Annandale Public School District 876



Annandale Community Education

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Dear Essential Workers,

It is not only our duty but privilege to provide childcare services for the Emergency Workers of Annandale Public Schools. Please rest assured that we are committed to providing a healthy, safe, and fun environment for your child to learn and grow.

As required by Governor Walz free childcare services will be provided Monday-Friday from 8:00 AM until 3:00 PM starting Tuesday, March 31 for those families in the Tier 1 and Tier 2 Essential Emergency Workers category. Students enrolled in Annandale Public School, or the Annandale Preschool Program, ages 4 years thru 12 years old, may attend free of charge during these hours(8:00 am -3:00 pm). If you are unsure if your job fits into this category please click the link: <u>Tier 1 and Tier 2 Emergency Personnel</u> (scroll down on page) <u>School-Age Care for Children of Emergency Workers: Priority Categories of Workers</u>.

If your child needs transportation to emergency care this would be provided to them during the school hours of 8:00 am and 3:00 pm. Please note they must be 4 years of age and enrolled in the Annandale Preschool Program to ride the bus.

Additionally extended day childcare services will be offered at a cost of \$3.50 per hour for services provided from 6-8 AM and 3-6 PM. There is a \$30 registration fee and additional forms to attend Extended day childcare. There is no transportation available for extended day services. Students will need to be dropped off and picked up at AES, Community Education, door #2.

For the safety and well being of our students and staff Annandale School District has implemented new regulations for illnesses, social distancing, and limited capacity please respectfully follow the guidelines we set forth:

Effective 3/18/2020, we are implementing these guidelines:

1.) We will prioritize childcare for Tier I and Tier 2 Essential Workers only.

2.) If you have alternative care, are able to work from home or have another parent at home, have older

siblings who can care for younger children, you will not qualify for emergency care.

3.) Parents/Guardians may not enter the building. Families use the parent pick up and drop off line for care. Please call 320-274-0625 upon arrival.

4.) Illness: No child with a runny nose, cough, sore throat or fever over 100 will be allowed at care.

Temperatures will be taken at drop off and lunch times.

How to Register for **EMERGENCY CARE**:

- 1.) Fill out the Google Form: <u>Childcare application</u>
- 2.) Email proof of employment to: cdougherty@isd876.org
- 3.) An email confirmation will be sent containing date of approval, beginning childcare date, transportation information, and extended day childcare information

All requests for emergency care will now be screened by our Cardinal Kids Club Coordinator, Christin Dougherty by emailing cdougherty@isd876.org or 320-274-0625

Please note care can not start till notified!

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