

Fee Schedule

EARLY LEARNING CENTRE



HILLS
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The HILLS Early Learning Centre (ELC) offers high quality Kindergarten education, located in the grounds of The Hills Christian Community School (HILLS). This unique combination provides a smooth and secure transition from home to school. Your child's enrolment into the ELC can be the first step towards ELC to Year 12 school life at HILLS.

Enrolment into the ELC will be accepted for children from 3½ years of age coinciding with School Term intakes. The ELC is an inclusive centre and parents will be able to discuss their child/children's individual needs with the Director prior to commencement.

ELC Sessions are offered Monday to Friday during school terms. We are registered as a Long Day Care setting. Families can access Before and After School Care as well as our ELC Vacation Care Programme.

Participation in the ELC includes transitioning in Reception at around 5 years of age, for most children. HILLS Reception intakes are at the beginning of Term 1 and Term 3.

In line with other Kindergartens and Early Learning Centres, two full days are recommended for all children as a minimum enrolment during their time at the ELC.

THE FEE STRUCTURE IS AS FOLLOWS

Before School Care	7.30am - 8.45am (or part there-of)	\$17.50
ELC Session	8.45am - 3.15pm (or part there-of)	\$113.00
Short After School Care	3.15pm - 4.00pm (or part there-of)	\$13.00
Long After School Care	3.15pm - 6.00pm (or part there-of)	\$33.00*

Bookings for Before or After School Care are essential to ensure availability of spaces.

***A late fee charge will apply for parents collecting children after 6.00pm.
This fee will be \$15 for every quarter of an hour, or part there-of.**

CHILD CARE SUBSIDY

Our Centre is a registered and licensed Child Care Centre and families may be eligible for Child Care Subsidy entitlements for services provided by the ELC and/or OSHC. Please visit <https://www.humanservices.gov.au/individuals/online-help/centrelink/claim-child-care-subsidy> for further information about your entitlements.

PLACEMENT

Where demand exceeds supply, the ELC is required to allocate placements to those families with the greatest need by applying the Australian Government's Priority of Access Guidelines. Information about the guidelines will be provided to you when you enrol your child into the ELC.

ENQUIRIES

For information, and to request an Enrolment Pack, please contact our Enrolment Registrar, Anita McDonald, on 8388 7811 or email hillsenrolments@hccs.sa.edu.au or alternatively you can download an Application Form from our website at www.hccs.sa.edu.au.



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ELC VACATION CARE PROGRAM

The Early Learning Centre is open for 48 weeks of the year and offers a Vacation Care Program outside of regular school terms. This program operates separately from the School's Out of School Hours Care service and is run by our ELC staff.

VACATION CARE FEE STRUCTURE IS AS FOLLOWS

Vacation Care	7.30am – 6.00pm (or part there-of)	\$99.00
Vacation care excursion/incursion fee	7.30am – 6.00pm (or part there-of)	\$124.00

Bookings are essential to ensure availability of spaces and appropriate staffing levels.

