



Market St Playpark offers unique childcare options in a brain-boosting environment. Children participating in our small-group programs have a designated teacher and they enjoy the Playpark facility alongside families that are visiting for Open Play. Our summer camp and preschool programs give children ample time to interact with peers, use fun Playpark materials, and engage in planned activities. Our childcare providers are experienced professionals with clear background checks.

Childcare Programs at the Playpark (These children are supervised by our staff)

- **Drop-in, Hourly Childcare**

Childcare on demand, only when you need it, for ages 2.5 - 6 years. Text the Playpark beforehand to request your desired time slot for 1 to 4 hours. We can usually confirm your reservation within 24 hours.

- **Kindergarten Summit (Adult-child ratio for this group is 1:8)**

Half-day (8:30-1:00) or full-day (8:30-5:30) childcare for Kindergarten students on most days when school is closed during the traditional school year.

- **Playpark Preschool (Adult-child ratio for this group is 1:8)**

Offers a steady schedule for enriching preschool involvement, geared for 3-5 year-olds. Choose one, two, or three days per week. Operates from September-May on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday mornings. Choose 8:30-12:30 or 9:00-1:00.

- **Downtown Discoverers Summer Camp (Adult-child ratio for this group is 1:10)**

Scheduled in accordance with Guilford County Schools traditional summer break, this active group spends much of its time out in the community, on the go! Campers travel by Greensboro city bus to explore interesting locations downtown and beyond. Downtown Discoverers is a full day summer camp for rising Pre-K through 2nd graders. Select the weeks that you would like your child to attend and remit a \$50.00/week deposit to hold their space. Monday-Friday, 8:30-5:30.

Application Form and Application Fee

Childcare Applications are accepted year-round. **A Childcare Application form is required for each child that is left at the Playpark to be cared for by our staff, for any length of time.** The form provides our staff with parent information, an emergency contact, and any health details for children in the family.

A one-time application fee of \$40.00 per family is required before enrollment in Playpark Preschool or Downtown Discoverers Summer Camp. The \$40 application fee is waived for current and alumni families of Piedmont Global Preschool and Wishview Children's Center. There is no application fee for childcare options that are requested day-to-day, such as Kindergarten Summit and hourly drop-in care.

Tuition Payment for Preschool and Camp

Preschool tuition and camp fees are due on Monday for the current week. Payment of preschool tuition and/or camp fees reserves space for your child in their program group. The amount due and due date remain the same regardless of your child's personal absences, vacation, illness, weather, transportation problems, or the Playpark's adjusted operating hours due to inclement weather. Missed days may not be made up, swapped or substituted. We cannot offer a grace period, and our payment policies are strictly enforced so that staff members can be paid on time.

Drop-in care, such as hourly childcare or Kindergarten Summit, is paid in full, daily at the time of arrival. In some cases, tickets may also be purchased in advance. All payments are made electronically (except in situations where there is a technology interruption). Payments may be made by debit or credit card, or ACH bank account draft. Enrollment with our payment processing agency may be required and their independent processing fees may apply. Overpayments and advance payments are not returnable. Tuition and fees are non-refundable. A \$25 fee will be charged for any payment made that bounces, fails to process, or returns from the bank unpaid.

Removal and Withdrawal

If any child's personal needs or behaviors become unmanageable by Playpark staff, the problem(s) will be explained to a parent and childcare services, along with fee/tuition charges, will conclude at the end of the current week. If a family chooses to withdraw from preschool, the obligation to pay preschool tuition ends after a written letter of withdrawal, providing at least two weeks' advance notice, is given to a staff member and the final two weeks have been paid.

Late Payment Fees

Preschool and summer camp payments that are received after the due date will be charged a \$10.00 per day late fee. Children may not attend if there is an outstanding balance two or more days past due unless a written payment agreement has been approved by an administrator.

Late Arrival and Late Pick-Up

The arrival window for preschool and camp is 8:30-9:00 AM. Children are expected to be walked in and dropped off inside the Playpark after connecting with a staff member.

Prescheduled Closings

New Year's Day	Labor Day
Martin Luther King Jr.'s Birthday (Observed)	One Professional Development Day in Oct or Nov
One Professional Development Day in Feb or Mar	Veteran's Day
Good Friday	Close at 12:30 the day before Thanksgiving
Easter Monday	Thanksgiving
Memorial Day	The day after Thanksgiving
Juneteenth (June 19 th)	Christmas Eve
Independence Day (July 4th)	Christmas Day
The day after Independence Day	The two consecutive days after Christmas

Unforeseen School Closing

The policy described in this section applies if the program must close in addition to the days listed in the section entitled "Prescheduled Closings". The Playpark reserves the right to close or adjust its hours of operation due to a special event, inclement weather, official weather warning, emergency, or an urgent situation (including but not limited to the following examples: power failure, water loss, plumbing back up, widespread major illness, snow/ice). During weather advisories, we will make every effort to announce any closing or changes in operating hours via direct messaging and/or a local television station by 7:00 AM. In inclement weather or a NC State of Emergency event, where the program must temporarily adjust its operating hours, or close for a single day, or close for a few days, preschool tuition and camp fees remain the same.

Discounts and Scholarships

- Sibling Discount:** Families with two or more children enrolled receive 50% off for the oldest child when both children are participating in the same drop-in care session, the same preschool program, or the same summer camp session at the Playpark location.
- In-House Scholarships:** There is limited availability for partial scholarships to assist larger families and those that are experiencing financial hardship. Please email the Playpark owners at PGpreschool123@bellsouth.net or dmpinnix@yahoo.com if you would like to request a scholarship.

Payment Agreement

By signing below, I verify that I am the parent/guardian of _____. I verify that I understand that this agreement replaces all prior agreements for tuition, fees, schedule structures, and school closings. I understand and agree to adhere to the policies and procedures herein which are effective beginning January 1, 2026.

Parent/Guardian **PRINT** Name

Parent/Guardian **SIGNATURE**

Date

PRESCHOOL TUITION

One day per week: \$44
Two days per week: \$84
Three days per week: \$124

SUMMER CAMP FEE

\$250.00 per week
(Advance reservation deposit of
\$50 required for each week)