

MCKENZIE TOWNE REGISTRATION FORM: September 2024 - June 2025

Please circle the days and time you would like to register your child in Days: M/W/F or Tu/Th Time: AM or PM

Please fill out <u>ALL</u> sections, if something does not apply, write N/A or none

STUDENT INFORMATION:

Student's Name		
S	urname	First
Date of Birth (month/day/year)		Gender (Circle): M / F
Home Address		
City	Province	Postal Code
Home Phone #		
PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORM	ATION:	
Email Address		
Required to rec	eive monthly newslet	ters, calendars and program updates
Parent/Guardian		Cell phone #
Address (if same as student, leave b	olank)	
City	Province	Postal Code
Home Phone # (if same as student,	leave blank)	Work Phone #
Parent/Guardian		Cell phone #
Address (if same as student, leave b	olank)	
City	Province	Postal Code
Home Phone # (if same as student,	leave blank)	Work Phone #
Are both parents/guardians authoriz	zed to pick up your chi	ld? Yes No if no, please provide details:
Is there a custody order in place? Y <i>provided</i>):	es No if ye	es, please explain (<i>a copy of the custody order must be</i>

EMERGENCY CONTACTS: (other than parent(s)/guardian(s) listed above)

Name	Home Phone #
Work Phone #	Cell Phone #
Name	Home Phone #
Work Phone #	Cell Phone #
ADULTS AUTHORIZED TO PICK U	JP CHILD: (Other than parent(s)/guardians & emergency contacts)
Name	Relationship to Student:
Home Phone #	Cell Phone #
Name	Relationship to Student:
Home Phone #	Cell Phone #
Name	Relationship to Student:
Home Phone # Cell Phone #	
MEDICAL INFORMATION:	
Immunizations up to date? Yes No	o if no, please provide reason why:
I understand my child, may be in contact with other persons car liable for exposure to any such disease d	, is attending a program where he/she rying a communicable disease. I do not hold A Child First Preschool Inc. uring the program.
Does your child have any allergies? Yes	No
If yes, please explain type and typical rea	actions:
Does your child require any emergency r	medication(s)? Yes No
If yes, please list which medication(s) an	d describe what signs and symptoms your child may have:
Would this medication be needed during	preschool hours? Yes No N/A
The Medical Consent Form MUST b	e filled out if <u>medication</u> is or may be needed during preschool hours

Any other relevant health information (past or present) about your child that we should be aware of?

GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR CHIL	
Siblings & ages:	
Language(s) child speaks at home:	
Is this your child's first activity outside the home? Yes	No
Does your child struggle with speech/language? Yes	No if yes, please provide details:
Does your child have any behavioural or developmental Yes No if yes, please provide details:	concerns that you think we should be aware of?
Has your child spent time with other preschool children? Anything else you would like us to know about your children	Yes No
Signature of Parent/Guardian	Date
Signature of Parent/Guardian	Date

To ensure a space for your child, we require the following:

□ Deposit: Registration fee of \$80.00 in cash or by e-transfer due on date of registration (non-refundable);

□ 10 payments through Pre-Authorized Debit Agreement (attached) (Please date payments September.1 to June.1 of the school year you are registering for);

□ Completed and signed Registration Form;

- □ Completed and signed Portable Record Form (required by licensing attached to this Form);
- □ Completed and signed Policies Forms (attached to this Registration Form);
- □ Completed and signed Pre-Authorized Debit Agreement (PAD) (attached to this Registration Form);

□ Completed and signed Medication Administration Form, if applicable (see Teacher).

 \Box 3 year old classes: child has to be three before they can start and must be toilet trained;

□ JK classes: child can start any time but must turn 4 by Dec 31 of the current school year.

Note: Alberta Kindergarten age requirement – child must turn 5 by Dec 31 of the current school year.

How did you hear about us?

PAYMENT:

Payment, through the pre-authorized debit agreement for the first day of September through June, is required upon registration as payment for the ten school months of September through June. Late arrivals into the program are required to provide payment for the current month upfront through pre-authorized debit or e-transfer as well as pre-authorized debit for each of the subsequent months, as noted above. All programs require an \$80.00 non-refundable registration fee due per family on the registration date in the form of cash or e-transfer. Please note that the monthly fees will not be prorated for any reason. There will be no refunds for missed days unless due to a province-wide closure.

A \$20 NSF fee will be added to any NSF payment. Payment in cash, or e-transfer will be required for that payment

CHILD GUIDANCE POLICY:

At A Child First Preschool, we provide a positive approach to child guidance that is reasonable in the circumstances and all children are loved unconditionally. Physical punishment is prohibited. We stay calm and gain the child's attention by saying his/her name, bending down to establish eye contact and speaking in a calm and controlled voice. We take the time to talk and listen to help resolve the situation. We acknowledge the child's feelings and remind him/her of the limits. We focus on the behaviour, not the child or his/her character. Finally, we reassure the child with a hug and a smile. It can help to distract the child or redirect him/her to a new toy or activity. We guide children toward positive behaviour and encourage problem solving together.

