



Geary County

Parent Resource Sheet

Average Cost of Child Care

Age Group	Family Child Care	Child Care Center	School Age Program Day Shift	Preschool
	Weekly, Full-Time Rates Average Cost (\$)	Weekly, Full-Time Rates Average Cost (\$)	Weekly, Part-Time Rates Average Cost (\$)	Weekly, Part-Time Rates Average Cost (\$)
Under 1 year	144.00	178.00		
12-17 Months	135.00	144.00		
18-23 Months	129.00	144.00		
2 Years	122.00	132.00		
3 Years	121.00	126.00		150.00
4 Years	120.00	121.00		150.00
5 Years	116.00	112.00		
6 Years and Older	113.00	108.00		

Parenting Information

Resource	Contact Information	Services
Free Parent Texting Information	Text KSKIDS to 59925	Information at your fingertips about child development, activities, and more
Parents as Teachers	(785) 717-6900 www.usd475.org	Early education program for parents of children prenatal to 3 years old
Infant-Toddler Services (Tiny-K)	(785) 717-4730 www.usd475.org	Services for families who have children with development delays
Head Start	(785) 717-4730 https://www.usd475.org	Early childhood education program serving income eligible families
Mental Health Services	(785) 587-4300 www.pawnee.org	Services from individual therapy to medication assessment and management

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Community Resource Sheets

Local Community Services

Resource	Contact Information	Services
Department for Children and Families Services	(785) 762-5445 www.dcf.ks.gov	Child care assistance, child support enforcement, food assistance, health services
Health Department	(785)762-5788 www.jcghealthdept.org	Home health, child care licensing, immunizations, Kan-Be-Healthy, Women, Infants & Children (W.I.C.)
K-State Research & Extension Office (Local Agent)	(785) 238-4161 www.ksre.ksu.edu (785)234-0568	Nutrition education, youth development, family financial planning, family life
American Red Cross	www.redcross.org	Community services that help the families in need
Dorothy Bramlage Public Library	(785) 238-4311 www.jclib.org	Books, classes, community information, internet access, children's programs, adult programs
Junction City Area Chamber of Commerce	(785) 762-2632 www.junctioncitychamber.org	Community contacts promote and improve the business climate
Geary County Emergency Preparedness	(785) 238-1290	Provides information to plan for a disaster/emergency
Geary Community Hospital	(785) 238-4131 www.gchks.org	Resource for health care needs, cancer care, emergency care, laboratory, maternity and obstetrics, rehabilitation and surgical

State/National Services

Resource	Contact Information	Services
KanCare	www.kancare.ks.gov	Low cost or no cost health insurance for families and children
United Way 2-1-1 of Kansas	Call 2-1-1 www.211kansas.org	Food pantries, counseling, mentoring, after-school programs, disability services and much more
Parent Help Line	(800) 244-5373	A 24-hour help line for parents in stress or in need of other services
Child Abuse & Neglect Hotline	(800) 922-5330	If you suspect a child is being abused or neglected
National Center for Homeless Education	http://bit.ly/2spPMQ5 (785) 296-6714	Guidance is provided to families, and communities who need information regarding students are in homeless situations



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