

Easterseals Washington Green Tree Child Development Center – Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

General Information

Where are you located? Easterseals Washington Green Tree Child Development Center is located at 1200 6th Avenue South, Suite 200, in downtown Seattle, with easy access from I-5.

What are your hours of operation? 6:30 am – 6 pm Monday through Friday

Is there parking available? Yes, parking is available in the garage, and your ticket will be validated. There is also 3-minute parking directly in front of Green Tree on the south side of the building.

How long is your waitlist? Currently, there is no waitlist as our program is new. The waddler/toddler and Pre-School classrooms will open first.

Are you open year-round? Yes, except for federal holidays and a few training days.

What security measures are in place? There is a security check upon entering the lobby. Green Tree has separate, secure access, and only those with assigned access cards can open the doors from the outside.

What is Easterseals Washington? Easterseals Washington is a nonprofit organization that has been helping people with disabilities lead independent lives since 1947. We make a lasting difference in the lives of people with disabilities by providing care and support at every stage of life.

What are Easterseals Child Development Centers? Easterseals Washington's Child Development Centers provide the most fully inclusive early child education environment in the state. Our high-quality centers empower children of all abilities aged 6 weeks to five years through development and learning, while supporting parents with expert advice and resources to confidently champion their children's success. Activities and lessons are structured to fit each child's individual developmental level and unique care requirements. Additionally, our child development centers are staffed with qualified teachers and feature adaptive, interactive playgrounds that encourage a child's balance, coordination, and imagination.

Registration, Tours, and Open House Information

How do I register? Contact Amanda Van Vleet at (206) 764-3492 or avanvleet@wa.easterseals.com.

Will there be tours? Yes, tours can be arranged by contacting Amanda Van Vleet.

Will there be an open house? Yes, there will be two open houses in February. For updates, contact Amanda Van Vleet.

Program Information

What ages do you serve? Children aged 6 weeks to Pre-K.

Do you serve children with disabilities? Yes, our inclusive program helps children develop tolerance, acceptance, and mutual respect. Our staff are trained to address each child's individual needs.

My child does not have a disability, is my child still eligible for enrollment? Yes, we offer an inclusive environment for every child to thrive, encouraging self-esteem, tolerance, and inclusion from an early age.

Do you serve meals? Yes, we provide breakfast, lunch, and an afternoon snack, all prepared onsite following USDA meal pattern guidelines.

Do the children play outside? Yes, there is a secure outdoor playground and an adjacent park. Field trips to the park are pre-scheduled with a security sweep to ensure safety.

How will I be involved as a parent? Parent-teacher conferences are held at least three times annually. Parents are encouraged to participate in classrooms, and a volunteer information sheet is included in the enrollment packet. Green Tree also hosts community events for families throughout the year.

Accreditation

Are you accredited? Yes, by the National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC). More information is available at NAEYC.

Financial Information

Do you take subsidies? Yes, we accept military/federal subsidies and DCYF.

Are there any discounts? Federal employees receive a 10% discount. Families with more than one child enrolled receive a 10% sibling discount on the youngest child.

How are payments made? We directly bill the agency providing the subsidy. Parents can pay by check at the center or by credit card through an online payment system. Payments are due by the 5th or 20th of the month.

Is there a registration fee? Yes, the registration fee is \$75, waived for children enrolled by January 31.