Sometimes children need time to calm down if they are having difficulty controlling their behaviour. A body-break is offered to give the child a chance to regain control; it is a break, not a punishment, confinement, or isolation. Once the child has calmed down, we will talk to him/her about his/her feelings and actions. If we identify a pattern of behaviour that is of concern, parents will be notified to try to find a mutually acceptable method of addressing the issue. Under no circumstance will there be any physical or verbal abuse, emotional deprivation, physical degradation, physical restraint, confinement, or isolation. Any disciplinary action taken must and will be reasonable given the situation, and at no time will we deny or threaten to deny any necessity.

WITHDRAWAL POLICY:

September through April - A minimum one (1) month <u>written</u> notice of withdrawal is required <u>on or before</u> the 1st of the month <u>prior</u> to the month leaving, whereupon your Pre-Authorized Debit Agreement will be cancelled. For example, if you are withdrawing November 1st, notice must be given <u>on or before</u> October 1st.

<u>May and June</u> - A minimum two (2) months <u>written</u> notice of withdrawal is required <u>on or before</u> the 1st of the month <u>prior</u> to the month leaving, whereupon your Pre-Authorized Debit Agreement will be cancelled. If you are withdrawing May 1st, notice must be given <u>on or before</u> March 1st. If you are withdrawing June 1st, notice must be given <u>on or before</u> April 1st. We do not prorate the monthly preschool fees for withdrawals. Temporary absences, such as a vacation or illness, will not be deducted from the monthly fees. The preschool follows the Calgary Public School Board holiday and school closure schedules.

Failure to provide one (1) month <u>written</u> notice of withdrawal for September through April will result in A Child First Preschool Inc. withdrawing one more monthly payment. The final monthly payment would include all fees not able to be recouped from Subsidy and or the Affordability Grant, if applicable.

Failure to provide two (2) months <u>written</u> notice of withdrawal for May and June will result in A Child First Preschool Inc. withdrawing two more monthly payments. The two final monthly payments would include all fees not able to be recouped from Subsidy and or the Affordability Grant, if applicable.

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I have read, understood and I agree to comply with all the policies of A Child First Preschool Inc., including all those listed above and in the Parent Handbook. I understand that A Child First Preschool reserves the right to release my child from the program if there is a failure to comply with the guidelines in the Parent Handbook or failure to make monthly payments.

Parent/Guardian Signature_	Date
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Parent/Guardian Signature_____ Date _____

A Child First Preschool Inc. Off Premises Consent Form

Child's First Name _____ Child's Last Name _____

As part of our programming, we occasionally take the children on nature walks, outings to community playgrounds, and outings to local community businesses. For all of these off premises activities, the mode of transportation used will be walking only, and will always be within reasonable walking distance. I understand that my child will be supervised at all times and that the regulated staff to child ratio of 1:12 will be maintained at all times. If there are more than 6 children in attendance then 2 staff will also be present at all times. Staff will take attendance before they leave, when they arrive at the off-site location, periodically during their time at the off-site location and when they return. All off site activities will be during program hours and a sign will be posted at the door to our program stating where we went, how to reach us while off-site, when we will be leaving and when we will be coming back, along with our staff to child ratio. We will never be off-site for longer than 2 hours.

I understand that I will be notified of any off premises field trips in advance via email and/or verbally at drop off. I understand that most field trips are planned in advance but that occasionally there will be spontaneous outdoor activities if the weather is nice. In these cases, I understand that I will be notified of these when I drop off my child(ren).

The above-named child has my permission to go to and use the following off-site locations listed below, under the supervision of A Child First Preschool Inc. staff during the months of September to June of the school year this consent form applies to. By signing this consent form I understand that my child will use these off-site areas listed below as part of the regular programming that takes place at A Child's First Preschool – McKenzie Towne during any times of regular class schedule for the purposes of meeting the gross motor development of the children and giving them the opportunity to participate in outdoor recreational activities. I understand that I will be notified of these outings as described above. While the program uses these off-site spaces, I understand that the program will adhere to the supervision policy that is provided in the parent handbook and described above. The mode of transportation used will be walking only, and will always be within reasonable walking distance.

