

KINDERGARTEN CARE



PLAY



Discover

Explore



KINDERGARTEN CARE (KCARE)

Parents who require a full-day service for their children who are enrolled in MK can apply for the KCare service.

KCare provides care services, and **time** and **space** for children to **play, explore** and **discover** through **specially designed environments with carefully chosen resources**.

KCare aims to provide opportunities for children to develop confidence in communicating with others, social skills, self-help skills and values such as responsibility, care and respect.



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KEY FEATURES

Play

Exploration and discovery through play

Importance of play

Large blocks of time for indoor and outdoor play

Importance of continuous periods of time for play

Opportunities for mixed-age play

Benefits of mixed-age play and interaction (K1 and K2)

Environment

Specially designed environment and carefully chosen resources

Importance of environment

Children's autonomy in deciding what and how to play within the created environment

Benefits of child-initiated play

KCARE PROGRAMME

Modular Activities provide opportunities for continuity of children's experiences in different areas of interest across a week. By entering **immersive environments** that excite them to **explore and discover through play**, children get to engage in **deeper** and **more complex** forms of play.

Modular Activities	Purpose
Art & Craft	For children to imagine and create
Tinkering	
Cookery	For children to develop independence and self-help skills
Music, Movement & Dramatisation	For children to develop confidence and communication skills
Gardening (outdoor)	For children to find out more about the world around them
Sand & Water Play (outdoor)	

KCARE PROGRAMME

Modular Activities (Indoor)



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Modular Activities (Outdoor)



KCARE PROGRAMME

Free Play provides opportunities for children to choose what and who they want to play with, and how they want to play. They take place in four areas that provide children with a range of play experiences that can inspire their **creativity and imagination**.

Indoor Free Play

Outdoor Free Play

Construction and
Manipulative
Free Play

Dramatic
Free Play

Outdoor
Free Play

Sand and Water
Free Play



Nurturing reading among the children is also important and **Dedicated Reading Time** is provided for children to be engaged in reading daily.

KCARE ROUTINES AND ENVIRONMENT

Health Check Areas



***Parents/Caregivers to leave only after health check is cleared.**

KCARE ROUTINES AND ENVIRONMENT

Health Check Areas (7am-7.45am) Level 3



You can check in with
**Little Family
Room now!**



Valid: 12 Apr 2020

**Sign in / out by
scanning QR Code using
Little Family Room app**

KCARE ROUTINES AND ENVIRONMENT

Health Check Areas (8.10am onwards)
Level 1 Gate 2 Lobby



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KCare Dismissal Timing (Staggered)

Drop Off and Pick Up Point

Please follow the timings for arrival and dismissal of your child.

Arrival	Dismissal (Staggered) 4.30pm, 5.20pm, 5.50pm, 6.20pm
7:00-7:50am – Parents are allowed to come up to KCare Level 3. 8:10 am onwards – Teachers will pick up children from Level 1 Lobby.	4.30pm: Gate 2 Lobby 5.20pm: Foyer 5.50pm: Foyer 6.20pm: Foyer

Blackout timings to note:

7.50am to 8.10am, 11.55am to 1.00pm, 4.50pm to 5.10pm

To note:

Parents to keep to the dismissal timing.

KCARE ROUTINES AND ENVIRONMENT

Outdoor Environment

Specially designed Sand & Water play area and Sensory Garden for children to use their five senses to explore and find out about the world around them



Sand & Water Play Area



Sensory Garden

A TYPICAL DAY

Sample Timetable (AM KCare)

Time	Activity
0700 - 0830	Arrival and Health Check Breakfast
0830 - 0930	Modular Activities/ Outdoor Free Play
0930 - 1030	Modular Activities/ Indoor Free Play
1030 - 1100	Wipedown
1100 - 1300	Rest/Nap, Lunch
1300 - 1700	MOE Kindergarten
1700 - 1900	Indoor/Outdoor Free Play Quiet Time and Dismissal

A TYPICAL DAY

Sample Timetable (PM KCare)

Time	Activity
12.00 pm – 12.30 pm	Arrival in KCare and Health Check
12.30 pm – 2.30 pm	Lunch, Clean-up, Rest/Nap
2.30 pm – 3.30 pm	Modular Activities (Indoor) / Indoor Free Play
3.30 pm – 3.45 pm	Afternoon Snack
3.45 pm – 4.00 pm	Dedicated Reading Time
4.00 pm – 5.00 pm	Modular Activities (Indoor/Outdoor) / Indoor/Outdoor Free Play
5.00 pm – 7.00 pm	Indoor / Outdoor Free Play, Quiet Time and Dismissal

HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

Sample Timetable for KCare

Time (h)	Activity
7.00 am – 9.00 am	Arrival and Health Check Breakfast and Indoor Free Play
9.00 am – 11.00 am	Holiday Activities (Outdoor) Morning Snack
11.00 am – 11.15 am	Dedicated Reading Time
11.15 am – 12.15 pm	Modular Activities (Indoor)
12.15 pm – 2.45 pm	Lunch, Clean-up, Rest/Nap
2.45 pm – 3.00 pm	Dedicated Reading Time
3.00 pm – 3.30 pm	Afternoon Snack
3.30 pm – 5.00 pm	Holiday Activities (Indoor)
5.00 pm – 7.00 pm	Indoor/Outdoor Free Play Quiet Time and Dismissal

SUGGESTED PACKING LIST

Suggested Daily Packing List

1. One extra set of MK uniform to change into every day
2. A plastic bag to store wet or dirty clothes
3. Small towel
4. Hair accessories for girls (e.g. comb and rubber band)
5. A pair of slippers (to be kept in KCare)

Optional:

1. Toothbrush, toothpaste and mug
2. Small Pillow/Blanket (to bring home everyday, needs to be kept in a zipped up bag)

Please ensure all items are labelled.

SAMPLE MENU

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Horfun	Mixed Grain Rice	Chicken Rice	Mixed Grain Rice	Spaghetti Bolognese
Minced chicken	Steamed Fish	Roasted Chicken	Sweet Sour Fish	Marinated Minced Chicken
Chye Sim and Carrot	Stir Fry Bok Choy	Stir Fry Cabbage	Pan Fry Broccoli	Cauliflower
Clear Tomato Soup	Carrot Soup	Cauliflower Clear Soup	Clear Carrot Soup	Mushroom Soup
Rock Melon	Watermelon	Rock Melon	Papaya	Honeydew

SAMPLE MENU (BREAKFAST & TEABREAK)

Day Week	1	2	3	4	5
Monday	Honey stars with milk	Cheerios and milk	Honey stars with milk	Cheerios with milk	Honey stars with milk
Tuesday	Vanilla Wholemeal Cream Bun	Strawberry Cream Bun	Blueberry wholemeal cream bun	Chocolate cream bun	Strawberry Cream bun
Wednesday	Wholemeal bread with strawberry spread	Wholemeal bread with blueberry spread	Wholemeal bread with strawberry spread	Wholemeal bread with blueberry spread	Wholemeal bread with strawberry spread
Thursday	Cookie & Cream Wholemeal Cream Bun	Biscuit with milk	Butter Sugar Wholemeal cream bun	Biscuit with milk	Cookie & Cream Wholemeal Cream Bun
Friday	Peach and mango Yoghurt	Pandan Cake	Peach and mango Yoghurt	Cheese cake	Peach and mango Yoghurt

SCHEDULE FOR FIRST 2 DAYS

For K1 Children Enrolled at

MK in the Morning: 2 & 3 Jan 2025

Time	Venue
8.30am to 10.00am	MK
10.00am to 11.30pm	KCare

For K1 Children Enrolled at

MK in the Afternoon: 2 & 3 Jan 2025

Time	Venue
1.30pm to 3.00pm	MK
3.00pm to 4.30pm	KCare



MK and KCare Schedule for K2 children remains unchanged

KCARE FEE



Monthly fee for KCare in 2025

Singapore Citizen	Singapore Permanent Resident
\$207 (Fee shown above is after \$150 basic subsidy)	\$357



KCARE FEE – SUBSIDIES

KCare subsidy is administered by MOE and provided in 2 tiers:

Basic Subsidy (BS)





-  All Singapore Citizen (SC) children are eligible for and automatically given a Basic Subsidy of \$150 per month.
-  No separate application is required

Additional Subsidy (AS)

-  Provided in addition to Basic Subsidy upon approval of the AS application
-  Tiered according to income level and provided to eligible applicants who meet the eligibility criteria

KCARE FEE – SUBSIDIES

Eligibility Criteria for KCare Additional Subsidy (AS)




-  Child must be a **Singapore Citizen** and an **existing beneficiary of the ECDA KiFAS subsidy*** upon subsidy application
-  The applicant for the application must be the **mother or single father**
-  The applicant must work **56 hours or more per month**
-  Gross monthly household income of \$12,000 and below or per capita income of \$3,000 and below for larger families (5 or more family members in the same household with at least 3 dependents without income)

*The Kindergarten Fee Assistance Scheme (KiFAS), which is administered by ECDA, is a means-tested subsidy to assist families in subsidising Kindergarten fees. The evaluation and eligibility of KCare AS depend on the outcome of ECDA KiFAS application. ECDA KiFAS and MOE KCare AS Household Income (HHI) and Per Capita Income (PCI) tiers are aligned.






