# Valor Christian School International Extended Care 2025-2026 Policies and Procedures

#### **Program Hours and Costs**

Extended Care is available every **full school day** to all Pre-K through 5th-grade students currently enrolled at Valor Christian School International. Children may attend regularly. The registration fee for children signed up for participation on a regular basis is \$50.00/child per year.

#### Valor Extended Care AM - 7:00 am to 8:00 am

Check-in Time	
Anytime between 7 am - 8 am	\$10.00 a day per student

# Valor Extended Care PM - 3:15 pm to 5:30 pm

Options	Per Child
1 Day a Week	\$100.00/month
2 Days a Week	\$200.00/month
3 Days a Week	\$300.00/month
4 Days a Week	\$400.00/month
5 Days a Week	\$500.00/month

### Payment Guidelines

Monthly plans will be billed through the student's FACTS fee account. Payment may be made online through FACTS, or parents may bring cash, check, or credit card to the school office. Please make checks payable to Valor Christian School. A returned check fee of \$25.00 will be charged to your account for all insufficient funds.

Monthly payment plans are spread equally over the school year so that you will pay the same amount every month no matter the length of the month. Monthly fees are billed September through May. The monthly fees are a prorated annual cost, taking winter and spring break into consideration. The agreement of service concludes at the end of the school year in June. Monthly payments are due by the 5th of each month. There is a 5-day grace period, and then a \$25.00 late payment charge will be assessed to your account after the 10th of the month. Accounts falling 30 days past due without communication to the Extended Care director will result in your child being released from the program. Once your account is paid in full, we will accept your child back into the program.

# Sign-Out Procedures

You must personally check out your child from Extended Care. If another person comes who has been pre-approved by you on the registration form, they need to be ready with picture identification to receive your student. Please notify Extended Care of pick-up arrangements for your child by an individual other than a parent or guardian. Siblings need to be high school age or older to sign your child out.

# **Departure Time**

Extended Care ends promptly at 5:30 pm. We will start the clean-up of all activities at 5:15 pm. If something has happened and you are going to be late, please call our Extended Care Coordinator to let us know. There will be a late pick-up fee of \$15.00 for the first 10 minutes and a charge of \$1.00/minute thereafter.

## **Absences**

If your child will not be attending Extended Care on one of their normally scheduled days, please notify their teacher as well as the Office Administrator, Megan Fordice.

# **Discontinuation**

If, for any reason, your child will no longer be attending Extended Care, please notify our Office Administrator, Megan Fordice, in writing (ie: e-mail). A 30-day notice of discontinuation is requested. Refunds of monthly payments are not issued. Extended Care reserves the right to suspend or dismiss a child from the program. Grounds for dismissal from the program include the determination that the child is a physical threat to themselves or others, or if the child's behavior consistently interferes with the normal daily flow of the program.

# **Change in Personal Information**

If your contact information changes or your child becomes allergic to a food or medication, please notify our Office Administrator, Megan Fordice as soon as possible so we can make the appropriate changes immediately. Though we look forward to a smooth year, we know situations can arise, and we need the most current information to avoid a problem or be able to contact a parent or guardian quickly should we need to.

For the safety of our students, VCSI requires that elementary students who remain on campus after hours be in Extended Care unless the student is participating in another school-sponsored activity. Children not picked up from car line will be brought to Extended Care. (They will be charged \$15.00/hour)