



## OUR MISSION

St. Elizabeth Early Childhood Development Center (ECDC) is committed to providing quality care in a safe, loving, Catholic-Christian environment, allowing caregivers an opportunity to take time out, thereby building stronger families. We will work together to develop positive structure and support for children in a Christ-centered way.

## PHILOSOPHY

Our program's educational philosophy stems from the belief that all children should be able to grow through accomplishment and with a strong sense of self-worth; therefore, **we believe children learn best through play.**

We offer a hands-on approach for children to learn about God and the world around them. We strive to provide an environment which encourages this, while recognizing individuality within your child.

The children are taught respect for others as well as themselves, for it is through self-respect that children are able to grow. We make every effort to give children a strong foundation for learning – one that will stay with them throughout their lifetime.



*We would love for  
your family to join us and  
be a part of our  
wonderful program!*

## ABOUT OUR PROGRAM

- Curriculum is developmentally appropriate for children ages 2-5 and is based off the Texas Pre-K Guidelines.
- Classes have a low teacher-to-child ratio.
- Teachers receive 24 hours of early childhood development training annually and are certified in CPR and First Aid.
- Schedule -- our school year is September through mid-May. We follow Pflugerville ISD's school calendar in regard to holidays, bad weather days, etc.
- Our classes are open to any child, regardless of race, nationality, or religious beliefs.
- Our program is licensed by the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services (Child-Care Licensing Division).
- Class choice/age level depends upon your child's age on September 1<sup>st</sup>

## CLASS OPTIONS (Class meet from 9:00 am until 1:20 pm)

**2 Day Program** – Meets Tuesday & Thursday  
Available to 2, 3, and 4 year olds

**3 Day Program** – Meets Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday  
Available to 2, 3, and 4 year olds

**4 Day Program** – Meets Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday  
Available to 3 and 4 year olds

*\*All 3-year olds must be toilet-trained or actively working on it.*

*\*All 4-year-olds must be toilet-trained.*

## ABOUT OUR DAY

**Every Day** – Circle time, free play, outdoor play, craft time, snack and lunch together, rest time. We have fun, engaging, and enriching activities for our children each day!

**Mondays** – Children enrolled in our 4-day program enjoy our Discovery Day curriculum on Mondays.

**Tuesdays** -- Chapel Lesson for all ages -- learning about God, a bible story, songs, and prayers.

**Wednesdays** – Children enrolled in our 3-day and 4-day program enjoy our Science curriculum on Wednesdays.

**Thursdays** -- Our "Specials Day" -- a different and engaging activity each week! Examples include Gardening, Music, Storytelling, Creative Movement, and visits from community helpers like the dentist, police and fire departments. We have fun annual events including Pumpkin Patch, "Snow" Day, Western Day, Parades, and Alphabet Olympics!

# St. Elizabeth Early Childhood Development Center

## 2021-2022 TUITION

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### Tuition Rate

2-day -- \$225/mo (\$2,025/yr)

3-day -- \$280/mo (\$2,520/yr)

4-day -- \$350/mo (\$3,150/yr)

• *Tuition is based on the total amount for the school year, and then broken down into nine monthly payments for your convenience, therefore, the monthly amount remains the same regardless of the amount of class days per month.*

• *Sibling discount – we offer \$15 off the monthly rate (\$135 discount per year) for younger siblings.*

• *Our program is a ministry of St. Elizabeth Catholic Church. Families that have been registered parishioners for at least six months and have contributed \$600 within the past year to the church (verified upon enrollment) will be offered a \$15 per month discount for the 2 and 3 day classes, and a \$20 discount for the 4-day class.*



**ST. ELIZABETH**  
EARLY CHILDHOOD  
DEVELOPMENT CENTER

***Learning through play  
&  
making friendships  
along the way!***

## Items required at registration to confirm and hold your child's spot for 2021-2022

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1. **Registration Fee** – \$100 annual flat fee per family. Registration fee is non-refundable and due at time of registration.
2. **Supply Fee** – Annual, nonrefundable fee due at time of registration:  
2-day -- \$85/child 3-day -- \$100/child 4-day -- \$115/child
3. **Enrollment/Emergency Forms** – Must be completed in full including emergency contact information with address and driver's license numbers.

## Items needed by the first day of class

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1. **Health Statement** – A signed declaration from your child's doctor stating that (1) they have been examined and are physically able to participate in a preschool program; and (2) they are current on all vaccinations. We provide a Health Statement form you may use, or your doctor may provide their own. Statements may be turned into our office, faxed or emailed.
2. **Immunization Record** – Immunizations must be up-to-date. Current students do not need to turn in a new copy, except to reflect newest immunizations.
3. **Hearing/Vision Statement** – Results of a hearing and vision test are required for children at 4 years of age.

## Items required for all students, each day of class

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- **Lunch** – each child brings their own lunch each day
- **Water bottle** – non-spill, valve-type
- **Small blanket, towel, or rest mat** – for rest time (No sleeping bags)
- **Change of clothes** – underwear, socks, shirt, shorts/pants

\*In addition, we have a snack time rotation – every few months, your child will provide a snack and one gallon of water for the class to share for the week.