



Home Makers

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Childcare Program Policy and Information

Homemakers by Choice proudly offers a quality children's education program for the children of our members, and we are so happy to have the opportunity to serve your children while you enjoy our Thursday morning program. Our highly qualified instructors provide weekly Bible lessons with reinforcing activities and crafts. There is an added emphasis on the maintenance of a classroom environment which introduces social skills and values learning through creative play. And, importantly, our teachers will provide your children with lots of love!

Important things to know:

1. Please send a snack and drink with your child each week.
2. Please do not bring your child if they have or have had in the last 24 hours a fever, vomiting, diarrhea, cough or runny nose with discharge.
3. Please label all personal belongings with your child's name.
4. You may drop your child off no earlier than 8:45 and pick them up no later than 11:45.

Talk with your child each week about their lessons and experiences in the classroom. It is important to be an active part of what they are learning and to pray regularly for your child and their teacher.

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About the program:

Ruthie Smith will be returning as the Curriculum Coordinator again this year. This will be her seventh year serving in this position. Ruthie's enthusiasm and creativity is an asset to us all. In the preschool classrooms, your children will be learning from God's word each week. They will be learning a lot about Godly character. Ruthie will be reading them Bible stories about characters and heroes from the Old Testament. They will also be learning songs, doing a craft related activity, having playground time, snack time and free play. In the nursery the babies will be held, rocked, fed, changed and given lots of love and attention.

Payment:

Although we enjoy the privileges of the Scottsdale Bible Church campus, HBC is not affiliated with any church. As such, we do not have the benefit of inclusion in the umbrella of a church budget. **The cost for childcare for an entire year of childcare is \$300 (\$150 per semester).** This is the cost per family regardless of the number of children served. Therefore, in order to ensure that quality teachers and sufficient supplies are available throughout the year, we ask that the annual payment be paid in its entirety at the beginning of the year.

If it is not possible to pay the full amount, we are happy to work with you regarding an alternate payment plan. Although it is acceptable to make payments of any amount at any time, paying "by the week" as you attend is not possible because our childcare instructors are secured for the entire year, and we are committed to provide for the number of children registered even though your weekly attendance may vary. Please note that full or partial scholarships are available for any registered member who is unable to pay for childcare. Please contact our office at 480-368-0873 or homemakers87@cox.net for scholarship arrangements.

Payments of cash, check, or Visa/MC can be made at our local study group meetings. On-line payments can be made at www.homemakersbychoice.org. **If you pay a full semester in advance (due in September and January), the semester fee is reduced to \$142.50 for the semester. If you pay the full year in advance (due in September), your payment is reduced to \$275 for the year.**

Thank you, and we look forward to a wonderful year serving you and your children!