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Dear Parents:

I am writing to notify you that on January 1, 2024, the Army will implement the School Year (SY) 2023-2024 Army Child and Youth Fee Policy as required by the SY 2023-2024 Department of Defense (DoD) Child Development Program Fee Policy.

Each year, DoD Child Development Fee Policy prescribes uniform fee regulations for military child development programs based on family income (Title 10 U.S.C. 1793).

Pursuant to Department of Defense Instruction 6060.02, Child Development Programs, the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Manpower and Reserve Affairs annually reviews and issues a childcare fee policy based on Total Family Income (TFI).

For SY 2023-2024, child care fees are adjusted to make fees more equitable and more affordable for families with the greatest economic need by reducing the percentages of income that lower income families devote to their child care needs. These adjustments align with Executive Order 14095, "Increasing Access to high quality care in supporting caregivers", which directs DoD to improve the affordability of child care on military installations.

The DoD Child Development fees for SY 2023-2024 are intended to provide a balanced approach to reducing childcare fees for families in lower income categories while maintaining the parent fee income necessary to sustain the Military Services childcare operations.

The SY 2023-2024 Child and Youth Fee Policy reduces the number of fee categories from 14 to 11, modifies each TFI range, and increase the highest TFI category to \$160,001 and above.

Please contact Parent Central Services at 270-798-0674 if you have any questions or to address any issues or concerns. My point of contact is Tammie Coleman, Parent and Outreach Services Assistant Director at 270-798-4643, or [tammie.l.coleman.naf@army.mil](mailto:tammie.l.coleman.naf@army.mil).

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