Kid-Zone Schedule

A great place for facility member children in grades Kindergarten (5 yrs old)** through 12 years of age to have fun while their parents are working out or using the facility. Come and join in the fun!

AGES
Kindergarten and age 5–12 years old

MORNING SCHEDULE
Monday – Friday
(Will be followed when Cherokee County Public Schools are out on school break)
8:00–9:00 Play Center
9:00–10:00 Gym
10:00–11:00 Playground/Play Center
11:00–12:30 Swim

AFTERNOON SCHEDULE
Monday – Thursday
4:00–4:30 Play Center
4:30–5:00 Playground/Play Center*
5:00–5:45 Gym
6:00–7:30 Swim
7:30–8:00 Play Center
Friday
4:00–5:00 Swim
5:15–6:00 Playground/Play Center*
6:00–7:00 Play Center
Saturday
9:00–10:00 Kid-Zone
10:00–11:00 Playground/Play Center*
11:00–12:30 Swim
Sunday
1:00–2:00 Play Center
2:00–3:00 Playground/Play Center*
3:00–4:00 Play Center

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
*Kid-Zone aged children will visit the playground as long as the weather permits. The weather must be clear and 50 degrees Fahrenheit or above.
**Children must be in Kindergarten according to Cherokee County School District guidelines. Kid-Zone is free supervised care for facility members. There is a 2 hour per day, 10 hour per week time limit for all children in Kid-Zone. Parents must remain in facility. Children ages 12 & under must be accompanied by an adult at all times, unless they are checked into the Kid-Zone. Please note this schedule is subject to change, our program often includes transitions and restroom breaks. To learn more please email robertbe@ymcaatlanta.org.

Effective October 8, 2019
Play Center (Ages 3 Months – 5 Years)

The G. Cecil Pruett Community Center Family YMCA provides a drop-in care area for facility members and their children. The parents and children need to be covered by a facility membership (family, senior family, youth). The Play Center will care for children ages 3 months – 5 years, if children are over the age 5 and in kindergarten, please check them into Kid-Zone. Parents/guardians must remain on YMCA property while their child(ren) are in the Play Center or Kid-Zone. There is a two hour per day, ten hours per week time limit for all children in the Play Center. Any child(ren) under 12 must be supervised by an adult at all times while at the YMCA.

General Guidelines

• Allow child(ren) to enter the play center area without parent/guardian.
• If, after 10 minutes, your child has been continually crying and distressed and cannot be consoled we will page, or come get you, to come for your child.
• Please label children’s snacks, drinks, coats, bags, wipes, and other personal items.
• Notify us of any allergies (food, insect stings, seasonal, etc…)
• Blankets, and/or comfort items may be brought to the play center area.
• Pacifiers need to be labeled and if possible attached to the child.
• Y staff cannot administer medication.

Drop-off and Pick-up Procedure

• Parents need to personally drop their child(ren) off in the Play Center, and remain on YMCA property. Parents/guardians must sign in the log sheet when dropping off and picking up the child(ren) and provide membership cards for themselves & the children.
• Please allow the front desk to scan your cards before entering the Play Center.
• If a spouse, caregiver, or babysitter will be picking up the child(ren), we must have written permission from you. Whomever you give permission to drop off/pick up your child(ren) must have picture ID and sign the child(ren) in/out.
• A sibling under 18 cannot check a child in/out and child.

Illness

• In order to help ensure a healthy environment for all children, we ask that you please keep your child home when ill.
• A child who appears to have any illness or contagious condition including but not limited to cold or severe cough, diarrhea or vomiting, nasal, ear or eye discharge, fever contagious rashes (chicken pox, impetigo, fifth’s disease) or head lice will not be permitted into the Play Center.
• Should your child begin to display signs of illness while in our care, Y staff will notify you immediately so appropriate action can be taken.

Bathroom and Diaper Procedure

• Please make sure your child arrives to the play center with a clean diaper.
• We will make every effort to assist you with toilet training.
• We routinely check diapers every hour and change if needed. If you would like this done more often, let us know. We will change diapers sooner if needed before the one hour check time.
• Please provide ample supplies while your child is in the nursery and label wipes, bags, diapers, bottles, etc...

Snacks and Drinks

• Snacks and drinks are not allowed in the play center or kid zone. Please note you may bring water in a non-leaking sippy cup or water bottle with the child’s name.

Hours of Operation

Monday – Thursday 8:00am – 12:30pm and 4:00pm – 8:00pm
Friday 8:00am – 12:30pm and 4:00pm – 7:00pm
Saturday 9am – 12:30pm Sunday 1:00-4:00