

# **Little Big Minds Preschool – Uptown Campus Registration Package**

Return to:
Little Big Minds Preschool
1973 E. Maryland Ave., Phoenix, AZ 85016
\*Returning students and their siblings will have placement priority.

# Uptown Campus 2025 / 2026 Academic Year Registration

Dear Prospective Little Big Minds Preschool® Families,

Thank you for your interest in Little Big Minds Preschool. We know that your child's education is a priority and we work hard to provide the highest quality Spanish immersion preschool experience possible.

Research shows that learning a second language at an early age stimulates brain development and expands cognitive abilities. Positive academic outcomes for children who develop more than one language within the first seven years of life are substantial. Put simply, bilingualism builds brain power!

We use an inquiry-based approach to education which actively engages children in the process of learning. Our *Piezas Del Mundo*® curriculum provides authentic opportunities for exploration using real world topics that help children develop critical-thinking and communication skills through meaningful play-based activities.

**Our Mission** is to engage children in Hands On/Minds On activities that teach children how to think, not what to think. We give children the confidence to find their voice in any language and to solve problems through creativity and innovation.

We know just how critical these formative years are and we work hard to make each moment magical and joyful. We hope you will join our preschool family as we endeavor to share the gift of bilingualism. We can't wait to watch your little *BIG* minds GROW.

Sincerely,

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#### **UPTOWN CAMPUS PROGRAMS AND MONTHLY FEES**

Days/ Week	Académico (Academic Day)	Abejas Ocupadas (Busy Bees)	Madrugador (Early Birds)	Todo El Dia (All Day)
	9:00 – 1:00	9:00 – 3:00	7:00 – 3:00	7:00 – 5:30
5 (M-F)	\$861	\$1,076	\$1,192	\$1,332
3 (M,W,F)	\$681	\$802	\$954	\$1,066
2 (T/TH)	\$524	\$638	\$745	\$857

Academic Year: Enrollment is based on a commitment for the entire 10-month Academic year.

**Registration Fee:** A one-time, non-refundable fee of \$200.00 per child is due at the time of registration.

**Student Calendar:** We attempt to follow the Madison School District calendar where possible. Please note that Little Big Minds is **closed to all students during Fall, Spring** and **Winter breaks.** 

**New Student Package**: Student handbook, school activity calendar and after school enrichment activities will be delivered to registered families prior to the first day of school.

**Ratios:** Low student/teacher ratios are essential in an effective immersion environment. We have two teachers in each classroom.

Class	Birth date & Guidelines	Class Size	Ratio
2 year olds	24 months by 8/1	16	1:8
3 year olds	Must be toilet trained	20	1:10
4 and 5 year olds		22	1:11

**Program Selection:** If your choice of program is not available at time of registration, your child's name may be added to the class waitlist at your request. Waitlists are updated throughout the year. If an opening occurs, you will be notified immediately.

**Extra Hours:** Care Beyond Your Program is offered on an as needed basis and is based on space available. Space is not guaranteed. The charge is \$10.00 per hour. The hourly rate is not prorated. A full hour will be charged 15 minutes past the hour.

**All Day Students:** Naptime is available from 1pm to 3pm daily. Children who nap will nap in their own classroom.



#### **REGISTRATION INSTRUCTIONS**

Little Big Minds only accepts <u>completed</u> registration packets. Registrations will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. A registration fee must accompany each application to cover the initial cost of administration, supplies, enrichments and special projects. Current students and siblings of current students will have placement priority. Please return completed packets to: Little Big Minds Preschool - Uptown Campus: 1973 E. Maryland Ave., Phoenix, AZ 85016.

Checklist	:
	Registration Form
	\$200 Registration Fee
	Blue Form - Emergency Information and Immunization Form*
	Birth Certificate (copy)*
	Current Immunization Records
	Photo and Directory Release
	Financial Policy
	Confidential Form*
Little Big N	nild is already a Little Big Minds Preschool student and these items are current and on-file in the Inds Preschool office, you do not need to turn these forms in with your re-application. Returning ust turn in completed application by January 17, 2025, to qualify for priority placement.
the enroll	.NT: Incomplete registration packets will not be accepted. We cannot add your child's name to ment list or "hold" spots with partially completed packets. You must turn in ALL of the above n to be added to the registration list.
environm	Minds Spanish Immersion Preschool places great value on providing a global and multicultural ent for its students. It does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national or ethnic origin stration of its educational policies, admission policies, or other school administered programs.



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## Office Use Only:

Registration Fee	
Blue Form	
Birth Certificate	
Current Immunizations	
Financial Policy	
Confidential Form	
Photo/Directory Release	
Credit Card Auth.	

# **UPTOWN CAMPUS**

Please check the box to select your program.

