

York County Family Cooperative

Policies

1. York County Family Cooperative is not an accredited school and only operates with the cooperative effort of the parent. The parent retains ALL responsibility for the educational outcome of the child and the fulfillment of the South Carolina State law requirements for home-based instruction.
2. We do not discriminate based on race, religion, gender, sexual orientation, educational philosophy, political views, etc. We welcome all homeschoolers and ask that discussion and reference of political opinions, sexual orientation and gender identity be saved for outside of co-op. We build on our commonalities during co-op.
3. Membership fee must be paid each semester before class registration. Requests for membership refunds need to be made by emailing the board. A 50% refund for the membership fees will be given if requested by the day before the first day of classes. After the first day of classes, there will not be any more membership refunds.
4. Teachers decide how many students will be accepted into each class and will notify parents promptly after registration about who has been officially registered. Each teacher is paid directly by parents. Each teacher has her own refund policy. Teachers must be paid before the first day of class, unless other arrangements have been made. Bartering is allowed.
5. No bullying or harassment of any kind will be tolerated. Failure to comply with this rule may result in dismissal from the co-op.
6. The only children allowed to attend a class are the children that are registered for that class, unless permission is given from the teacher.
7. Teachers may provide feedback but do not assign grades.
8. If teachers plan on requiring assignments outside of class time, it will be stated in the class description, along with expected time requirements.
9. All children not in class need to be with the parent in the common areas.