

CARES 2020-2021

Dear Parents:

Our Lady of Mercy Catholic School is proud to provide extended services for our students through a <u>C</u>hildren <u>A</u>re <u>R</u>eceiving <u>E</u>xtra <u>S</u>ervices (CARES) Program. Afternoon CARES will operate from 3:00pm – 6:00pm on days when OLM is in full session. Morning CARES will operate from 6:30am-8:00am.

CARES is available on days when school dismisses early, except for Thanksgiving.

Our CARES program is designed to provide for a safe and secure environment for students while providing afternoon students with a light snack, outside play (when weather permits), homework time and organized activities. All rules and policies of the school, outlined in the OLM Student-Parent Handbook, apply to CARES. For the safety of all children, a parent (or a designated person you assign) must sign the "Pick Up" book. The date, time of pick-up and parents signature must be recorded each day.

The pricing for CARES for the 2020-2021 school year is based on the actual number of days your child attends CARES. Due to the fact that many families vary the number of days they utilize CARES from week to week and the difference in available CARES days from month to month, this system provides a more accurate price to our families.

AFTER CARE Daily Rate

1 Child	\$15	After CARE – Pick Up before 4:15
	\$16	After CARE – Pick Up after 4:15
	\$20	Early Dismissal Days – 12:00 – 3:00
	\$40	Early Dismissal Days – 12:00 – 6:00
2 Children	\$30	After CARE – Pick Up before 4:15
	\$32	After CARE – Pick Up after 4:15
	\$40	Early Dismissal Days – 12:00 – 3:00
	\$80	Early Dismissal Days – 12:00 – 6:00
3 Children	\$45	After CARE – Pick Up before 4:15
	\$48	After CARE – Pick Up after 4:15
	\$60	Early Dismissal Days – 12:00 – 3:00
	\$120	Early Dismissal Days – 12:00 – 6:00

BEFORE CARE Daily Rate

1 Child	\$7	After CARE - 6:30 AM - 8:00 AM
2 Children	\$14	After CARE - 6:30 AM - 8:00 AM
3 Children	\$21	After CARE - 6:30 AM - 8:00 AM

CARES fees will be processed through your FACTS accounts or you may pay by check to the school. Checks are to be received by the 5th of the following month of use - October through June. Checks are to be paid to: Our Lady of Mercy.

There is a \$25/family registration fee to cover start-up costs associated with the program.

DROP IN CARES SERVICE

At OLM, we recognize that situations may arise in which parents need to utilize CARES but they have not formally registered for the CARES program. For these days, we are pleased to offer our "Drop-In CARES" services. This Drop-In Service provides the same hours and same benefits as our regular CARES program and can be arranged by telephoning the main office prior to 2pm. The cost of this service is: \$22 per student (pick up before 4:15) or \$27 per student (pick up after 4:15).

Late Openings (snow delay) – Morning CARES will not be available on days we have a snow delay.

Early Dismissal due to inclement weather – CARES will not be available on days that school dismisses early due to inclement weather. In this occasion, please contact the front office to advise how your child should go home (bus or car line).

Late Fees: Students who are picked up late will be assessed a late fee, which is to be paid upon arrival or will be added to your FACTS bill.

6:00 – 6:15 Additional \$5 6:15 – 6:30 Additional \$10

If you have any questions, please email rmakoid@olmrcs.com.

Mr. John C. McGrath, M. Ed

Principal

CARES Registration 2020-2021

Family Name:	
Student Name	Grade

Please check the days CARES is needed and indicate estimated drop off and pick up times:

Before Care ✓ If needed	After Care ✓ If needed	Day	AM Drop off Time	PM Pick up Time
		Monday		
		Tuesday		
		Wednesday		
		Thursday		
		Friday		

CARES fees will be billed directly to your FACTS account for the previous month's use.			
The first bill will be posted to your FACTS account on October 5 th .			
My \$25 Registration check will be mailed in.			
Please bill my \$25 Registration fee to my FACTS account.			

Our CARES program will begin on Wednesday, September 9, 2020.