

ENHANCED

NEED HELP WITH CHILD CARE FEES?



Do you have difficulties paying for your child's child care fees? Do you know children who are not in child care because their parents cannot afford the fees? The Centre-based Financial Assistance Scheme for Child Care (CFAC) can provide help for families to enrol their children in child care centres.

WHAT CFAC PROVIDES

Fee Subsidy

CFAC provides a subsidy for your child's child care fee every month, up to the maximum amount shown in the table below. This subsidy is given in addition to the universal government child care subsidy of \$300 for working mothers.

Maximum CFAC Subsidies:

Monthly Household Income	Maximum CFAC subsidy per month for each child
Less than or equal to \$1,500	\$340
\$1,501 - \$2,000	\$300
\$2,001 - \$2,200	\$270
\$2,201 - \$2,400	\$240
\$2,401 - \$2,600	\$210
\$2,601 - \$2,800	\$180
\$2,801 - \$3,000	\$150
\$3,001 - \$3,200	\$120
\$3,201 - \$3,400	\$90
\$3,401 - \$3,500	\$60

With effect from April 2011.

Start-up Grant

Eligible families may also receive a one-off start-up grant of up to \$1,000 per child. This helps to pay for the deposit, registration fee, uniforms and insurance.

WHO CAN APPLY

- Children who are Singapore citizens. Children who are Permanent Residents (PR) of Singapore can apply if at least one member of their immediate family is a Singapore citizen;
- Children who are below 7 years old and are attending licensed child care centres;
- Children whose parents are working; and
- Children whose family's monthly household income is \$3,500 and below.

WHERE TO APPLY

You may apply for the CFAC subsidy at your child's child care centre. For more information, please visit www.mcys.gov.sg/comcareschemes.

