

WESTCOAST FAMILY INFORMATION & REFERRAL FEE SURVEY

Vancouver Licensed Group Child Care Monthly Full-time Rates, December 2006



INFANT (6WKS-18MOS)	WEST (of Main)	EAST (of Main)	CITY
AVERAGE	\$1020	\$939	\$998
MEDIAN	\$1012	\$935	\$1012
RANGE	\$920-\$1155	\$890-\$995	\$890-\$1155
NUMBER OF RESPONSES	11	4	15

TODDLER (19MOS-3YRS)	WEST (of Main)	EAST (of Main)	CITY
AVERAGE	\$988	\$875	\$955
MEDIAN	\$1012	\$920	\$940
RANGE	\$775-\$1155	\$760-\$987	\$760-\$1155
NUMBER OF RESPONSES	19	7	26

3-5 YEARS	WEST (of Main)	EAST (of Main)	CITY
AVERAGE	\$676	\$579	\$636
MEDIAN	\$670	\$565	\$643
RANGE	\$380-\$845	\$450-\$740	\$380-\$845
NUMBER OF RESPONSES	41	29	70

KINDER CARE (for children attending half day kindergarten)	WEST (of Main)	EAST (of Main)	CITY
AVERAGE	\$653	\$508	\$614
MEDIAN	\$643	\$525	\$625
RANGE	\$520-\$830	\$450-\$550	\$450-\$830
NUMBER OF RESPONSES	8	3	11

NOTES:

- All of the group child care centres in the City of Vancouver were contacted by Westcoast Family Information & Referral and asked for their monthly full time rates as of December 2006
- At the point of survey, there were 47 infant & toddler centres, with 41 centres responding to the survey; 78 3-5 year child care centres with 70 centres responding to the survey
- 89% of child care centres responded to the survey overall
- AVERAGE = Calculated by adding the monthly full time rates and then dividing by the number of child care centre responses
- MEDIAN = Half the centres have rates that are greater than the median, and half the centres have rates that are less than the median

Effective October 2005, maximum Child Care Subsidy available for Licensed Group Child Care is:

0 - 18 months: Up to \$750 per month
 19 - 36 months: Up to \$635 per month
 3 - 5 years: Up to \$550 per month
 Over 6 years: Up to \$415 per month

http://www.mcf.gov.bc.ca/childcare/subsidy_promo.htm