






School Comparison Checklist


Choosing childcare and early education is an Important Decision and Huge Investment.

Use this form to research and compare centers and find the best fit for you and your child(ren).

				School 2	School 3
School Environment	Was the School Welcoming and Inviting with Staff Positively Engaged with the Children?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
	Are there Strict Security Procedures for Entering the Building?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
	Does the School offer a Mobile Application to Provide Parents Daily Updates and Communication?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
	Are Exterior and Interior Cameras in Use to Provide a Safe, Secure Environment where Parents can View?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
	Does the Staff have Instant Access to Children's Medical Information, plus Arrival and Departure Times?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			

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Learning and Programs	Are programs based on Age-Appropriate Learning and Development Objectives?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
	Is there a Plan for Tracking and Achieving Developmental Goals?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
	Do parents get regular updates (written, verbal, photos) about their child's activities and progress?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
	Does the school have a Health and Fitness Program?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
	Does the staff use Group and Individual Teaching?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			

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Facility, Staff and Materials	Are Teachers Trained and Certified in CPR, First Aid, Infection Control, Emergency Response?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
	Are there Regular Procedures to Prevent Germs? Is there use of Daily Sanitation for Toys, Learning Items?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
	Do parents get regular updates (written, verbal, photos) about their child's activities and progress?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
	Is the Building, Classrooms, and Equipment Clean, Clutter Free, and in Good Working Order?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
	Is the Location of the Facility Conducive for your Family?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			

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Other Things to Consider	Are Nutritious Meals and Snacks Provided?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
	Are Extracurricular Activities (Cooking, Gardening, Spanish, Music, Arts, Fitness, Creative Play) Offered?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
	Are there additional costs for these Enrichment Classes?	No			
	Do parents get regular updates (written, verbal, photos) about their child's activities and progress?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
	~ What is the Cost of Enrollment? \$ _____	Total	Total	Total	
	~ What is the Cost of Tuition? \$ _____ Weekly \$ _____ Monthly				
	~ What is the Cost of Supply Fees? \$ _____ Annually	\$	\$	\$	
	~ Any Other Costs? \$ _____				
Are these Costs Doable for Our Family?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				
Which Center is Best for My Child?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			