September 1, 2026

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Ministère de l'Éducation du Québec (MEQ), has increased the Daycare fees for regular users by the consumer price index (Québec) effective July 1, 2026.

The regular daycare fee has increased from $9.70 to $10.00 per day for students who are registered on a regular basis at any of the EMSB government-subsidized daycares.

The Definition for Regular Students has been modified to include students who are registered and attend daycare on a fixed schedule for one or two days.

The Daycare fee structure is based on the student's status in daycare. A student's status is designated as Regular, Sporadic or Occasional. Please refer to the tables below.

<table>
<tr><th colspan="3">REGULAR DAYCARE STATUS</th></tr>
<tr><td colspan="3">DEFINITION: A regular student is one who is registered and attending Daycare for a minimum of 1 to 5 days a week and a minimum of 2 periods per day * This applies to students who attend on a weekly basis.</td></tr>
<tr><td>Fees:</td><td colspan="2">Regular school day: $10.00 for a maximum of 5 hours
Pedagogical day: $16.50 for a total of 10 hours (additional activity fees may apply).</td></tr>
<tr><td rowspan="5">Lunch Supervision Fees:</td><td>5 days/week:</td><td>Lunch fees are <u>included</u> in the $10.00/day for a regular student attending for 5 days.</td></tr>
<tr><td>4 days/week:</td><td>Lunch fees are <u>included</u> in the $10.00/day for a regular student attending for 4 days. If the student attends only at lunchtime on the 5th day, then <u>lunch fees must be paid for the 5th day.</u></td></tr>
<tr><td>3 days/week:</td><td>Lunch fees are <u>included</u> in the $10.00/day for a regular student attending for 3 days. If the student attends only at lunchtime on the 4th and 5th days, then <u>lunch fees must be paid for the 4th and 5th day.</u></td></tr>
<tr><td>2 days/week:</td><td>Lunch fees are <u>included</u> in the $10.00/day for a regular student attending for 2 days. If the student attends only at lunchtime on the 3rd, 4th, and 5th day, then <u>lunch fees must be paid for the 3rd,4th and 5th day.</u></td></tr>
<tr><td>1 day/week:</td><td>Lunch fees are <u>included</u> in the $9.70/day for a regular student attending for 1 day. If the student attends only at lunchtime on the 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th day, then <u>lunch fees must be paid for the 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th day.</u></td></tr>
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EXAMPLE: REGULAR 3 DAYS (two or more periods) Lunch fees are included in the daycare fees for all 5 days of lunch attendance. **(Payable to daycare)**

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
AM	X	X	X		
LUNCH	X	X	X	X	X
PM	X	X			
RATE	$10.00	$10.00	$10.00	$1.80	$1.80
MEQ FUNDING	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
TAX RECEIPT	FEDERAL ONLY	FEDERAL ONLY	FEDERAL ONLY	FEDERAL ONLY	FEDERAL ONLY

EXAMPLE: REGULAR 1 DAY (two or more periods) Lunch fees are included in the daycare fees for all 5 days of lunch attendance. **(Payable to daycare)**

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
AM	X				
LUNCH	X	X	X	X	X
PM	X				
RATE	REGULAR $10.00	SPORADIC $1.80	SPORADIC $1.80	SPORADIC $1.80	SPORADIC $1.80
MEQ FUNDING	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
TAX RECEIPT	FEDERAL ONLY	FEDERAL PROVINCIAL	FEDERAL PROVINCIAL	FEDERAL PROVINCIAL	FEDERAL PROVINCIAL

OCCASIONAL DAYCARE STATUS	
DEFINITION: An occasional student is one who is registered but does not have a forecasted attendance and does not attend on a weekly basis. Daycare Services are needed for emergency purposes. The parent/guardian must give the daycare a 24-hour notice when possible and keep in mind that it is not a guarantee that their child(ren) will be put in the same daycare group as their classmates.	
Fees:	Regular school day: Fees are based on the blocks the student attends (partial or full). Morning Period: **$5.50**/day(pricing is based on a maximum of $3.30/hr block) Afternoon Period: **$6.85**/day (pricing is based on a maximum of $3.30/hr block) Morning + Afternoon: **$12.35**/day $5.50 + $6.85 = $12.35 Pedagogical day**:** **$16.50** for a total of 10 hours (additional activity fees may apply)
Lunch Fees:	Lunch fees are paid to the school.

EXAMPLE: OCCASIONAL USER – a student who does not have a fixed schedule and attends occasionally. **Lunch Fees are payable to the school**

	Monday PED DAY	Tuesday September 27	Wednesday	Thursday November 27	Friday December 16
AM	X	X			X
LUNCH	X				
PM	X			X	X
RATE	$16.50 + Activity Fee	$5.50		$6.85	$12.35
MEQ FUNDING	YES	NO		NO	NO
TAX RECEIPT	$9.70 Federal $6.30 Provincial	FEDERAL PROVINCIAL		FEDERAL PROVINCIAL	FEDERAL PROVINCIAL

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact your daycare technician**,**
Priscilla Gervasi at *pgervasi@emsb.qc.ca* .

Thank you,

Principal,

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