be aware

- 1. Filling out and returning the application form does not mean that you have been accepted into a Centre.
- 2. All day care centres at UBC are run by parents. Applicants should visit the centres, talk to parents and staff and be interviewed for a space. In this way, you will feel comfortable with the system and the centres will get to know you and your expectations about child care.
- 3. If you live out of town,
 - a. apply as early as possible;
 - b. plan to come into town early enough to make your child care arrangements before you begin school or job;
 - c. keep in touch with the centres. Tell them your plans and establish that your name be held on the waiting list until your arrival.

The Day Care Coordinator can process letters requesting child care applications, can supply information and advice, etc., but acceptance in a centre is a matter between applicant and the centre concerned.

It is wise to apply to all the centres available to you.

other resources

224-3
228-6
736-5
875-6
228-2
228-5
228-5

DAY CARE SUBSIDY To apply for daycare subsidy, contact the Ministry of Human Resources office serving your area.

Shaughnessy/Arbutus/Kerrrisdale 660-1771 Suite 303-2309 West 41st No appointment necessary, first come first served at 8:30 am Monday through Friday. This office serves West Point Grey, Kerrisdale, U.E.L. and UBC for daycare subsidy information.





228-5343

There are 11 independent, non-profit parent cooperative group child care programs located on the U.B.C. campus for children of parents affiliated with U.B.C. as students, faculty or staff.

Four centres care for children from 18 months to 3 years of age; five centres care for children from 3 to 5 years of age; one program provides a half-day pre-school for 3 and 4-year olds, and one provides after-school care for children at University Hill Elementary School.

All centres were established by parents needing care for their children. As employer/managers, they are responsible for the complete operation of the programs; they keep the books, hire the staff, admit new parents and maintain the centres on a daily and long-term basis. In some centres, parents also assist the staff in providing the programs. This time spent by parents in the centres is called "duty time"; the number of hours required varies from centre to centre. Two over-three centres and the after-school program provide no-duty care.

> FURTHER INFORMATION CAN BE OBTAINED BY CALLING THE DAY CARE COORDINATOR, 228-5343

CORRESPONDENCE MAY BE DIRECTED 70 2855 ACADIA ROAD, VANCOUVER, B.C., V6T 1S1 over-three's

Over-three centres serve children 3 to 5 years of age. All are open from 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Monday to Friday.

ACADIA: 228-5107, for children 3 to 5 yrs.; has 25 full-time spaces; some part-time spaces are available; 3 qualified staff; duty time is 2 hrs. per week; cleanups and monthly parent meetings mandatory.

KINDERCARE: 228-5885, for children 3 to 5 yrs.; has 16 full-time spaces; no part-time; 2 qualified staff; 2 hrs. of duty time per week; monthly parent meetings mandatory.

TILLICUM: 228-6691, for children 3 and 4 yrs. old; has 20 full-time spaces; 2 qualified staff; 1 parttime assistant; duty time is $2\frac{1}{2}$ hrs. per week; cleanups and monthly parent meetings mandatory.

SUMMER OF '73: 228-6406, for children 3 to 5 yrs.; has 25 full-time spaces; part-time spaces may be available; 3 qualified staff; 1 part-time assistant; no duty time required but cleanups and monthly parent meetings mandatory.

PENTACARE: 228-5420, for children 3 to 5 yrs.; has 32 full-time spaces in two buildings with 4.8 qualified staff. There is a kindergarten program for 5 yr. olds with a licensed teacher and preschool for the 3 & 4 yr. olds. No duty time or cleanups required but monthly meetings and maintenance or administration work is mandatory.



under-three's

Under-three centres serve children 18 months to 3 years of age. All are open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday to Friday. Duty time, clean-ups and monthly parent meetings are mandatory in all under-three centres. Parents may pay substitutes to do duty and clean-ups.

UNIT I: 228-3019, has 12 full-time spaces; part-time spaces may be arranged; 2 qualified staff and 1 assistant; duty time is 4 hours per week.

UNIT II: 228-5264 has 12 full-time spaces; part-time may be arranged; 3 qualified full-time staff; duty time is 4 hours per week.

CANADA GOOSE: 228-5403, has 9 full-time spaces; 4 morning part-time spaces; 2¹/₂ qualified staff; duty time is 2 hrs. (full-time) and 1 hr. (part-time) per week.

LILLIPUT: 228-6151, has 14 full-time spaces; part-time spaces may be arranged; 3 qualified full-time staff; duty time is 2 hours per week.

preschool

ACADIA PARK PRESCHOOL: in the centre of the Family Housing clusters, 228-5568; morning and afternoon preschool programs for children from 32 months to 5 yrs.; 16 morning spaces, 9 to 11:30 a.m.; 18 afternoon spaces, 1 to 3:30 p.m., Monday to Friday; 2 qualified staff; yearly weekend cleanups, occasional work parties and optional parent educational meetings.

after school

UNIVERSITY HILL AFTER-SCHOOL CARE: 228-9614, for children attending U. Hill School; located at the school; open from 2:30 to 6 p.m. Monday to Friday; Wednesdays from 1:30 p.m.; full day care on school holidays; 45 spaces; 4 staff; no duty time or cleanups, but one yearly parent meeting mandatory.

Also inquire at this number regarding Kinderclub for children in Kindergarten at U-Hill School.