

Program Description

The **VWS After School Program** offers a warm and engaging environment consistent with the values of Waldorf education. The program is open to children in Kindergarten to Grade 6. The Program Leader is Mara Johansen. Program Administrator is Wei Liu.

Program Hours

Monday to Wednesday & Friday: 3:00 to 6:00 pm

Thursday: 2:00 to 6:00 pm

The program runs on VWS School Days and is not available on Stat holidays, Professional Development days, Winter Break, Spring Break, End-of-Term partial-days, or during summer months.

Program Costs (per child)

Registration Fee: \$100 non-refundable, one time, registration fee *

Early Registration: the \$100 fee will be waived for children registered before June 30

Days per week:**

5 days: \$340/month***

3 days: \$210/month***

2 days: \$140/month***

1 day: \$70/month

Daily (Drop in): \$20 per day

(based upon availability; no guarantees)

Late pick-up fee: \$25 for the first 15 minutes; \$5/additional minute thereafter

* If more than one child per family is being registered, you pay this fee only once

** The days of the week selected for part-time care cannot be changed without 1 month written notice and approval by Program Leader.

*** Includes early dismissal days; does not include professional development weeks or end of term partial days.

Notes

1. This program is only available to students currently registered at Vancouver Waldorf School
2. Rates are pro-rated for the VWS school calendar and are not more than monthly fees charged by comparable local programs.
3. Registration is for the entire school year (September to June). There are no refunds for early pick-up or days missed due to illness or vacation. There are no discounts offered for multiple children from the same family.
4. One month written notice is required to withdraw from the program. For example, if you wish to cancel your registration for November 1, 2020 you must inform us in writing before or on October 1, 2020.
5. Unless written notice is provided, your registration will be considered active over the summer months (i.e. if you were registered in June 2020 you are automatically registered for September 2020). There are no monthly fees for July or August when the program is on break.
6. Monthly payments will be deducted by pre-authorized debit on the 1st day of every month.
7. No fee subsidy is offered for the After School Program. However, families may apply for the Child Care Subsidy offered through the provincial government, if they meet the requirements.
8. If you receive childcare subsidy you are responsible for paying the difference between the VWS Child Care rate and any subsidy you receive. If you are not eligible for subsidy, you are required to pay the full child care fees. It is a family's responsibility to ensure that their subsidy is current and all required paperwork is submitted to VWS. For more information, visit www.mcf.gov.bc.ca/childcare/subsidy.
9. Program fees are reviewed annually, three months' notice will be given for fee increases.
10. The registration fee will be waived for students enrolled before June 30th.
11. The program will run contingent on sufficient enrolment.

To Apply

Program details and the application package can be found online at www.vws.ca/after-school-program. Please submit your application to Wei Liu at wliu@vws.ca. For more information please email accounting@vws.ca.