

Family Resources of Natick



Early Education & Care Open House

**Wednesday
October 24, 2018
6:30 – 8:00pm**



Resources

Child Care Resources

799 West Boylston St., Worcester

508-796-1833 www.sevenhills.org

Child Care Resources is a non-profit organization that helps families in our region of Massachusetts find quality early education and care programs, and provides financial assistance through a voucher system.

(NOTE: dial 2-1-1 on your phone for eligibility and enrollment of voucher system, which is then managed by Child Care Resources.)

Department of Early Education and Care

51 Sleeper Street, 4th Floor, Boston

617-988-6600 eec.state.ma.us

Licensing agency for child care programs; search engine for child care.

SMOC Child Care and HeadStart Natick Classroom

12 Roxanna Street, Framingham

www.smoc.org/index.asp?pgid=103

Free/affordable child care, preschool and after-school program for those who meet income guidelines; transportation usually available.

Family Resources of Natick

www.natickfamilies.org

Coordinated Family & Community Engagement (CFCE) program for Natick families. Provides resources for families to assist with choosing a preschool, preparing children for transitions into preschool and kindergarten, and coordinates with Natick Public Schools to publicize kindergarten admission timeline.

Be sure to check FRN's website at www.natickfamilies.org for more information about the types of child care and preschool educations available in our community, as well as links to helpful resources and lists of things to look for and to ask when you tour a provider's site! Click on CHILD CARE & PRESCHOOL at the top of our home page.

Home-Based Child Care Programs

The following licensed providers are family daycare providers working in their homes.

Many home-based providers in Natick are members of the **Natick Family Child Care Association.**

Natick Family Child Care Association

natickfamilychildcareassociation.com

A professional association of licensed family daycare providers in Natick. Members collaborate to offer referrals for family placement, professional development for member providers and mutual support.

Website includes a list of members and openings.

First Step Family Child Care

25 Westfield Road, Natick

Sherry Bragdon 774-217-8558

firststepchild@aol.com

for children: birth - 5 years

(7:30am - 5pm)

Walnut Hill Family Child Care

10 Parkman Street, Natick

Karen DiSciullo 508-655-2566

Kid3690@aol.com

for children: 3 months - 6

(8am - 4pm M-TH only, meals and snacks provided, summers optional)

Center-Based Child Care & Preschool

These facilities provide separate programs for infants, toddlers and preschoolers. Many offer part-time or full-time child care, and most operate year-round to accommodate working parents. Some also offer after-school programming for elementary school ages.

Community Montessori School

13 Common Street, Natick

Lucie Varatharasa 508-665-9539

montessorihouse151@gmail.com

for children: birth – 6 years

(Early drop-off and extended day to 6pm)

Gardengate Academy

249 North Main Street, Natick

Gabi Maza 508-720-0033

gmaza@gardengateacademy.com

for children: 8 weeks – grade 4

(Reggio Emilia style, early drop-off and extended day to 6pm)

The Goddard School

367 Commonwealth Road, Wayland

Reem Hassani 508-655-2200

waylandma@goddardschools.com

for children: 6 weeks – 6 years

(Early drop-off and extended day until 6pm)

The Judy Gordon Nursery School

145 Hartford Street, Natick

Faye Tonkonogy 508-650-3521

ftonkonogy@tiofnatick.org

for children: ages 18 months – 5 years

(Early drop-off and extended day to 5:30pm)

Kids Wonderland Academy

9 Tech Circle, Natick

Christine Napolitano 508-655-0100

info@kidswonderlandacademy.com

for children: 4 weeks – 8 years

(Accepts vouchers; early drop-off and extended day until 6pm)

MetroWest YMCA Early Learning Center

280 Old Connecticut Path, Framingham

Milagros Lolly Butz 508-879-4420

mbutz@metrowestymca.org

for children: 15 months – 5 years

(Accepts vouchers; scholarships available; early drop-off and extended day to 6pm)

