

# 3 ways families are saving on child care in BC

## Fee reductions

Age range: 0 – kindergarten



In December 2022, child care fees will be cut by as much as \$550 per month for each child in child care. This is in addition to child care savings of up to \$350 per month that have been in place since 2018.



Licensed child care centres in BC are eligible for Government funding. 96% of kids in eligible child care receive these reductions.



Child care centres receive funding directly. Parents see savings automatically, and don't need to apply.

## \$10 a Day ChildCareBC program

Age range: 0 – 12 plus



The cost for full-time care at a \$10 a Day ChildCareBC Centre is \$200 a month, with some participating families still eligible for the Affordable Child Care Benefit which can further reduce monthly fees.



Eligibility for \$10 a Day child care is based on the child care centre, not household income.



Child care centres need to apply to become part of the program.

## Affordable Child Care Benefit

Age range: 0 – 12 plus



Families can receive up to \$1,250 in monthly support, per child.



Eligibility is based on household income – families earning up to \$111,000/year can apply.



The amount of support families can receive is dependant on several factors including family size, type of care and the age of the child or children in care.



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