

Contract of Agreement

This is an agreement between Gracie's Preschool and _____ (parent/guardian), regarding tuition fees for the school year. Payment of fees reserves your child's place in the preschool, therefore, fees are due even though your child may miss days due to illness, vacations or national holidays. Tuition, extended care fees & late fees will be billed on the 15th of each month. Payment is due no later than the end of the month. There is a 15% sibling discount.

Mark choice:

Preschool hours are 9:00 AM– 12:00 PM

		Monthly Fees
_____ 5 mornings (2 & 3 yrs)	Grace members - \$187.50	Non-members - \$375.00
_____ 3 mornings (2 & 3 yrs)	Grace members - \$150.00	Non-members - \$300.00
_____ 2 mornings (2 & 3 yrs)	Grace members - \$125.00	Non-members - \$250.00
_____ Full day care (2 & 3 yrs) 7:30 AM – 5:30 PM	Grace members - \$75.00/week	Non-members - \$150.00/week

Registration fee for 2 & 3 year-olds is \$75 per child or \$125 per family to hold enrollment.

_____ VPK Monday - Friday	9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	\$0
_____ VPK wrap-around Mon. – Fri.	7:30 AM – 5:30 PM	Members \$47.50 or Non- \$95.00/week

There is no registration fee for VPK, however all families are asked to donate classroom supplies.

Early morning care (\$6 for 7:30 – 8:50 AM), lunch time care (\$7.50 for 12:00 – 1:00 PM) and afternoon care (\$20 for 12:00 – 5:30 PM) are available for all ages on a day-to-day basis at an additional cost.

Gracie's Preschool promises to teach Christian attitudes and behavior through the Word of God. We are equally dedicated to an educational program emphasizing kindergarten preparedness through the use of stories, music, playtime and creative activities to develop skills and problem solving abilities. Florida's Standards for Four Year Olds (2017) will be taught in the VPK classes. Each child is considered a unique gift from God.

Discipline shapes behavior. Children who experience positive discipline usually want to do what is expected out of a sense of cooperation and respect. A disciplined child tends to show self-regulation and to make healthy choices. When our teachers must discipline, they will show respect, offer support and teach the children healthy life skills. This is done by encouraging the child to verbalize the problem and then by redirecting the child's activities. Attention will be focused on the problem and not the child. No one will strike a child or use any severe punishment. No one will humiliate or frighten a child. No one will deny food, rest or toileting as punishment or to manipulate behavior.

If a child is behaving inappropriately, we will explain why the behavior is unacceptable and offer reasonable alternatives. Logical consequences as well as time out (a temporary loss of privileges) may be used as a reasonable alternative. In the unlikely event that a child refuses to respond to the above methods and poses a danger to other students or is detrimental to the learning process in the classroom, the teacher may determine that it is in the best interest of all involved for the child to be sent home.

I have read this agreement; understand the stipulations above form a binding contract and I agree to these conditions.

Parent/guardian signature

Date