



# Raider Zone

## Extended Care Program

For families who juggle many responsibilities, we offer childcare and enrichment programs to extend the experiential learning of the school day. Morning and after care is available to all students in Early Years through grade 8. Morning care is available 7:00 am - 8:00 am and after care 3:10 pm - 6:00 pm on school days. Students are separated into age appropriate groups and participate in both indoor and outdoor activities that support and extend their school day.

### Our Mission

Our goal and purpose is to provide a safe, caring, fun, and engaging child care program designed to complement the regular school day.

### Our Staff

Our program is licensed by Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services and is staffed with qualified staff with experience in early childhood, education, or a related field. All staff undergo extensive background and security checks and receive ongoing training.

### Program Highlights

- Caring staff and low student to teacher ratios.
- Activities and lessons that supplement and support the learning happening in the classroom.
- Age appropriate themed activities that promote STEM, collaboration, art, academic growth, and fun!
- A light and healthy snack provided at 4:30 pm.
- Supervised escorts to and from additional enrichment activities.

## 2020-2021 Lower School Raider Zone

	Morning Zone	AM and Early Pickup	AM and Standard Pickup	AM and Late Pickup
	Morning Care	Morning Care 3:10 pm - 3:45 pm	Morning Care 3:10 pm - 4:30 pm	Morning Care 3:10 pm - 6:00 pm
<b>Early Years</b>	\$500*	\$1,050*	\$2,345*	\$3,875*
<b>Kindergarten</b>	\$450*	\$1,000*	\$2,295*	\$3,825*
<b>Grades 1-4</b>	\$400*	\$950*	\$2,245*	\$3,775*
<b>Avg. cost per hour</b>	\$2.65	\$2.90	\$5.40	\$5.60

*\*All prices are annual and will be billed per your selected FACTS Payment Plan.  
Fees are based on enrollment, not attendance. Prices include a light healthy snack at 4:30 pm.*

## 2020-2021 Middle School Raider Zone

	Middle School
<b>Morning Care</b> Supervision for Middle School students is monitored by BT faculty in Upper School Library	No Charge
<b>3:40 pm - 6:00 pm</b>	\$450*
<b>Avg. cost per hour</b>	\$1.20 per hour

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## Help! I'm running late or need additional time!

We know there will be days that you are running late or need additional time to cover that meeting that just won't end! We would love to help you and now have a way for you to extend your child's time at Raider Zone. All zones may be extended to 6:00 pm on any given day with proper notice. The chart below represents the additional costs you will incur. To utilize this option, please email [jenn.sherer@brownell.edu](mailto:jenn.sherer@brownell.edu) or call 402.556.3772, extension 1023. (24-hour notice is appreciated.) **These additional fees will be added to your monthly FACTS charges and be billed as incidental extended care.**

I am currently registered for:	Morning Care only	Morning Care plus afternoon from 3:10 pm to 3:45 pm	Morning Care plus afternoon from 3:10 pm to 4:30 pm
To extend my child's time beyond my selected program (up to 6:00 pm) I will pay an additional:	\$25 per day	\$20 per day	\$15 per day

## Additional Fees

Late fees cover the cost of additional staffing beyond your contracted enrollment. You will be given a grace period of five minutes from your scheduled time. After that time period, families will be billed the appropriate extension charge listed above. **Please note, you will be charged \$5 per minute past 6:00 pm without exception.**

## Key Cards

Campus doors are locked at all times. Lower School Raider Zone families will receive one key card per family unless a second complimentary card is requested. A third key card can be requested for a fee of \$5. Any key cards not returned at the end of the school year will result in a \$25 per card charge. There is also a \$25 charge to replace a lost card during the year.

## Enrichment Program Activities

Raider Zone students are escorted to and from Enrichment Program activities to ensure the safety of each individual. Students participating in enrichment activities who are not picked up at the end of the activity will be taken to Raider Zone after care. You will be charged the appropriate drop-in rates for this time.

**Based on availability, drop-in rates for students who are not registered for Raider Zone is \$10 per hour and billed to your FACTs account.**

Early Years Enrichment Programs take place from 3:30 pm to 4:15 pm. Kindergarten through eighth grade programs take place from 3:45 pm to 4:30 pm, with some options offered later in the afternoon. Each of the sessions (fall, winter, and spring) run approximately 8-10 weeks.

## Attendance Policies

Students may only be checked out of Raider Zone by a parent or authorized adult listed on the registration form. Changes to the authorized list may be made with advanced notification to Raider Zone staff by phone call or email. Attendance is taken at 3:15 pm, 4:30 pm, and 5:00 pm to ensure student safety and accountability and to assist with accurate billing.

Middle School parents may text or telephone their child for pickup. Students will sign themselves out using their key card.

## Financial Policies

Fees are based on enrollment, not attendance. There are no fee decreases for sick or missed days, weather days, or holidays. **In the event that the State of Nebraska mandates the closure of the school for health reasons, you will NOT be billed Raider Zone charges for that time.**

## Termination Policy

Brownell Talbot requires two weeks' written notice for a child to be withdrawn from after care. Changes can be made at the start of each semester if needed.

## Registration

Parents are required to complete a child care contract, Children's Record and authorization for pickup, and provide up-to-date immunizations at the start of each school year. Only children who have completed registration forms on file with the school will be allowed to participate in extended care activities. **PLEASE NOTE, participation in the previous year's program does NOT automatically enroll your child in the current year.**