tuition refund. Registration fees are always nonrefundable.

ONE DAY CLASSES: A \$50.00 cancellation fee will be applied beginning May 1, 2010.

MULTIPLE DAY CLASSES: May 2011 tuition is nonrefundable beginning May 1, 2010.

SATURDAY AND EVENING CLASSES: A \$25.00 cancellation fee will be applied beginning September 1, 2010.



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September 8 Edina Family Center Open House
September 9Classes & Childcare Begin
October 21-22..... Closed MEA
November 22-26Closed-Thanksgiving Break
December 18-January 2 Closed-Winter Break
January 17 Closed-Martin Luther King Day
January 24Closed- End of First Semester
February 21 Closed-Presidents Day
March 26 -April 3 Closed-Spring Break
April 21-22 Closed- Parent/Teacher Conferences
May 23.....Last Day of Classes & Childcare
June 9 Last Day of Hand in Hand

EDINA FAMILY CENTER 2010-11 ONLINE REGISTRATION

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IDS #273 RESIDENTS

Begins Thursday, January 28, 2010 at 7:00 a.m. for
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