



# Faulkton Area Out of School Program

Little Sprouts, Junior Program  
Summer Recreation Program & Before & After School Enrichment

**Enrollments for the Junior Program and Before/After School Program are being accepted now.**  
**Contact April Sorensen 605-751-9043 to have the enrollment paperwork sent to you or**  
**download the application at [www.faulktonareaoutofschoolprogram.com](http://www.faulktonareaoutofschoolprogram.com)**

What's FAOSP? The Faulkton Area Out of School Program is a licensed, non-profit childcare service that offers academic enrichment /recreation opportunities. We offer the following programs: "The FAOSP" a before/after school program for ages 5-13; "The Jr. Program" an all-day child-care with an openly structured preschool atmosphere for ages 3-6; "The Summer Rec Program" an all-day recreation/summer camp program for ages 5 – 13; and "Little Sprouts" a licensed group daycare for ages 6 weeks and older. Note, "sprouts" is held in a separate building. Sprouts are transitioned to the Junior Program when toilet-trained and ready for a preschool-like atmosphere. Junior Program children are moved into the FAOSP when they are at least 5 years old, enrolled in Kindergarten, and capable of being in a school environment.

## Tidbits about the School-Year and Junior Program

Open Times: Jr. Program 7:30am-6:00pm M-F  
Before School Care 7:30am - 8:30am M-F  
After School Care 3:30 – 6pm M-F  
\*No School Days 7:30am – 6pm M-F (\*Must have a min of 6 pre-registered to be open)  
Late Start/Early Release The program is staffed normal hours on these days (unless deemed unsafe), and can provide care for families as needed.

Ages: Jr. Program: At least 3 years old, preferably 4 – 6 years  
FAOSP: 5 – 12 years (K – 6<sup>th</sup> grade)

Cost: The program operates on contracts and uses the following fee schedules to calculate the weekly fee. The rates are prorated for holidays. Walk-in participants are accepted, space permitting.

**Jr. Program Contracts:** Full Day (>4 hours) = \$23/day Half Day (≤ 4 hours) = \$16/day  
*Contracted participants will be charged a minimum rate of \$46/week.* Usage above this amount will be charged at the full or half rates listed above. Non-contracted families will be charged the walk-in rates listed below.

**FAOSP Contracts:** Before School = \$3/day After school = \$7/day  
*Contracted participants will be charged a minimum rate of \$20/week.* Usage above this amount will be charged at the before or afterschool rates listed above. All-day and Half-day programs (in the event of a No-school, early release, or late start day) will be charged at the full or half day rates listed in the Jr Program section). Non-contracted families will be charged the walk-in rates listed below.

**Walk-in Rates:** Full Day (>4 hours) = \$30/day Half Day (≤ 4 hours) = \$20/day  
Before School = \$5/day After school = \$10/day

A scholarship program is available for our special programs (i.e. dance, tumbling, painting, cooking etc.), but not for general childcare. If financial assistance for childcare is required, help is available from the State of SD. More information can be obtained online at <http://dss.sd.gov/childcare/childcareassistance/> or from the program director.

Activities: The program schedules activities daily to enhance the education/experience for your child. We have a structured schedule with time for big motor skills (play), recreation, arts & crafts, music and educational enhancement – which also includes help with homework. *Throughout the year we also include special programs such as swimming, tumbling/gymnastics, tae kwon do, dance, canvas painting, cooking club, music activities, STEAM (Makerspace), sports, and more.*

Location: 109 13<sup>th</sup> Ave North (one block north of the school's parking lot).

Transportation: The program provides transportation to school in the mornings as well as preschool pick-up, Jr. Kindergarten drop-off, and round-trip for Story Hour at the library. The program also provides transportation to and from school/library for the children at the Sprouts location. Afterschool, the staff meet the Jr K and school-age children in the lunchroom and walk as a group to the new building (two blocks). The cost of this transportation is included in your contract fees.

Instructors: Our instructors have specific educational requirements to meet our daycare licensing. All staff complete 10 hours of continuing education yearly, complete a background check, and are certified in CPR/AED and First Aid.

Lunch/Snacks: Breakfast, lunch, and snacks are provided by the program. A Registered Dietitian plans meals to meet USDA Guidelines. Meals and snacks are included in the cost of the program. If your child has specific allergies, this will need to be discussed with the program director.

Handbook: A program handbook has been created with much more detail about the program and can be found on our website [www.faulktonareaoutofschoolprogram.com](http://www.faulktonareaoutofschoolprogram.com). Here you can read more information about our program, print registration forms, read our parent handbook, see our weekly and monthly schedules, find links to daycare assistance programs, and more!

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**Registrations from current families are due by August 8<sup>th</sup>.**

