

HOURS & RATES

Call us to arrange an appointment to tour the center and meet the staff.

617-628-1741 or 617-625-5050

Hours:

Monday—Friday
7:30 AM to 5:30 PM

Rates:

5 or 4 days per week: \$275.00
3 days per week: \$180.00
2 days per week: \$165.00

We accept state-issued vouchers and have a number of state subsidized slots for families who qualify.



The Somerville YMCA is part of the nation's largest provider of child care, the YMCA of the USA. It is well known for its long tradition of commitment to youth and families and its standards of excellence in child care programming.



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ABOUT THE CENTER

PROGRAM PHILOSOPHY

The Somerville YMCA Preschool program's philosophy is to provide a safe, stimulating and reliable child care environment to foster self esteem, meet each child's individual needs and promote the physical, intellectual and social/emotional well-being of the Preschool age child.

The Preschool teaching team is dedicated to providing a safe and fulfilling learning environment with a nurturing atmosphere for all our children, their families, and our staff.



The Somerville YMCA Preschool enrollment reflects the rich diversity of Somerville and the surrounding areas. Our multicultural atmosphere promotes a greater knowledge, understanding and acceptance of our local and world communities.

Program includes:

- ◆ Swimming Lessons
- ◆ Backyard Outdoor Play Space
- ◆ Large Indoor Gym Space
- ◆ Computer in Each Classroom
- ◆ Curriculum Based Art Projects
- ◆ Social/Emotional Enrichment

STAFF & FAMILIES

STAFF

Early Childhood Educators at the Somerville YMCA Preschool are selected for their knowledge of child development, their creativity and their ability to create a nurturing environment for children and families. The multi-cultural makeup of our staff provides a welcoming place for our diverse children and families.



FAMILY INVOLVEMENT

Families are our partners in providing each child with individual educational and behavioral goals. We maintain open lines of communication with families. We invite families to participate frequently in Preschool events:

- ◆ Family Nights
- ◆ Family Trainings
- ◆ Volunteering for field trips and classroom activities
- ◆ Sharing of family's cultures and traditions

PROGRAM

AGE GROUPS OF CHILDREN

Each classroom maintains a staff/child ratio monitored and regulated by the Massachusetts Department of Early Education and Care.

- Preschool One - 2.9 years to 4 years
- Preschool Two - 3.9 years to 5 years



Our early childhood educators will work with your child to support a successful transition into the Preschool program. At the Somerville YMCA Preschool, we understand these problems and help

your child discover how much fun preschool can be!

