

One of the benefits of joining Preschool Promise is the tuition assistance available to reduce the cost of sending your 4-year-old to a Star Rated program. Costs vary for each Preschool site – some are even free, if you meet eligibility requirements. Tuition Assistance also covers co-pays for families on Publicly Funded Child Care (Title XX).

How to read the tuition assistance table

To estimate your tuition assistance, first identify the row that reflects your family’s size and income level. Then look at the appropriate Family Income Tier chart on the right to see the estimated monthly tuition assistance you may be eligible to receive.

INCOME LIMITS

Household Size	Income Limits		Income Tier
	More Than	Equal to or Less Than	
2			A
	\$22,688.00	\$34,905.00	B
	\$34,905.01	\$52,358.00	C
	\$52,358.01		D

Household Size	Income Limits		Income Tier
	More Than	Equal to or Less Than	
3			A
	\$28,584.00	\$43,975.00	B
	\$43,975.01	\$65,963.00	C
	\$65,963.01		D

Household Size	Income Limits		Income Tier
	More Than	Equal to or Less Than	
4			A
	\$34,480.00	\$53,045.00	B
	\$53,045.01	\$79,568.00	C
	\$79,568.01		D

Household Size	Income Limits		Income Tier
	More Than	Equal to or Less Than	
5			A
	\$40,735.00	\$62,115.00	B
	\$62,115.01	\$93,173.00	C
	\$93,173.01		D

Household Size	Income Limits		Income Tier
	More Than	Equal to or Less Than	
6			A
	\$46,270.00	\$71,185.00	B
	\$71,185.01	\$106,778.00	C
	\$106,778.01		D

MONTHLY AMOUNT

Eligibility Tier	Star Rating Level	Full-Time Tuition Assistance	Part-Time Tuition Assistance
A (Co-Pay only required; e.g. Publicly Funded Child Care/ Kettering City Schools)	1 to 3	Co-Pay	Co-Pay
	4	Co-Pay	Co-Pay
	5	Co-Pay	Co-Pay


Eligibility Tier	Star Rating Level	Full-Time Tuition Assistance	Part-Time Tuition Assistance
B	1 to 3	\$468	\$187
	4	\$553	\$239
	5	\$638	\$255

Eligibility Tier	Star Rating Level	Full-Time Tuition Assistance	Part-Time Tuition Assistance
C	1 to 3	\$263	\$112
	4	\$333	\$147
	5	\$403	\$175

Eligibility Tier	Star Rating Level	Full-Time Tuition Assistance	Part-Time Tuition Assistance
D	1 to 3	\$105	\$46
	4	\$123	\$53
	5	\$140	\$63

Tier	Star Rating Level	Full-Time Tuition Assistance
F (Ext to Full Day)	1 to 3	\$300
	4	\$325
	5	\$350

Please see page 2 for special notes.



¹Center is defined as a program that serves seven or more children of any age. These programs are licensed by Ohio Department of Job & Family Services (ODJFS).

²School based providers are those programs licensed by the Ohio Department of Education.

³Type A is defined as a program serving seven to twelve children cared for in the provider's personal residence. These programs are licensed by ODJFS.

2021-22 Tuition Assistance Table Notes

Special Notes

- 1. For families attending a program that only charges a co-pay**, such as Publicly Funded Child Care (Title XX) or Kettering City Schools, the co-pay amount for the Preschool child will be covered through Preschool Promise.
- 2. Families are eligible to receive up to 12 months of Tuition Assistance from Preschool Promise, between August 1-July 31.** Tuition Assistance Rates will be pro-rated for partial months.
- 3. Children who attend a program for free (such as Head Start, Preschool Special Ed programs, or certain public school preschool programs)** will not receive Preschool Promise tuition assistance unless they have a need to extend to full day, in which case Tier F will be offered.
- 4. Tier F, Extension to Full Day, is for families who receive any state or federal subsidized funding to attend a partial day and need to send a child for a full day.**
- 5. Exceptional circumstances** may be considered on a case by case basis through a waiver request submitted to the Preschool Promise.