

# Arlington Unitarian Cooperative Preschool (AUCP) Application for Admission: 2025–2026 School Year

**Application Deadline:** Applications must be processed by the application deadline of February 7, 2025. Applications for new families will not be processed until the application fee has been paid. Applicants will be notified via email about waitlist status by March 1. Please contact Membership at loveoutdoorpreschool@gmail.com with any questions.

**New Member Fees:** A \$50 application fee is required for each student. Upon acceptance, new families will pay a \$120 non-refundable registration fee per family. This fee covers the Central Registry and criminal history searches required for each co-oping parent/guardian. In addition, one month's tuition must be paid as a deposit to be credited to the last month's (May 2026) tuition. This tuition deposit is non-refundable after April 30, 2025.

**PAYMENT:** Your application will not be processed until your application fee (\$50 per student) has been paid. To inquire about financial assistance with the application fee, please email Membership at loveoutdoorpreschool@gmail.com. Please send payment to Arlington Unitarian Cooperative Preschool at 4444 Arlington Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22204.

**Current Members:** There is no application fee for current members. May 2026 tuition for each child is due on February 1, 2025, and this includes a non-refundable \$50 tuition deposit. It will be billed to your Jovial account once your application has been processed. May 2026 tuition is non-refundable after April 30, 2025.

\*\* Please be advised that any class may be cancelled due to low enrollment on September 1.\*\*

Child Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Preferred Name (if different from legal name): \_\_\_\_\_

Birth Date or Expected Due Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Is the child or any of the child's siblings currently attending Arlington Unitarian Cooperative Preschool? **Y/N**

Did this child or the child's siblings previously attend AUCP? If yes, please indicate which year(s).

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Is a parent/guardian of the child a pledging Member/Friend of Unitarian Universalist Church of Arlington? **Y/N**

Describe any previous preschool or playgroup experience (*used for class placement, does not affect admission*): \_\_\_\_\_  
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**New applicants:** How did you hear about AUCP? \_\_\_\_\_

**Classes.** Classes meet from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Birth dates for classes may be adjusted to accommodate class sizes. AUCP may be unable to accommodate preferred days because of a need to match class days for siblings.

**PANDA** For children who will be one year old by 9/30/25 (Families with older children enrolling at AUCP are able to enroll children under age 1 in the Panda class):

*Rank in order of preference:*

\_\_\_\_ Monday Panda Class    \_\_\_\_ Tuesday Panda Class    \_\_\_\_ Wednesday Panda Class

\_\_\_\_ Thursday Panda Class    \_\_\_\_ Friday Panda Class

Would you like two Panda days if available? Y/N

**KANGAROO/WALLABY** For children who will be two years old by 9/30/25:

*Rank in order of preference:*

\_\_\_\_\_ Monday and Wednesday

\_\_\_\_\_ Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday

**PUFFIN/PENGUIN** For children who will be three years old by 9/30/25:

\_\_\_\_\_ Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday

**EAGLE/DOLPHIN** For children who will be 4 or 5 years old by 9/30/25:

\_\_\_\_\_ Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday

**Optional Enrichment Classes.** The Owl class (Pre-kindergarten focus) is available to Dolphins/Eagles. The Cheetah class (STEAM focus) is open to Puffins/Penguins. Please indicate below if interested in an optional enrichment class.

Cheetah Class (3s) – *Rank in order of preference:*

\_\_\_\_ Monday

\_\_\_\_ Thursday

Would you like 2 Cheetah days if available? Y/N

\_\_\_\_ Owl Class (4s) – Wednesday

**Optional Stay & Play:** Extended days available for Puffins/Penguins and Eagles/Dolphins (Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, or Friday afternoons 12:30-3 pm)

*Rank in order of preference if interested in Stay & Play.*

\_\_\_\_\_Monday

\_\_\_\_\_Tuesday

\_\_\_\_\_Wednesday

\_\_\_\_\_Thursday

\_\_\_\_\_Friday

How many Stay & Play days would you like, if available? \_\_\_\_\_

**Please send your application and appropriate fee or deposit (payable to AUCP) to:**

Arlington Unitarian Cooperative Preschool  
4444 Arlington Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22204

**Scan the below QR code to pay via PayPal:**



*AUCP admits students without regard to race, color, creed, or national or ethnic origin.*