

# Playtime @ Dunwoody UMC



## What is Playtime @ Dunwoody UMC?

Playtime is a weekday childcare option for DUMC preschool and church families as well as the community.

- ✓ You can supplement your child's regular preschool schedule with additional days
- ✓ You want care for your younger child while the sibling is in school
- ✓ You want your at-home child to experience socialization time with other children
- ✓ You need to work an extra day or more this week
- ✓ You or a loved one has a doctor's appointment
- ✓ You want to give grandparents a break from watching your child
- ✓ You don't feel well and need time to rest
- ✓ You need to spend the day with an older sibling at their school
- ✓ You have last minute errands or shopping to do
- ✓ AND ... Playtime is open many days the preschool is closed

**9 am to 1 pm; \$40 per day.** Ages 6 months through 3 years

**8:30 am to 1:30 pm; \$50 per day (Must be 2+ years old to select the longer day option)**

**8 am to 9 am; \$10, Early bird drop in.** We transfer children to their preschool classroom (Exception: Early Bird drop in is open to ALL ages of DUMC preschool students.)

**12 noon to 1 pm; \$10, Lunch bunch for DUMC Toddler class children only.** We pick up the children from the classroom and transfer over to Playtime. Children bring a lunch.

## Reservations

Reservations will open one month at a time on the 15<sup>th</sup> of the month prior.

Reservations for the month are preferred when possible.

Same day reservations will be available as space allows. Email Meredith Dunn for late notice reservations.

Have more questions? Meredith Dunn, Director of Nursery Ministries  
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## What should my children bring?

- ✓ A change of clothes including a pair of socks
- ✓ Extra underwear (if applicable)
- ✓ Diapers and wipes (if applicable)
- ✓ Diaper cream (if applicable)
- ✓ Snack (peanut free)
- ✓ Lunch (peanut free)
- ✓ Water bottle; bottles of milk or formula if applicable
- ✓ Lovies, blankets, pacifiers
- ✓ Coat or sweater for outdoor play

**Every Item MUST be clearly labeled with your child's name.**

***IMPORTANT! Playtime @ Dunwoody UMC is a PEANUT FREE-ZONE. Do not bring/send snacks with peanut butter. Almond, Sunflower, Soya butter, Nutella are permitted but must be labeled.***

## Terms and Conditions

Age requirements: Children must be at least 6 months old and no older than 3 years old.

Due to state licensing regulations, children under the age of 24 months may attend Playtime at Dunwoody UMC no more than two (2) four-hour days per week, eight (8) hours total.

A degree of independence is expected to utilize services of Playtime, beginning at 12 months or older. Children 12 months or older registered in our program should be able to feed themselves, drink from a cup, and be able to successfully separate from parents in a reasonable time frame.

All children 3 years old must be completely toilet-trained and able to independently use the restroom. For the purpose of clarification, our definition of fully toilet - trained is the child's recognition of the need to use the restrooms, is able to inform an adult of the need to go; enters the restroom on their own, removes necessary clothing with little or no assistance, sits or stands at the commode and handles own hygiene; redresses; washes hands and returns to class.

**All children are required to have a current immunization record and Allergy Action Plan (if applicable) on file with DUMC Preschool or Playtime at Dunwoody UMC.**

**Keep your child home when s/he is sick.** No child may attend Playtime if s/he has a forehead temperature of 100 degrees or if s/he is exhibiting symptoms including but not limited to, vomiting, diarrhea, rash, runny nose or eyes, cough or difficulty breathing. After an illness, a child may return if s/he has been fever-free (non-medicated) and symptom free for a minimum of 24 hours.

Playtime at Dunwoody UMC follows Dekalb County School System for closures due to weather. If DCCS closes, Playtime closes.

Playtime at Dunwoody UMC accepts children without regard to race, creed, sex, religion or national origin.

Playtime at Dunwoody UMC operates as a non-licensed program, operating under the DUMC Preschool State of Georgia exemption for faith-based and accredited programs.

**Make checks payable to DUMC Nursery.** Credit card payments are also accepted. Headmaster invoicing IS NOT available.