



IMPORTANT DATES

10/1: Tuition Due
10/17: No School/No CAS
10/30 or 31: Beggar's Night

FAMILY FUN

Weekends only 10/12-10/26: [Boo at the Zoo](#)
10/10-10/12: [Italian Festival](#)
10/15-10/18: [Circleville Pumpkin Show](#)
10/30 or 10/31: Trick or Treat 6:00-8:00 [Franklin County Trick or Treat Times](#)
(Worthington and Columbus have different trick-or-treat nights this year!)



OCTOBER 2025 NEWS

TUITION

Reminder that tuition payments are due on the first of the month, September through May. The next tuition due date is October 1st. Auto-pay will run on October 1st. Please be aware that there will be a **\$25 charge** for any account not paid in full by 6 PM on October 8th. The complete late payment policy is available on pages 19 & 20 of the [Parent Handbook](#). Payments must be made online through Brightwheel. We accept credit cards in addition to ACH transactions.

Please email info@careafterschool.com with any tuition-related questions.

DID YOU KNOW?

Care After School is licensed by the Ohio Department of Children and Youth, while Worthington Schools are governed by the Ohio Department of Education. While Care After School strives to maintain consistency for the children, we must always adhere to the ODCY guidelines. Although the regulations set forth by both agencies have the best interests of the children in mind, sometimes the rules might seem inconsistent to you or to your children.

YOU ASKED, WE LISTENED

We value your voice! Based on multiple requests from our annual CAS Parent Survey, we have decided to limit the use of personal technology for entertainment. During the 2025-26 school year, children will be permitted to play games on their personal devices a maximum of 1-2 times per month, during the movie. Your Site Director will make sure you and your child are informed of the specific dates at your site. We appreciate your input!

LATE PICK UPS



Care After School understands that sometimes unavoidable circumstances arise. Inclement weather, traffic snags, and unexpected work delays are just a few of the things that can affect our daily commutes. Please remember to have a backup plan in place for the times you are unable to pick your child up from CAS by 6:00 pm. To avoid the late pick-up fee, consider asking a neighbor or another CAS parent if they can help. Although no child would ever be left unattended, CAS staff members have responsibilities in the evenings, and are not scheduled to stay past 6:00 pm. A fee of \$10 will be assessed for each 5-minute increment, or portion thereof, after 6:00 pm. For example:

6:01 – 6:05PM = \$10

6:06 – 6:10PM = \$20

6:11 – 6:15PM = \$30 and so on

Please see page 19 of the [Parent Handbook](#) for additional details about our late pick-up policy and fees.

KEYPADS

CAS appreciates the commitment made by Worthington Schools to keep children safe before, during and after school. Please keep the code to the keypad confidential, sharing only as needed with those designated to drop off or pick up your child. **Do not share the code with your child.** Additionally, please do not hold the door for someone else to enter behind you, unless you are **certain** it is a CAS Parent. We realize this might seem inconsiderate, but the children's safety is our top priority.



Brookside



Colonial Hills



Evening Street



Granby



Liberty



Slate Hill

Wilson Hill



Wo. Estates



Wo. Hills



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