



BUFFALO GROVE PARK DISTRICT  
**DISCOVERY  
KIDS**

Our program is offered in three options: Monday/Wednesday/Friday, Tuesday/Thursday, or all 5 days in the mornings or afternoons.

Our curriculum is based on literacy, writing, math, science, art, large motor and social studies. We enrich the kindergarten curriculum using thematically centered lessons and activities, such as oceans, the solar system, countries around the world and their cultures, the rainforest, and plants and insects. Classes have degreed teachers and a maximum of 20 children in a class.

### **Discovery Kids Busing**

You can add busing for an additional cost to/from the following schools:  
Kilmer, Longfellow, Poe, Riley.

The Discovery Kids bus goes between the above elementary schools and the Discovery Kids program. Busing to and from Discovery Kids is optional and space is limited.

### **Lunches**

Lunch is from 11:45 am - 12:30 pm; daily pick up and drop off times are flexible during this time. Children taking the bus will need to bring a lunch which will be eaten at Discovery Kids. A sack lunch is optional for children who will not take the bus and are transported by a parent/guardian.

We ask that you pack your child with a nut free lunch as we will have children with food allergies. Any food products we use in the classroom will be from an approved list.

### **Early Drop Off at 8:30 am**

We are now offering early morning drop off at the Alcott Center from 8:30 - 9 am. This program is located in the Discovery Kids room and will accommodate children in the morning Discovery Kids class as well as 3 and 4 year old preschoolers who begin preschool at 9 am. Payment is based on calendar days when the Discovery Kids program is in session. Register for the first half of the year (August - December) any time at the front desk of the Alcott Center. Registration information for the second half of the year (January - May) will be available in the winter brochure.

### **Scheduled Monthly Payments**

The yearly fee is calculated by the number of school days in the year and divided evenly into 9 payments. The first payment will be due at the time of registration. The remainder of payments will be due the 15<sup>th</sup> of September, October, November, December, January, February, March and April. If the 15<sup>th</sup> of the month falls on a weekend, payment will be charged the following Monday. No refunds are given for payments that have already been processed.

### **Refund Policy**

If for any reason you need to withdrawal your child from the Discovery Kids program our refund policy is:

- 100% refund given if withdrawn before August 1.
- 50% refund given if withdrawn between August 1 and the start of the program, if your spot can be filled from the waiting list then a 100% refund will be given.
- After the program has begun, there will be no refunds given for early withdrawal. However, future payments will be cancelled.

If you have any questions please contact Allison Christopoulos at 847.850.2146 or [allison@bgparks.org](mailto:allison@bgparks.org)  
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## 2017 – 2018 Registration and Yearly Fees

Registration code numbers will be in the summer brochure. The Discovery Kids registration form will be available at the open house on April 27. If you are unable to attend the open house you can pick up the form at the front desk of the Alcott Center.

Registration will begin May 1. Online registration is not available for this program. All participants must submit their registration forms to the Alcott Center front desk. Forms left in the drop box will be collected at 10 am on registration day.

<b>Discovery Kids Classes</b>	<u>Time</u>	<u>R/NR Fee</u>
Monday/Wednesday/Friday	9 am - 12 pm/12 - 3 pm	\$2295/2395
Tuesday/Thursday	9 am - 12 pm/12 - 3 pm	\$1665/1765

### **Yearly Busing Fees**

Monday/Wednesday/Friday	\$561
Tuesday/Thursday	\$407

### **Clubhouse Connection Busing**

We team up with the Clubhouse program to offer full coverage from 7 am - 6 pm for an additional fee. If your child attends Kilmer or Longfellow they can be picked up/dropped off for Discovery Kids at the Clubhouse program. For more information about the Clubhouse program and availability contact Lindsey Trent at 847.850.2134.

We also work with the Arlington Heights Park District, before and after school program (CAP), located at Poe and Riley. For more information about the CAP program and availability contact Stacey VanEnkevort at 847.506.7871.

### **Yearly Clubhouse Connection Busing Fees**

Monday/Wednesday/Friday	\$306
Tuesday/Thursday	\$259



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Discovery Kids Open House  
April 27 from 6:30 - 7:30 pm at the Alcott Center

For parents and their incoming kindergarteners  
to meet the teachers, visit the classroom,  
and learn about the curriculum.