



2022 CHILD CARE PROFILE: CHRISTIAN COUNTY, ILLINOIS

Average Weekly Child Care Tuition Information							
TUITION RATES	INFANT	TODDLER	2'\$	3-4'S	5'S	SCHOOL AGE BEFORE/ AFTER	SCHOOL AGE SUMMER
FAMILY CHILD CARE	\$156.00	\$155.00	\$152.00	\$140.00	\$137.00	\$84.00	\$133.00
CENTER BASED CHILD CARE (DAILY)	\$60.00	\$44.00	\$50.00	\$37.00	\$37.00	\$24.00	\$30.00
OVERALL AVERAGE (ALL PROVIDERS)	\$104.00	\$106.00	\$104.00	\$95.00	\$88.00	\$57.00	\$80.00
PERCENT OF AVERAGE WEEKLY INCOME	7.7%	7.8%	7.7%	7.0%	6.5%	4.2%	5.9%

This is full time weekly rates charged by providers for day shift.

Child Care Program Information (Programs/ Child Care Slots) **OVERVIEW** There are a total of 31

child care facilities listed with the local CCR&R for CHRISTIAN COUNTY, IL with a capacity to serve **758**

children.

NUMBER OF CHILD CARE FACILITIES

Family Child Care: 19

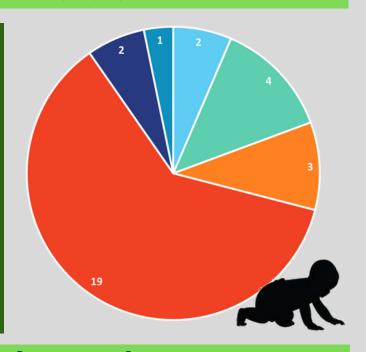
(CCC) Preschool For All: 4

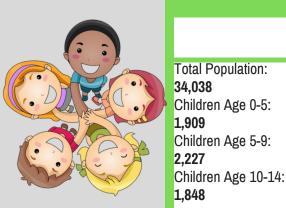
Child Care Center: 3

(CCC) Head Start/ Early Head Start: 2

Preschool Program: 2

Schoolage Program: 1





Demographic Information

Median earnings for workers*: \$70,457 Average weekly income (annual/52): \$1,354 Percent families whose income is below poverty level -(All Families) : **6.5**%

INCOME

Percent families whose income is below poverty level -(with related children <18 years of age): 9.2%

Families With income <\$25.000: 7.9%

Native American: 0.5% Asian: 0.8%

Black/ African American:

ETHNICITY

White: 97.4%

2.4%

Hispanic or Latino: 1.7%

* Demographic Information obtained from the 2017-2021 American Community Survey 5-year Estimates United States Census Bureau*



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Customer Database

REQUESTS

Of the families and children served through 6/30/22*...
Family child care was requested for 16 children (80%)
Center-based care was requested for 20 children (100%)
Full time care was requested for 20 children (100%)
Part time care was requested for 0 children (0%)

- 0 families requested care after 6pm (0%)
- 9 families were single parent households (90%)
- 0 families were teen parents (0%)
- 9 families indicated that they were employed (90%)

Families may request more than one type of care and schedule for their child(ren)

NEEDS

Percent of **Christian County** parents needing care because of:

Employment: 100%
Training/ Education: 0%
Relocation: 10%
Parent Needs: 10%
No Provider: 20%
Dissatisfied: 0%

percentages may be rounded

PAYMENT

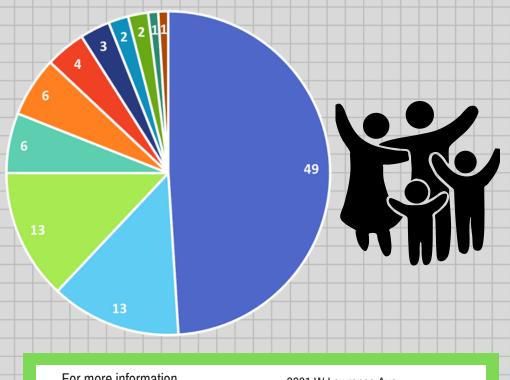
For a single working parent living in **Christian County,** working full-time, making minimum wage (\$12.00 per hour) and with an infant in child care they would either pay:

63% of their income before taxes, if their child was in a child care center.

33% of their income before taxes, if their child was in a child care home.

* \$12.00 per hour x 40 hours = \$480 per week before taxes *

*Families connected to providers through Community Child Care Connection in Christian County: 10
*Children connected to providers through Community Child Care Connection in Christian County: 20



For more information regarding early care and education please contact Community Child Care Connection:

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Email: info@4childcare.org Website: www.4childcare.org

Problems Finding Care

Follow ups were completed on **71** out of the **327** families (representing **108** out of **498** children) who contacted Community Child Care Connection for child care referrals during the fiscal year of 07/01/2021 through 06/30/2022.

The most common problems in searching for care as reported by the **71** families with follow ups:

No openings: 49

Not problems reported: 13

Other: **13**

Location: 6

Schedule: 6

Cost: 4

Provider not experienced in child needs: 3

Quality: 2

Provider not trained to meet child needs: 2

Curriculum: 1

Provider could not accommodate child: 1