- The sidewalk/paved area immediately out the front door of the preschool (21 High St SE)
- Grassy area at Promenade Park (90 Promenade Way SE)
- Grassy area at McKenzie Towne Hall (40 McKenzie Towne Blvd SE)

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For all other non-regular occurring off-site activities (e.g. visits to local businesses), I understand that I will have to sign a separate consent page detailing the activity of each field trip before my child(ren) can attend each field trip. If I am not dropping off my child on a day that a consent form is being signed, whoever it is that drops off my child(ren) that day has my consent to sign and give permission for the field trip. Below is a list of names who may be dropping off my child and who have my permission to sign the consent forms:

I understand that there are risks associated with the activities named above. In case of accident or any personal injury of the above named child, I hereby release and discharge A Child First Preschool Inc. or any of its directors, teachers, employees or parent volunteers, from any claims, actions and causes of action arising from any accident or loss caused by the participation of the child named above during any activity held at this location, or during any off-premises outing or at any location where the program is held, or on route to/from any other activity.

Please note that if you do not give permission for your child to attend an off-site excursion, then your child will not be able to attend the program on any day that we are going to do that off-site activity as all staff will be going to the off-site activity.

Date
Date

A Child First Preschool Inc. Emergency Release Consent to Emergency First Aid & Transportation

I hereby give permission that my child, _______, may be given emergency treatment by a staff member of A Child First Preschool Inc. certified in First Aid. I also give permission for my child to receive emergency medical services if needed and/or for my child to be transported by ambulance to an emergency centre for treatment, and agree to hold A Child First Preschool Inc. or any of its directors, teachers, or employees, harmless. I understand that the cost of any emergency transportation is my responsibility, not the responsibility of A Child First Preschool Inc.

In case of emergency, the staff of A Child First Preschool Inc. will contact Emergency Medical Services and the parents or emergency contact person. The staff of A Child First Preschool Inc. will fill out an Incident Report to be kept on file at the preschool.

Parent/Guardian Signature	Date
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Parent/Guardian Signature	Date

A Child First Preschool Inc. Media Consent Form

I hereby consent to the use of any photographs, video tape or audio record taken of my child by A Child First Preschool Inc. <u>to be used within the classroom only of A Child First</u>. I also consent to my child's **WORK** being published within the classroom and on A Child First Preschool's Facebook page, Instagram and website. A Child First Preschool Inc. will always protect the privacy of the students. Any student and/or their school work will be identified by first name only. No last names will be mentioned.

Child's Last Name	
Date	
Date	
	Date

A Child First Preschool Inc. Facebook, Instagram & Website Photo Consent Form

Pictures of the children (without their faces) can be posted on A Child First Preschool's Facebook page, Instagram and website. From time to time we would like to post pictures of the children with their faces showing. Please indicate below your consent or withdrawal of consent to showing your child's face in the photographs posted on A Child First Preschool's Facebook page, Instagram and website. Any student will be identified by first name only, no last names will be used.

Yes I give permission for my child's face to show in photographs posted on A Child First Preschool's Facebook page, Instagram and website.

____No I do not give permission for my child's face to show in photographs posted on A Child First Preschool's Facebook page, Instagram and website.

Child's First Name	Child's Last Name
Parent/Guardian Signature	Date
Parent/Guardian Signature	Date

FOR STAFF ADMINISTRATIVE USE ONLY	
New Registration Checklist (mid-year starts):	Initial When Complete:
Registration form, consents and portable record are complete	
Place PAD, void cheque (if applicable) and reg fee in director's folder for pick up	
File portable record in portable binder	
File registration form in registration binder	
Go over following sections: custody issues, allergies, medical concerns, health information, off premises consent, Facebook/Instagram consent.	
Move medication consent forms, if any, to portable binder	
Update class list in registration binder (and portable record binder if applicable)	
Update allergy list if applicable	
Add child's name to birthday chart	
Create a special helper tag and coat hook tag	
Update student in/out sheets	
Update Off premises consent tracking sheet (re: who's authorized to sign)	
Update Facebook/Instagram consent tracking sheet	

PORTABLE RECORD FORM

This is the record we take with us whenever we leave the program for nature walks, outings, etc.

STUDENT INFORMATION:

Full Name:	Date of Birth (M/D/Y):
Home Address:	City: Postal Code:
Any health concerns?	
	Immunizations up to date?: Yes No
Does your child have any allergies?	If yes, please explain the allergy:
Yes No	
Is your child on any emergency medication?	If yes, please list which medication(s) and describe what signs and symptoms your child
Yes No	may have:
Would this medication be needed during preschool hours?	
Yes No N/A	

PARENTS INFORMATION:

Parent/Guardian Nam	e:	Cell Phone:	
Home Address (if same	as student, leave blank):	Home Phone:	
City:	Postal Code:	Work Phone:	
Parent/Guardian Nam	e:	Cell Phone:	
Home Address (if same	as student, leave blank):	Home Phone:	
City:	Postal Code:	Work Phone:	

