

PRE-SCHOOL PRACTICAL INFORMATION FOR ALL FAMILIES BACK TO SCHOOL 2025-2026

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To inform us of a student's absence, please contact the Pre-school office (email or phone) in advance.

Class times

PS0, PS1 and PS2: Arrival between 8.15 a.m. and 08.45 a.m.

PS3: Arrival between 8:15 a.m. and 8:30 a.m.

All students finish classes at 3:10 p.m. (12:15 p.m. on Wednesday)

Class information

Please note that you will be informed of the class configuration and of the teacher's name during the orientation day (by appointment only) which will take place on Thursday, 21st August 2025, 8:00 a.m.- 12:00 p.m. and 1:00p.m. - 4:00 p.m. A sign-up link for a 15-minute slot will be emailed on the 14th August.

There will be information meetings in your child's classroom in which the teacher will present the programmes, objectives, and projects for the year.

- PS0 Monday 1st September 2025, at 5:00 p.m.
- PS1 Thursday, 4th September 2025, at 5:00 p.m.
- PS2 Monday, 8th September 2025, at 5:00 p.m.
- PS3 Tuesday 9th September 2025, at 5:00 p.m.

Lunch

All children eat lunch in our dining room during one of three sittings. If your child is not having school lunch, he/she will need to bring a picnic to be eaten either cold or warmed up. Please note that picnics are kept at room temperature until lunchtime.

Extracurricular Activities

Find all the relevant information on our back to school web page cdl.ch/backtoschool, or on our CDL News Parents app for mobile devices ("Information" tile) or contact extracurricular@cdl.ch for more assistance.



School Bus

Please note that our school bus service will NOT be operational on the morning of the first day of school (Monday, 25th August 2025).

However, in the afternoon, the bus will wait for the students enrolled in the service like any regular day of the year (bus departs at 4:00 p.m. sharp). Our students are taken to and from the bus every day by our classroom assistants. Please contact the Transport department at bus.cdl@alsa.com or 022 775 55 83 if you have not received confirmation before the start of school.

Sports Clothes and Uniforms

Please note that on the day your child has a PE lesson, he/she should come to school wearing their CDL sports uniform and appropriate sports shoes. You can purchase the school uniform and sports kit on **our e-shop** (items to be picked up in August) or in our campus shop. You will find all the information about our e-shop and our bookstore opening hours on our dedicated web page: cdl.ch/backtoschool.

Supplies

CDL will provide certain supplies. These will be given to your child at the beginning of the year. Please note that the cost is included in the school fees. Your child will need slippers from the first day.

Website, iSams and Parent App

You will find more updated information (calendar, holidays, events...) on the [Parent Essentials](#) section of our website cdl.ch and on the 'CDL News' Parents app available in your favourite Appstore. You will also be able to connect to the school software (iSams) with a personal account (login details will be communicated at the beginning of school year) to find useful information regarding your child's school life.