Mini-Miracles Early Education and Care Center

6 Strathmore Road, Natick

Ashley Shinnick & Nikiya Rose 508-650-5902

ashinnick@minimiracleschildcare.com

for children: 2 months – PreK

(Early drop-off and extended day to 6pm)

Primrose School of Natick

296 North Main Street, Natick

Suzanne Cohn 508-545-2624

management@primrosenatick.com

for children: 6 weeks – 8 years

(Early drop-off and extended day to 6:30pm)

SMOC Childcare & HeadStart
(Classroom for Natick children)
12 Roxanna Street, Framingham
Cheryl Smith 508-620-2373
csmith@smoc.org

for children: 15 months – grade 5
(Accepts vouchers; early drop-off and extended day to 6pm)

The Tobin Children's School
71 Cottage Street, Natick
Lori Davis 508-653-6300
ldavis@thetobinschool.org

for children: 2 months – 5 years
(Early drop-off and extended day until 6pm)

Other Center-Based Child Care/Preschool Programs in Natick
(not attending this evening):

- Bright Beginnings Children's Ctr. *brightbeginnings11@yahoo.com*
- Bright Horizons at Natick *natick@brighthorizons.com*
- Le Petit Monde Daycare *lpmdaycare@gmail.com*
- Little Sprouts *snorquist@littlesprouts.com*
- Next Generation Children's Center *dtrnatick@ngccenters.com*
- Salmon Centers for Early Education *ssherman@salmonhealth.com*
- Tir Na Nog Childcare *tirnanogchildcare@yahoo.com*

Preschool Programs

Housed in a variety of settings, these programs may offer part-time and extended-day options as well as optional summer programs.

Community Nursery School of Wayland

5 Damon Street, Wayland

Beth Fuce 508-651-2555

mfairs@comcast.net

for children: 2.9 - 5 years

(Early drop off)

The FCC Preschool

2 East Central Street, Natick

Teresa Iodice 508-655-2171

preschool@firstchurchnatick.org

for children: 2.9 - 5.5 years

(Scholarships available; early drop off, extended day and enrichment programs offered)

Natick Preschool

15 West Street, Natick

MaryBeth Kinkead 508-647-6583

mkinkead@natickps.org

for children: ages 3-5 years

(for Natick residents only, integrated preschool)

Other Preschool Programs in Natick

(not attending this evening):

- FACE Children's Center *facechildrenscenter@verizon.net*
- Pre-School @ Longfellow *longfellowkids@gmail.com*
- South Natick Playschool *info@southnatickplayschool.com*
- Wellesley Coop. Nursery School *info@thewellesleycoop.com*

Private Schools

These schools include programs for Elementary and/or Middle School as well as preschool-age classes and sometimes toddler programs.

Charles River School

6 Old Meadow Road, Dover

Kat Whitten 508-785-8213

kwhitten@charlesriverschool.org

for children: 4 – 14 years

(School hours; early release 1:30pm on Wednesdays)

Riverbend School

39 Eliot Street, Natick

Lynn Shevory 508-736-8726

lshevory@rvbs.org

for children: Toddler – 8th grade

(Scholarships available; early drop-off and extended day until 5:45pm)

Saint Bridget School

832 Worcester Road, Framingham

Tricia Brzenk 508-875-0181

tbrzenk@saintbridgetschool.info

for children: 3 – 14 years

(Early drop-off and extended day until 6pm)

Saint John School

9 Ledyard Street, Wellesley

Pamela Cook 781-235-0300

pcook@saintjohnschool.net

for children: 2.9 – 12 years

(Scholarships available; early drop-off and extended day)

The Tobin School

73 Cottage Street, Natick

Adiel Gutierrez 508-655-5006

agutierrez@thetobinschool.org

for children: age 2.9 - 6

(Some groups: early drop-off and extended day until 6:30pm)

Other Private School Programs in Natick (not attending this evening):

- St Benedict sbarry@stbenedict elementary.com
- Tenacre Country Day School sreece@tenacrecds.org



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Family Resources of Natick provides resource and referral information, parenting workshops, support groups, parent & child programs, family events and drop-in playroom hours for Natick families with young children.

All programs are free!

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