NC A&T SU Child Development Laboratory
INFORMATION FACT SHEET
2020-2021

What are the hours of operations?
Monday through Friday
7:45 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.
There is no before or after-school program. Late fee pickup is $10.00 each 10 minute period (ex: 5:30-5:40)

Is this a year round program?
No. The CDL operates from late August to early June.

What time will my child need to arrive to receive morning snack?
No later than 8:30 a.m.

When does enrollment begin at the NC A&T State University Child Development Laboratory?
March 6 – May 1, 2020

When are applications due back to the CDL?
April 3, 2020
Applications will not be accepted after 5:00 p.m. on April 3rd.

When will applicants be notified if they are accepted?
No later than May 1, 2020

If I have a sibling/s already enrolled at the CDL will my child be given priority placement?
Yes

Who may apply for enrollment?
Any parent/guardian may apply. The enrollment period is once a year.

Is priority given to NC A&T State University employees? Between University affiliated children and community children?
No. A 50/50% balance is considered

Is there an enrollment application fee?
No

Do we accept DSS or other child care subsidy vouchers?
No

When is the Family Orientation scheduled?
August 19, 2020

What is the first day for children?
Monday, August 24, 2020

Is the staff educated and/or certified in Early Childhood Education?
Yes. All teachers have at least a Bachelors’ Degree in Child Development and are continuing educational credits.

What is the cost of tuition for the academic school year?
$350.00 per month

When is tuition due?
The first business day of each month

When is tuition considered late?
After the 3rd business day of each month

Is there a late payment fee?
Yes. $10.00 per day beyond the due date.

Is there an Activity Fee?
Yes. $30.00/month per child
When is the Activity Fee considered late? After the 3rd business day of each month

What is the purpose of the Activity Fee? This fee provides a supplement experience to the CDL learning such as technology, PTO activities, resource consultants, and interactive activities that extend the learning in the classroom or any curriculum supplements. The activity fee will be kept in a separate non-state account.

If I work at NC A&T State University, does that automatically mean that my child will be accepted? No. The process is “random selection.”

What is the “Holding Fee?” The holding fee is an annual fee of $100. Once you have been notified that your child has been accepted and assigned to a designated “space” in the classroom. It reserves the space for your child.

When should the “Holding Fee” be paid? The holding fee should not be paid before July 6th of the year of enrollment, but no later than July 8th.

If my child is accepted and have paid the “Holding Fee” but change my mind about my child being enrolled, will the “Holding Fee” be refunded to me? No. There are no refunds of the holding fee.

Is my tuition and activity fees tax deductible? Check with your Tax Accountant.

Does the CDL need documents that verify my income? No. Simply circle the range of Income on the initial Application for Enrollment.

If my child is accepted and has to start at a later time; like the middle of September, can my child still attend the program? Yes. The child will be counted absent for those days but the total monthly tuition and activity fees will be required.

Is there an age limit for eligibility? Yes. The child should be 2 years and 6 months by September 1, 2020; and no older than 5 years old by September 1, 2020.

If my child is still wearing pull-ups on the 1st day of school can they attend? No. The children can not wear pull-ups. They must be completely potty-trained. We are not licensed to change diapers.

When does the school year start? The children will begin on:
August 20th – Staggered Entry
August 21st – Staggered Entry
August 24th – First Full Day

Is there a Tuition and Activity Fee for the month August? Yes. August Tuition payment will be combined with September tuition payment and Activity fee. There is no Activity fee for August.
What payment methods can I use to pay for tuition and activity fee? You are able to pay with Cashier’s Check, Money Order, Visa, Mastercard, Clover, Discover, Amex, Star, and NC Flex (dependent care).

When will I get the Parent Handbook and School Calendar? You will receive your Parent Handbook during Family Orientation if your child is selected for enrollment. The School Calendar will be included in the packet of information mailed to you.

Will students majoring in Child Development and Family Studies and other related fields observe and interact with my child and me? Yes. Acceptance of enrollment indicates voluntary participation in the students preparation and research projects.

Thank you for considering NCA&T State University Child Development Laboratory for the care and education of your child.

If you have other questions that may not be covered on the Information Fact Sheet, please contact the Child Development Laboratory at 336-256-2750.
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