



## SERVICES

### LOCATION

The service is located on site at Chelona State School

### PROGRAMS

We tailor our programs to meet the local school community needs and provide much more than child minding.

Our Programs are designed to develop stronger, healthier and happier children and to provide an environment that is like a “home away from home”

Programs are developed in consultation with children, parents, the school community and staff. They are tailored to cater to the children’s age, skill, interests and abilities through a variety of challenging and recreational activities.

### BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL CARE

Available 5 days per week, from 6.30am-8.30am and 3pm –6pm Children can walk straight to and from their classrooms. We pick up and drop off the Prep and Year 1 students and escort them to the OSHC room.

### VACATION CARE & STUDENT FREE DAYS

A full day program is available, 5 days per week, and on Student Free Days from 6.30am– 6pm. Children who do not attend Chelona are welcome to attend.

### FOOD

We provide breakfast at Before School Care and afternoon tea at After School Care. In addition to these meals the children also have the opportunity to participate in cooking activities and the occasional special treat.



## COST

### GOVERNMENT SUBSIDIES

There are a number of schemes available to parents including;



**Child Care Benefit (CCB)** - the percentage benefit is determined by criteria including the number of children in care and household income. Helping Hands Network **automatically lodges claims on behalf of parents** and only bills for the difference.

**Child Care Rebate (CCR)** - not means tested (also available to families with high incomes), this rebate entitles families to receive 50% of their out of pocket child care costs up to \$7,500 per child per year. Parents can either claim this directly or HHN can claim this for families.

### COST TO PARENTS

After CCB & CCR, costs per child per session for a permanent booking ranges from:



Before School Care -	\$4.52 up to \$16.00
After School Care -	\$5.27 up to \$21.00
Vacation Care -	\$8.33 up to \$55.00

*These quotes include the 50% rebate on out of pocket child care expenditure through CCR and are based on 1 child at 100%*

### CALL FOR A QUOTE

Parents are able to call at anytime to get a quote for using the service. Please call:

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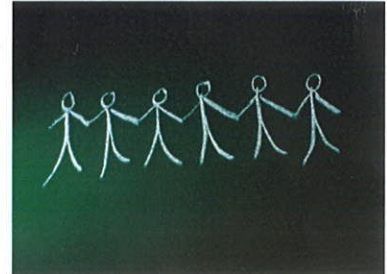


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