KCARE FEE – SUBSIDIES

Minimum Attendance Requirement

-  The child must meet the **minimum attendance requirement of one day per month** at the centre to receive subsidies, unless a valid medical certificate (MC) covers the entire month's absence (subject to MOE's approval). **MC must state the period of absence for the entire month.**
-  MCs for 1 or 2 days will not be substantial to justify a full month's absence.
-  Failure to meet the attendance requirement will result in the full KCare fee being payable for that month.





KCARE FEE – SUBSIDIES

-  From end of Q4 2024, MOE extends KCare additional subsidy to all families of Singaporean children with a **gross monthly household income of up to \$6,000 or per capita income of \$1,500.**
-  This is in addition to the \$150 basic subsidy per month currently provided to all families of Singaporean children.
-  Confirmation for the KCare additional subsidy will only be determined after we have reviewed your application.



KCARE FEE – SUBSIDIES

Can Non-Working Individuals Apply for KCare Additional Subsidy (AS)?

-  A working applicant refers to one who works 56 hours or more per month
-  If the applicant is on No-Pay Leave, you will be considered as non-working as you do not meet the required criteria of working at least 56 hours per month.
-  AS can be granted with special approval, on a case-by-case basis, and will require supporting documents. If granted, the **amount and duration will depend on your circumstances.**
-  For applicants who are not working, you may apply for AS if you are:
 - Seeking employment
 - Enrolled in course / training that is at least 56 hours a month
 - Medically certified unfit for work (e.g. due to pregnancy complications, hospitalisation, illness and/or permanent disability etc)
 - Caring full-time for family member due to medical reasons
 - Caring full-time for younger child aged 24 months & below
 - Receiving MSF's ComCare or under HDB Public Rental Scheme

KCARE FEE – SUBSIDIES

How do I apply for KCare Additional Subsidy (AS)?

Online Application


 Applicants must submit their application for KCare AS online via this link :

<https://go.gov.sg/kcare-application>

 Authentication through **Singpass login** is required

 One application is required for each child

Special Cases

 Non-parent applicants (e.g., legal guardians, foster parents, grandparents, relatives, and children's home representatives) will be required to submit relevant supporting documents.

Processing Time

 The average processing time is about **8 weeks from the point of application submission or ECDA KiFAS subsidy approval**, whichever is later.



KCARE ADDITIONAL SUBSIDY ELIGIBILITY CHECKER

You may utilise the KCare Eligibility Calculator available on the MOE website to determine if your child qualifies for the KCare additional subsidy:

<https://moe.gov.sg/preschool/moe-kindergarten/kindergarten-care>

KCare subsidy eligibility checker (applicable for SC child only)

An additional subsidy is also provided and this is tiered according to income levels. Enter the details to check whether your child is eligible for the additional subsidy:

 My monthly household income is 

There are people in my household.

I am a working mother or single father of my child.

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REGISTRATION FOR KCARE

1) Confirm your child's place by making the following payment:

a) \$207 one-month deposit

(\$357 for Permanent Residents)

b) \$207 first month fee

(\$357 for Permanent Residents)

Total **\$414** (for Singapore Citizen child)

or **\$714** (for Permanent Resident child)

**Remember to key in your child's name and level under Reference.
E.g. "John Tan Xiao Ming K1"**

REGISTRATION FOR KCARE

- 2) Complete and submit the KCare GIRO form on Admin day. Child Development Account (CDA) account can be used for subsequent monthly fees. This process will usually take about 6 - 8 weeks.
 - 3) Register your child online at go.gov.sg/kcare-application
 - 4) Apply for Additional Subsidy at go.gov.sg/kcare-application
- *optional

REGISTRATION FOR KCARE

You can make payment on Admin Day through:

- Nets CDA machine
- Internet Banking (OCBC A/C No:595-153065-001)
- PayNow QR code

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COMMUNICATION

We encourage and appreciate frequent communication between the KCare operator and parents.

We can be reached at:

Email: KCASN@rafflesstudentcare.com

Phone/Whatsapp: 89527254

All registered KCare children will be issued a LittleLives account for direct communication between parents and centre staff.

Download “Little Lives Family Room” app.

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LITTLE FAMILY ROOM

1. Broadcast messages
 - School Closure Dates
 - Lunch & Snack Menu
 - Festive Notices
2. Weekly Activity & Photo Updates
3. Attendance - Check in / out
4. School Fees Invoice
5. Teacher - Parent Direct Message



THANK YOU!

