

Leapin' Lizards Childcare & Preschool
Annual Statement of Cooperation

1. I hereby agree to accept all regulations outlined in Leapin' Lizards student handbook.
 2. I understand that the school will use positive methods of discipline which encourage self-control, self-direction, self-esteem, and cooperation in accordance with the Licensing Rules for Child Care Schools R400.5107.
 3. I understand that I am responsible to provide at least one **complete** change of clothing to be kept in the classroom. If an article of clothing from the "classroom outfit" has been worn, I understand that I am to replace that type of article the following school day. Each piece of clothing needs to be clearly marked with my child's name. Children need to dress according to the weather conditions, because they will be spending a portion of the day outside. Children will not be taken outside when it is 25 degrees or below (with wind chill factor) or when adverse weather conditions exist.
 4. I will submit a Health Report once a year as required by the State of Michigan and Leapin' Lizards. I will complete the top **Personal** portion of the health report, and I will have the remaining portions completed by my child's physician. The report is to be signed and returned within 30 days of my child's first day of attendance. Before my child can be enrolled, an up to date booster shot record must be submitted.
 5. I understand that the standards of Leapin' Lizards will not tolerate words or actions that are profane, obscene, dishonorable, or disrespectful.
 6. As a parent, I will discuss any concerns with my child's teacher first, then with the administrator if the concern was unresolved. I will follow these steps before I express any concerns to my child(ren), so as to avoid conflict in my child's mind regarding authority.
 7. As a parent, I will accept as final authority the decision of the administrator. If I am unable to accept the decision, I will voluntarily withdraw my child(ren) from Leapin' Lizards.
 8. There will be quiet time each afternoon for all children. Children are expected to rest quietly on their mat, allowing others the opportunity to sleep. Each child will be assigned a mat provided by Leapin' Lizards. Each child will be provided with a sheet & blanket, which will be washed weekly within Leapin' Lizards.
 9. I understand that my child, being in close contact to others, will be exposed to contagious diseases. I will not bring my child to school if he/she is likely to expose the contagious disease to others. If any child develops any of the following symptoms while at school, they will be isolated from other children:
 - A temperature of 101 degrees or more
 - Intestinal disturbance (diarrhea or vomiting)
 - Any undiagnosed rash
 - Sore or discharging eye/ears
 - Profuse or green nasal discharges
 - Signs of a communicable disease
- If any of the above symptoms arise, one of the parents/guardians will be called and asked to make arrangements for the child to be taken home. It is required that all children sent home must be symptom free for 24 hours before returning to school.
10. As a parent, I realize it is my responsibility to keep all information on my child's Emergency Card accurate and up to date. Any changes to the Emergency Card must be given to the administrator in writing.
 11. Leapin' Lizards will not discriminate on the basis of race or personal beliefs in the administration of its educational policies, admission policies, and employment policies.
 12. I agree to give at least two-week notice of my intention to remove my child(ren) from the program that he/she is enrolled in.

By signing below, I acknowledge that I have read and understand the 12 statements explained on this sheet:

Parent/Guardian

Date

Parent/Guardian

Date