

MAXIMUM REIMBURSEMENT RATES FOR CHILD CARE**Based on the 2018 Market Rate Survey****

The following rates are applicable to children authorized under the "EA", "JB", "TC", "BW", "BT", "BU", and "BR" Eligibility Code(s) as reflected on the Child Care Certificate of Authorization.

Effective October 1, 2021

CENTERS*

Age Group		District I	District II	District III	District IV	District V	District VI
Under 1 year-old	Full day	50.20	43.03	39.00	34.00	42.50	38.25
	Part day	46.00	39.00	34.80	27.00	31.75	36.75
1 and 2 year-old	Full day	46.15	38.25	38.00	30.00	37.50	34.10
	Part day	39.20	32.60	28.88	25.00	30.15	30.50
3, 4, and 5 year-old	Full day	34.00	33.47	30.36	25.00	28.50	25.00
	Part day	26.00	25.00	21.00	20.00	20.00	18.00
6 through 12 year-old	Full day	30.00	25.00	28.00	24.50	30.00	25.00
	Part day	19.00	20.00	16.50	18.00	20.00	17.00

GROUP HOMES*

Age Group		District I	District II	District III	District IV	District V	District VI
Under 1 year-old	Full day	36.00	32.00	30.00	30.00	34.00	24.00
	Part day	34.00	25.00	27.50	22.00	26.25	21.50
1 and 2 year-old	Full day	36.00	30.00	28.75	30.00	31.00	26.25
	Part day	35.00	25.00	20.00	22.00	24.25	21.50
3, 4, and 5 year-old	Full day	28.00	28.00	26.00	26.00	30.00	23.00
	Part day	20.00	20.00	18.00	20.00	19.50	18.00
6 through 12 year-old	Full day	25.00	27.00	25.00	26.36	30.00	23.00
	Part day	18.00	20.00	18.00	20.00	20.50	19.00

CERTIFIED FAMILY HOMES AND CERTIFIED IN-HOME PROVIDERS*

Age Group		District I	District II	District III	District IV	District V	District VI
Under 1 year-old	Full day	29.50	29.50	28.25	20.00	35.00	24.46
	Part day	25.00	25.00	17.75	15.00	28.13	13.50
1 and 2 year-old	Full day	29.50	29.50	27.75	20.00	32.50	26.00
	Part day	25.00	25.00	20.00	15.00	18.75	14.09
3, 4, and 5 year-old	Full day	20.00	25.00	25.00	20.00	25.00	22.00
	Part day	15.00	20.00	17.00	12.00	15.00	12.75
6 through 12 year-old	Full day	19.29	22.86	25.00	20.00	25.00	20.00
	Part day	15.00	15.00	15.00	12.00	15.00	12.00

NON-CERTIFIED RELATIVE PROVIDERS

Age Group		District I	District II	District III	District IV	District V	District VI
Birth through 12 year-old	Full day	15.00	15.00	15.00	15.00	15.00	15.00
	Part day	8.50	8.50	8.50	8.50	8.50	8.50

SPECIAL NEEDS RATES

Age Group		District I	District II	District III	District IV	District V	District VI
Birth through 12 year-old	Full day	67.77	67.77	67.77	67.77	67.77	67.77
	Part day	62.10	62.10	62.10	62.10	62.10	62.10

*The reimbursement rates are increased by the following measure:

35% for child care providers who have a three-star, four-star, or five-star rating by First Things First's Quality First program, or who are nationally accredited. 20% for family child care providers who have a CDA.

** Rates are based on the 75th percentile of the 2018 Market Rate Survey for birth through age 2 and the 50th percentile of the 2018 Market Rate Survey for age 3 and up.

Full day = six or more hours per day. Part day = less than six hours but more than 15 minutes per day.

The actual hours of care provided to school-age children who are completing virtual, remote, or online school work while under the supervision of the provider may count towards the full-day or part-day billable hours. The provider shall not provide any instruction or services associated with academic credit or a school's program.

DES defines six local areas based upon geographic proximity/common characteristics, as Districts.

They are comprised of the following counties:

District I – Maricopa**District II** – Pima**District III** – Apache, Coconino, Navajo and Yavapai**District IV** – La Paz, Mohave and Yuma**District V** – Gila and Pinal**District VI** – Cochise, Graham, Greenlee and Santa Cruz

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1 and 2 year-old	Full day/Part day	46.15	38.25	38.00	30.00	37.50	34.10
3, 4, and 5 year-old	Full day/Part day	40.80	35.00	35.00	28.00	32.80	31.80
6 through 12 year-old	Full day/Part day	35.00	32.00	34.50	26.00	31.00	33.75

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3, 4, and 5 year-old	Full day/Part day	35.00	30.00	27.75	30.00	30.50	25.00
6 through 12 year-old	Full day/Part day	30.00	30.00	27.25	30.00	31.00	25.00

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3, 4, and 5 year-old	Full day/Part day	25.00	25.00	27.00	20.00	29.00	26.50
6 through 12 year-old	Full day/Part day	25.00	25.00	26.00	20.00	25.50	27.00

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