

The Chilliwack School District is excited to open a Seamless Day Before and After School care program at Central Elementary Community School. The Central Elementary Seamless Day program employs certified early childhood educators to provide before and after school care and work alongside kindergarten teachers.

This inclusive care program is designed to provide continuity of learning for students across the school day while creating licensed before and after school care.

The program represents a growing connection between the education and childcare sectors and is part of B.C. government's 10-year ChildCare BC plan to build an inclusive universal child care system that meets B.C. communities' growing child care needs.

Not only is it convenient for parents to have school and care in one location, Early Childhood Educators and our Primary teachers have a shared philosophy of learning, using B.C.'s Early Learning Framework as their guide. Seamless Day is good for kids, for families and for the schools.

Families interested in applying for a space in the program for their child(ren) can **register here**.

Hours of operation:

- Before school: 7:00am 8:20am
- After school: 2:20pm 5:30pm

Fees for Kindergarten students:

- Before and After School Care \$525 a month
- Starting Dec. 2022 this can be reduced to \$205 a month for families who qualify for ACCB



• Eligible families may apply for the **BC Affordable Child Care Benefit Subsidy** to assist with Child Care fees.

Notes:

- Before and After Care is available for Gr. 1-5, please contact <u>seamlessday-registration@sd33.bc.ca</u> for more information on fees and subsidy.
- Completing the application does not guarantee a spot in this program. Caregivers will be contacted regarding available space.