

Parent Childcare Resources

SAFE, SUPERVISED, childcare is of utmost importance. As schools announce plans for full or partial distance learning to respond to COVID-19, working parents with school-age children are faced with the challenge of how to ensure that their children are in a safe learning setting while they work—a challenge that is even more daunting for families with low incomes, families who face greater health risks, and families who face inequities in access to educational and health resources as well as employment options. Unfortunately, these challenges are even greater because the pandemic has seriously constrained before- and after-school programs along with the center-based and home-based child care settings that usually provide after-school and child care supports to working parents.

This resource guide is being offered to highlight the range of current available options. It will be updated regularly, and will be available on: www.oldsaybrookct.gov , www.osyfs.org and www.oldsaybrookschools.org

YMCA-"Fall Hybrid Learning Camp"

We will adapt our program to accommodate any online learning requirements by your school. Children will need to bring their own laptop or tablet. We will provide internet access. Click the link below for more information:

<https://vsymca.org/fall-hybrid-camp/>

Old Saybrook Youth & Family Services:

After school clubs and programs are being created and the schedule will be announced shortly!

Sign up to receive YFS Newsletter at:

WWW.OSYFS.ORG

Old Saybrook Park & Rec.

Check out Park & Recs. Teen Center. Stay up to date by clicking on the link below on developing programs!

<https://oldsaybrookct.myrec.com/info/default.aspx>

Acton Public Library

Virtual Programs:

<http://actonlibrary.org/events/virtual-programs/>

Online Resources:

<http://actonlibrary.org/services/online-resources/>

The Children's Tree

Montessori School

CTMS will be offering multi aged quality childcare options for families in our community. The day will be filled with indoor and outdoor play, arts and crafts, games, block and Lego construction, and homework help. Click the link below:

<https://childrenstree.org/admission/brochure/mobile/index.html>

Beach Babies Learning Center, LLC

We will oversee your child doing their school work. Provide them a safe and fun environment. There will be lots of body breaks and time outside.

[Click Here for more Details!](#)

<https://www.beachbabiesllc.com/>

Care4Kids

Care 4 Kids helps low to moderate income families in Connecticut pay for child care costs. This program is sponsored by the Connecticut Office of Early Childhood.

<https://www.ctcare4kids.com/>

Please contact Sue Consoli, OS Social Services Coordinator, at 860-395-3188 if you would like to apply for some financial assistance for youth programming.

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Camp Hazen YMCA

Growing Stronger Together!

Camp Hazen is providing 'Camp Care' starting Sept. 1st to assist families with the start of the school years.

Click the link below for more details!

[Www.camphazenyumca.org](http://www.camphazenyumca.org)