

Little Learners Daycare

Facility Number: 243912734

Jeana and Taylor Martinez

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Child's Name: _____

Start Date: _____

Daycare provider signature: _____

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Welcome to Little Learners!

Thank you for choosing Little Learners Daycare. We are committed to providing a nurturing, safe, and developmentally appropriate environment for your child. Please read the following policies carefully. Sign and return the bottom portion of this contract to confirm your agreement.

Hours of Operation

Monday – Friday: 7:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Any care needed outside of these contracted hours requires at least 48 hours advance notice.

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Two-Week Trial Period

The initial two weeks of enrollment serve as a **prepaid** trial period. This period is probationary for both the family and the provider. Either party may terminate care during this time without further obligation. This payment is non-refundable.

Enrollment & Scheduling

Parents must provide a consistent schedule to secure their child's placement. It is the parents' responsibility to maintain backup childcare arrangements as needed.

If you receive financial assistance (e.g., A.C.C.E.S.S.), it is your responsibility to ensure all paperwork remains current. If your benefits are terminated and payment is not received from the agency, you are financially responsible for the full cost of care.

Termination of Care

Upon terminating care a two week notice must be given and signed by the parent/guardian. The two weeks post notice are still considered under contract and therefore will require payment regardless of the child's attendance.

After-School Care

After-school care is available. Parents are responsible for providing transportation unless alternative arrangements have been approved in advance. We do provide transportation on a first come first serve basis depending on school schedules and what times work with other drop off/pick ups. If your child is in need of a carseat/booster please communicate that with daycare so we can ensure the correct safety seat is in place.

Holidays & Scheduled Closures

Little Learners will be closed on designated paid holidays and vacation days. A calendar of closures will be provided annually.

Little Learners will be closed the following dates:

- October 30-31, 2025
- November 28, 2025
- December 23-December 26, 2025
- January 2, 2026
- April 6-10, 2026
- November 27, 2026
- December 23-26, 2026

Attendance & Absences

If your child will be absent, please notify us at least 24 hours in advance. Repeated absences without communication may lead to termination of care.

Authorized Pick-Up & Late Pick-Ups

Only individuals listed on your authorized pick-up form may collect your child. Proper identification is required upon pick up.

If you will be late for pick-up, please notify us as soon as possible.

After three instances of tardiness, a late fee of \$1 per minute will be applied for every minute past your contracted pick-up time. This fee will be due at the time of pick-up or added to your next invoice. Chronic or excessive tardiness may result in termination of services.

Potty Training Policy

We are happy to assist with potty training as long as efforts are consistent at home. Please provide multiple changes of clothing and appropriate training materials (Pull-Ups, underwear, etc.).

Personal Belongings

To prevent disputes, toys and personal items from home are not permitted, with the exception of necessary nap-time items (e.g., blankets or comfort objects).

Each child is required to have their own personal necessities on hand (diapers, wipes, underwear, pullups). Each child is also required to have a spare set of clothes. Here at Little Learners we prioritize getting outside and sensory play which can sometimes get messy!

Nap/Quiet Time

All children will participate in a daily quiet time. While sleep is not required, children are expected to rest quietly during this period.

Maternity Leave Policy

If you need to take leave (e.g., maternity leave), you may choose one of the following:

1. Forfeit your child's spot and re-enroll if space is available upon return, OR
2. Pay 50% of your regular weekly rate to retain your child's placement.

Illness Policy

Please keep your child home if they show symptoms of a contagious illness. A physician's note may be required for re-admittance. Medication will only be administered with a signed consent form.

Children may not attend daycare if they exhibit any of the following:

- **Severe illness** (e.g., persistent crying, difficulty breathing, extreme irritability, etc.)
- **Fever** over 101°F
- **Vomiting or diarrhea (unless cleared by a doctor)**. Can return after 24 hours of last episode.

Acknowledgment & Agreement

I, the undersigned, have read, understand, and agree to comply with the terms of this contract for care at Little Learners Daycare.

Child's Name: _____

Parent(s)/Guardian(s): _____

Signature(s): _____

Date: _____

Provider Signature: _____

Date: _____