

ANNUAL FACTSHEET ON ECDC SERVICES

This annual factsheet presents statistical information on ECDC services (infant care, child care and kindergarten)

As at end of ⁴	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Class A (Infant Care)						
Total number of centres	578	629	661	702	748	805
Total number of places	8,969	9,695	10,454	11,552	12,682	14,580
Total enrolment ¹	5,364	6,292	7,365	8,935	9,931	10,485
Average full day fees ²	\$1,516	\$1,442	\$1,457	\$1,451	\$1,472	\$1,472
Median full-day fees ²	\$1,364	\$1,275	\$1,275	\$1,275	\$1,275	\$1,235
Class B (Child Care)						
Total number of centres ³	1,479	1,532	1,542	1,578	1,607	1,665
Total number of places	156,950	166,235	170,932	178,939	184,415	194,972
Total enrolment	118,296	124,549	130,062	138,966	145,999	152,634
Average full day fees ²	\$1,062	\$1,013	\$1,025	\$1,017	\$1,037	\$1,045
Median full-day fees ²	\$856	\$800	\$800	\$760	\$760	\$720
Class C (Kindergarten)⁵						
Total number of centres	412	404	401	401	373	344
Total number of places ⁶	48,402	46,213	45,140	43,588	39,456	35,214
Total enrolment ¹	55,074	51,906	44,482	38,311	31,989	23,859
Average fees ²	\$357	\$489	\$403	\$390	\$401	\$401
Median fees ²	\$200	\$190	\$200	\$200	\$160	\$160
Number of SPARK certified centres	879	948	985	991	1,019	1,061

Source: Early Childhood Development Agency (ECDA)

Note: Below are the list of changes made to the factsheet from 2019 onwards

1. Children enrolled in full-day, half-day and flexi-care programmes
2. Fees are based on fees charged to Singaporeans before GST from 2019 onwards while the previous years' fees are based on average of all fees (regardless of nationalities) inclusive of GST
3. Includes centres that hold Class B licences, as well as centres that hold both Class A & B licences
4. In general, data is based on October of the year
5. Kindergarten data does not include MOE kindergartens
6. No. of Kindergarten places is based on the licensed accommodation capacity of centres (i.e. max no. of children that may be enrolled in any one session). Kindergartens may offer multiple sessions and thus offer a larger number of places