

### Sliding Fee Scale for Day Care Center Tuition

### Effective January 6, 2026

The My Place fee scale has been thoughtfully developed through extensive research into regional economic data and childcare subsidy structures, ensuring that all families, regardless of income level, can access high-quality, affordable childcare. Family income that aligns with Level One (based on both family income and family size) are eligible to qualify for NYS Childcare Assistance grants. On the following page you will find information about childcare grants and how to apply. We encourage all eligible families to apply for childcare assistance.

#### **Income Scale**

	Family Gross Income							
Family size		Level One		Level Two	L	evel Three		Level Four
2	\$	77,226	\$	86,837	\$	110,576	\$	140,807
3	\$	95,397	\$	104,095	\$	126,130	\$	153,140
4	\$	113,568	\$	120,508	\$	140,548	\$	164,252
5	\$	131,738	\$	137,202	\$	157,601	\$	181,093
6	\$	149,909	\$	152,962	\$	173,261	\$	196,250

Families are required to supply financial documentation to verify gross family income to receive a reduced rate on the sliding fee scale (see next page). Families who do not provide financial documentation will be automatically billed at Level Four rates. Families will be asked to reapply in December each year going forward after the initial tuition agreement. All financial information will be stored in a secure location accessible by administration staff only.

#### **Full Time Weekly Tuition Rates**

Classroom	Level One	Level Two	Level Three	Level Four
Infant	314.00	329.00	360.00	370.00
Waddler	314.00	329.00	360.00	370.00
Tiny Tots	298.00	311.00	343.00	353.00
Toddler	298.00	311.00	343.00	353.00
Pre-School	277.00	306.00	323.00	333.00

#### **Daily Tuition Rates**

Classroom	Level One	Level Two	Level Three	Level Four
Infant	62.80	65.80	72.00	74.00
Waddler	62.80	65.80	72.00	74.00
Tiny Tots	59.60	62.20	68.60	70.60
Toddler	59.60	62.20	68.60	70.60
Pre-School	55.40	61.20	64.60	66.60



### Required Financial Documents to Verify Gross Family Income

#### Pay Stubs (for individuals who are not self-employed)

- If income is consistent: 2 consecutive recent pay stubs.
- If income varies: 4 consecutive recent pay stubs.
- If no pay stubs are available: a **Referral to Employer Form** may be used.

### **Tax Returns (for self-employed individuals)**

- For self-employed individuals:
  - IRS Form 1040 with Schedule C and SE (for sole proprietors).
  - IRS Form 1065, Schedule K-1, and Schedule SE (for partnerships).
- If self-employed for less than 3 months: a **notarized statement of income**.
- If self-employed for 3–12 months: an accountant's statement.

### **Proof of Identity and Family Size (for all)**

Names and birthdates for all children under 18

# Are you eligible for child care at low or no cost?



Answer a few questions to see if **you** can get child care at <u>low or no cost</u> - in 10 minutes or less!

# Go to: https://hs.ocfs.ny.gov/CCAPeligibility/





## OR

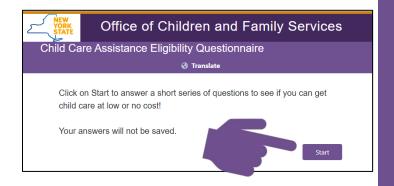
Go to the OCFS CCAP website:

https://ocfs.ny.gov/programs/childcare/ccap/

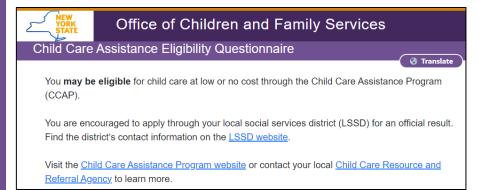
Click on **Do I qualify for CCAP?** 

# **Click on Start and Answer the Questions**

- ✓ Available in 13 languages!
- ✓ The mostly Yes or No questions can be answered quickly - in as little as two minutes!
- ✓ Not all parents or caregivers will need to answer all questions.



# Find out if you may or may not be eligible!



Apply through your local social services district (LSSD) for an official result.