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Child's First Name	ram choice is not ava	Middle Name		Last Name
Nickname/Name to be ca	alled	Male/Female		Birth Date
Home Address		City/State		Zip code
( ) Home Phone Number				Child Lives With
Father's Name	( )	elephone		E-mail
rainer's Name	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	elephone		E-maii
Mother's Name	( )	Telephone		E-mail
Toilet Trained? ☐ Yes	□ No		Afternoon Na	ap? □ Yes □ No
Allergies: ☐ Yes ☐ No	Please list:			
Parent Signature:			Date:	
Monthly -	Tuition Costs are paid	I for the 10-months f	rom August 2025 to	May 2026

Tuition will not be prorated for absences due to illness, vacations or school holidays.



#### LITTLE BIG MINDS PRESCHOOL

#### FINANCIAL POLICY

Little Big Minds Preschool is an independent, private preschool. Our operations are not subsidized by a sponsoring organization and our income derives solely from tuition fees and fundraising efforts. Our budget constraints mean that every family has a responsibility to pay their tuition in-full and on-time. An explanation of the school's financial policies follows:

**Registration Fee:** Annual Registration fee is paid once each year to cover the cost of initial administration, supplies, special projects, and enrichment opportunities. The registration fee for all classes is \$200 and it is nonrefundable and nontransferable.

**Tuition Payment**: Tuition is payable on the **5**<sup>th</sup> of each month of the school year. August 2025 tuition is due August 1st, 2025. Monthly Tuition costs are paid for 10-months (from August through May), including December. The **campus** is **closed to all students for Fall, Spring and Winter breaks** according to the Madison School District Calendar. Tuition is not prorated based on school holidays, illness or vacation.

**Late Charges**: Tuition payments received after the 5<sup>th</sup> day of the month are deemed late and subject to a late charge of \$25.00. Any payment received will first be applied to any outstanding late fees, then to the outstanding tuition balance. A charge of \$25.00 will also be assessed on checks or credit card payments returned for insufficient funds. Failure to pay on the 5<sup>th</sup> of the month will result in suspension.

**Non-Payment:** If family experiences a change in circumstances or is otherwise unable to meet their payment obligations, it is the responsibility of family to contact the Director to work out an acceptable arrangement. If an account is more than 30 days past due and a satisfactory arrangement cannot be reached, the Director may require that the child(ren) be withdrawn from the school and a payment schedule will be made until the balance due is paid in full.

**Withdrawal:** Should unforeseen circumstances arise, parents must provide the Director with 30-days prior written notice of withdrawal for any reason and shall be liable for tuition for a period of 30-days from the date notice is given to the school.

**Program Change:** Parents may change program selection mid-year if space is available. Parents must provide 30 days written notice prior to the effective date and they are responsible for all tuition charges for the original program during that 30-day period.

**Temporary Absences:** No refunds will be made for temporary absences due to force majeure, family vacations, illness, accidents, health notices, etc. In the event of special circumstances, a parent may apply in writing to the Executive Committee of the Preschool Board of Directors for special consideration.

**Multi-Child Discount:** In the event a family has two or more children enrolled in the school during the same school year, the family will receive a 10% discount on the tuition for one additional child. (The discount applies to the child in the family with the lowest tuition.)

**Madison District Teacher/Staff Discount:** Any teacher or staff member under contract with the district will receive a discount of 10% on the tuition for any child(ren) enrolled for that school year. The 10% discount will be applied after the multi-child discount, if both are applicable.

**Care Beyond your Program**: Care beyond your program will incur a charge of \$10.00/hour. Hourly costs are not prorated. A full hour will be charged after 15 minutes. Care beyond your program fees are payable on the first of each month with monthly tuition.

**Late pickup:** A late fee of \$1 per minute will be charged for every minute after 5:30pm. Teachers will report late pickups to the Director and families will be invoiced with monthly tuition.

I,(Printed Name) have read the Little B Minds Preschool Financial Policy in its entirety and agree to comply with the terms stated herein.					
Signature	Date				



## **PHOTO OPT-OUT FORM**

Child's Name:
Parent's Name:
During the course of a school year many wonderful photos are taken both in the classrooms and at school-related events. These photos are intended to capture the joy of early learning. Each week teachers will share pictures of children hard at work in the classrooms on the private classroom Kaymbu app. From time-to-time we will also post pictures on Little Big Minds social media accounts.
Please initial in the box below if you do <b>not</b> want your child's picture included in any Little Big Minds or classroom communications.
Please do <u>NOT</u> include my child's picture in any Little Big Minds classroom or school communications.
DIRECTORY OPT-OUT FORM
The Little Big Minds Preschool Directory is sent via email in an effort to facilitate parent communication and to share contact information for birthday parties and community gatherings. The list will not be sold, used or distributed outside of the preschool.
Please do <b>NOT</b> include my contact information in the classroom directory.
Signature: Date:
Note: By not checking the above hoves you consent to participation in Little Rig Minds Directory

and use of photos on Kaymbu and other social media accounts.



CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION	Date Completed:///					
Child's Name:						
Name to be called: Date of Birth / /sex: □ F □ M						
Mother's Name:	Father's Name:					
Employer:	Employer:					
Occupation:	Occupation:					
Cell Phone:	Cell Phone:					
Email:	Email:					
<ol> <li>Does your child have any allergies?</li> <li>Milk</li></ol>	t □ Wheat □ Medication □ Othertion and treatment to exposure.					
Medical history: Please list all serious, chronic or prolonged illness, surgeries, conditions or diseases we should be aware of:						
3. Help us get to know your child. In a sentence interests, temperament, etc	Help us get to know your child. In a sentence or two, please describe your child's personality, talents, interests, temperament, etc					
4. What are some of your child's favorite indoor a	and outdoor activities?					
5. Does your child have any specific fears or anx	riety? Please describe.					



6.	Are the child's parents divorced? □ yes □ no Child lives with:
	Does the child visit the parent who is not living at home? □ yes □ no
	How often? Is it a positive relationship?
	Any other adults living in the home?   yes   no   Relationship to child?
7.	Is this child's first preschool experience? □ yes □ no
	Name of previous preschool(s) and dates attended:
	Reason for move to Little Big Minds:
8.	Is your child toilet trained? □ yes □ no Does s/he nap? □ yes □ no Duration:hrs.
	Does the child have any problems with eating, sleeping or toilet use? Please describe:
9.	Are there any emotional, developmental or physical needs we should be aware of? □ yes □ no
10.	Please use the following space to tell us anything we need to know about the child. This form is private and confidential.
11.	Will you be our Knowledge Partner? Do you have any special skills, interests or talents that you would be willing to share with the children or the staff? Will you share your heritage with us as we learn about other countries around the world?
12.	Would you be willing to volunteer on campus or as a classroom coordinator or classroom volunteer?
	☐ Classroom Coordinator (Help with classroom parties and special events) ☐ Playdough Volunteer (Make playdough for the classroom each month)
	☐ Library Volunteer (Bring theme-related books) ☐ PTO Committee Member



CDC/SGH# or name:	
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# Arizona Department of Health Services Bureau of Child Care Licensing Emergency, Information and Immunization Record Card

Child's Name:		Date Enrolled:		Updated:		
Home Address (#, Street, City, State, Zip Code):					Date Disenrolled:	
Home Phone:			Date of Birth:		Sex: male female	
Parent or Guardian Name	:	Home Address (#	#, Street, City, State,	Zip Code):		
Cell Phone (optional):		Contact Telepho	one Number:			
Parent or Guardian Name	:	Home Address (#	#, Street, City, State,	Zip Code):		
Cell Phone (optional):		Contact Telepho	one Number:			
I authorize the follow	ina individuals to a	allost my shild t	from the facility	in aggs of among	oner on if I connet be contested.	
(Pursuant to R9-5-30					ency or if I cannot be contacted:	
Name:				Contact Teleph	one Number:	
Name:				Contact Teleph	one Number:	
Name:				Contact Telepho	Contact Telephone Number:	
Name:				Contact Telephone Number:		
If Medical care is n	necessary call:					
	ame:			Contact Teleph	one Number:	
*A Health Care Pro	ovider is a physic	ian, physician	n assistant or re	egistered nurse	practitioner.	
	n case of inju	•				
I request t	that this indiv	idual be cal	lled first:			
The following indi	vidual(s) may NC	OT remove my	y child from th	e facility:		
Name(s):						
Custody papers have be	een provided and are	e on file at the fac	cility.  yes	no		
Telephone Authori	zation Code (opti	ional):				

## **Immunization Information**

(A licensee shall attach an enrolled child's written immunization record or exemption affidavit to the enrolled child's Emergency, Information and Immunization Record card.)

For information regarding current immunization requirements go to: <a href="https://www.azdhs.gov/phs/immun/index.htm">www.azdhs.gov/phs/immun/index.htm</a> or contact the Arizona Immunization Program Office at (602)364-3630.

One of these items must accompany the EIIR card at all times:

Copy of current official documented immunization record attached						
Religious Beliefs exemption form signed by parent/guardian attached						
Medical Exemption form signed by physician and parent/guardian attached						
Signed Laboratory Proof of Immunit	y form att	ached				
Notification of immunizations needed sent to Parent(s) or Gu	ardian(s):	mo /day/ yr	mo /day/ yr	mo /day /yr		
Updated immunizations received and attached: mo /day/ yr mo /day/ yr mo /day/ yr mo /day /yr						
Medical Information						
Is child allergic to food or other substances?  If yes, describe symptoms, name foods or substances to be avoided.	, and the pro	ocedure to follow i	f reaction occurs:	No Yes		
Is child usually susceptible to infections and if so, what precautions need to be taken?  No Yes  If yes, list precautions:						
Is child subject to convulsions and what should be our p  If yes, specify procedure:	rocedure	if one occurs?		No Yes		
Is there any physical condition that we should be awar be taken (heart trouble, foot problem, hearing impairmed <b>If yes</b> , list precautions:			ns should	No Yes		
Additional comments:						
Other special instructions:						
This <b>Emergency Information and Immunization Record Card</b> is accurate and complete, front and back, and was provided by:						
Parent/Guardian PRINTED Name: SIGNED Name:		•	DATE:	·		