EMERGENCY CONTACTS: (other than parent(s)/guardian(s) listed above)

Contact Name:	Cell Phone:
Work Phone:	Home Phone:
Contact Name:	Cell Phone:
Work Phone:	Home Phone:

PORTABLE RECORD FORM (page 2)

ADULTS AUTHORIZED TO PICK UP CHILD: (OTHER THAN parent(s)/guardian(s) & emergency contacts)

Contact Name:	Cell Phone:	
Work Phone:	Home Phone:	
Contact Name:	Cell Phone:	
Work Phone:	Home Phone:	
Contact Name:	Cell Phone:	
Work Phone:	Home Phone:	



TOWNE PRE-AUTHORIZED DEBIT (PAD) AGREEMENT – 2024/2025 *ALL INFORMATION MUST BE FILLED OUT*

1. Account Holder Information:

Name (First and Last):		
Mailing Address:		
City:	Province:	Postal Code:
Telephone Number:		
Email Address:		
Name of Child Attending our Program	:	
Class Your Child is Attending: (e.g. 3	Day AM)	
2. Bank Account Information: (CAN	NOT BE A LINE OF CREDIT AG	CCOUNT)
ATTACH A VOID CHEQUE TO T	HIS FORM OR FILL OUT THIS	BANKING INFORMATION
Bank Account #:	5 digit Transit #:	3 digit Institution #:
Type of Account (check one):	equing Account 🔲 Savings Acco	ount
Financial Institution: Name:		
Full Address:		
3. Pre-Authorized Debit (PAD) Deta	ils:	
full program/class fee if the proper wr	itten notice of withdrawal is not given hild First Preschool Inc. to make mor	nthly pre-authorized debits (PAD) from
From (First Month/Year):	To (Last Mont	h/Year):
Amount each month:		
If you have a Preschool stu	dent and or qualify for subsidy, you mu	st complete the section below.
	id (without affordability grant or sub 278.00 3-Day PM ☐ \$226.00 2-D	
	These services are for (check one): Personal/Individual PAD	Business PAD

I, the Payor, may revoke my authorization at any time by giving the Payee, A Child First Preschool Inc. 30 days prior written notice for September through April and 60 days prior written notice for May and June. Such written notice may be provided by either email or a hand written note to the Payee, A Child First Preschool Inc. For more information on your rights to cancel a PAD Agreement, you may contact your financial institution or visit www.cdnpay.ca.

I acknowledge that the delivery of this authorization to the Payee constitutes delivery by me to the PAD institution.

I agree that the financial institution at which I maintain the account is not required to verify that the payment is debited in accordance with this authorization. I also certify that every person whose signature is required for the operation of the account identified above has signed this authorization.

I shall inform the Payee, in a timely manner, of any changes to this agreement.

I acknowledge that I am waiving my right to receive pre-notification of the amount of the PAD and agree that I do not require advance notice of the amount and date of PAD's before the debit is processed.

Signature of Account Holder:	Signature of Joint Account Holder (only if 2 Signatures are required on your cheques):		
Name:	Name:		
Date:	Date:		

You have certain recourse rights if any debit does not comply with this agreement. For example, you have the right to receive reimbursement for any debit that is not authorized or is not consistent with this PAD Agreement. To obtain more information on your recourse rights, contact your financial institution or visit <u>www.cdnpay.ca</u>. When the form is complete, please hand in with your registration form. Alternatively, please email the completed form to <u>info@achildfirstpreschool.com</u>. You can also use this email for any inquiries, to obtain information or seek recourse.

McKenzie Towne Fee Structure & Class Times				
Monday/Wednesday/Friday AM Junior Kindergarten	3.0 hours	9:10 - 12:10	*\$264.90/month	
Monday/Wednesday/Friday PM (3/4 year olds)	2.5 hours	1:10 - 3:40	*\$203.00/month	
Tuesday/Thursday AM (3 year olds)	2.5 hours	9:20 - 11:50	*\$151.00/month	
Tuesday/Thursday PM (3/4 year olds)	2.5 hours	1:10 - 3:40	*\$151.00/month	

5 days per week (4 year olds only): \$25 discount applies

*NOTE: Currently, the Alberta Government is paying \$75 per month towards fees for every child registered in a licensed preschool. This discount is already reflected in the fees above. The fees above are the parent portion of our fees. If at any time the government withdraws the \$75 monthly funding, please note that the parent portion of the fees would be increased by \$75 per month. The Alberta Government is covering the cost of the increase in our monthly fees for the 2024/2025 school year. **Please note that if at any time the government withdraws the cost replacement monthly funding, the parent portion of the fees would be increased back to the original amount per month. We will notify you via email of the amount, if this occurs.