

Welcome to Chicago!

Relocation Handbook
2020 to 2021



BRITISH INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL
OF CHICAGO, LINCOLN PARK
A NORD ANGLIA EDUCATION SCHOOL



A Guide to Moving to Lincoln Park

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Welcome to the Neighborhood!

In Lincoln Park, Chicago's motto of "urbs in horto" — or "City in a Garden," truly comes to life.

Historic churches and handsome brick row houses nestled within landmark districts sit next to peaceful parks. Quiet tree-lined residential areas give way to bustling business corridors.

The location of our school provides easy access to families living in the Lincoln Park, Lakeview, Bucktown, Wicker Park, West Town, Gold Coast, West Loop, and Roscoe Village neighborhoods (to name a few).

This guide was compiled by current BISC-LP parents to introduce you to the vibrant area around our school and the Chicagoland area as a whole. It provides recommendations for where to buy groceries, how to plan a children's birthday party, and much more.

If you still have questions, please contact the Admissions Team. We would be happy to connect you with a member of the BISC-LP parent community.

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Places of Interest

Get to Know Chicago

Chicago is a city of neighborhoods with some of the world's best architecture and museums, dining spots and cultural arts offerings. The best way to experience this is to get out and explore by foot, car, bicycle, or boat!

Chicago Water Taxi

Routes service the Chicago Riverwalk, Chinatown, Goose Island, and more.

www.chicagowatertaxi.com

Chicago Architecture Center

An all-in-one architecture experience: a museum with two floors of fascinating exhibits and a gateway to more than 85 awe-inspiring boat, walking, bus, and L tours.

www.architecture.org

Divvy Bikes

Fun and affordable bike share system with locations all over the city.

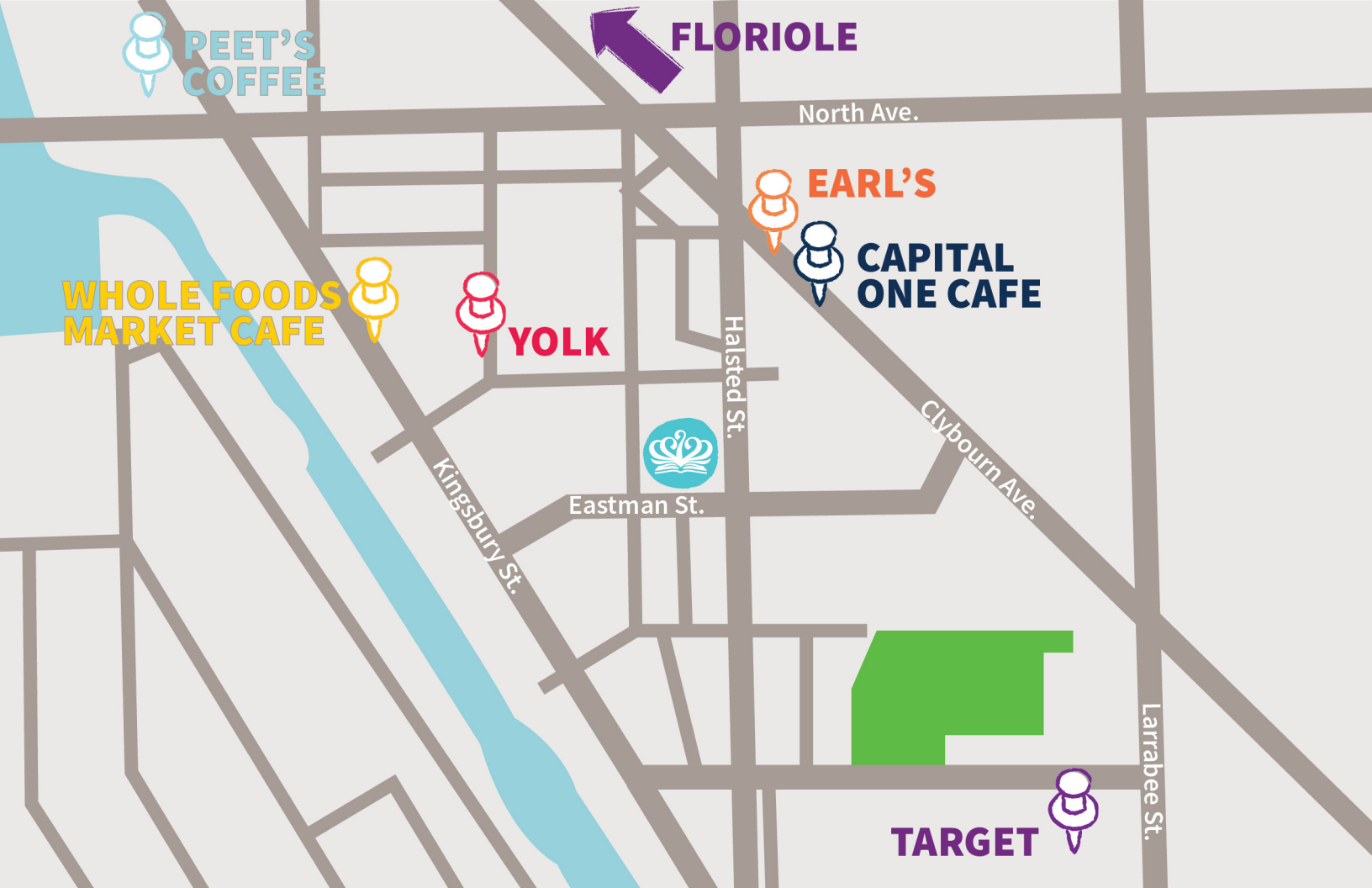
www.divvybikes.com

Wendela Boat Tours & Cruises

A variety of tours and cruises on the Chicago River.

www.wendellaboats.com





Nearby Coffee Shops

BISC-LP offers complimentary coffee and tea in the community lounge. You can also grab a cup at a cafe nearby. Parents often gather at these places after morning drop-off and before afternoon pick-up.

Earl's Kitchen & Bar

American Fare

1538 N. Clybourn Ave.

www.earls.ca

Whole Foods Market Cafe

Coffee and Pastries

1550 N. Kingsbury St.

www.wholefoods.com

Yolk

Comfort Food and Breakfast

1504 N. Fremont St.

www.eatyolk.com

Target

Starbucks

1200 N. Larrabee St.

www.target.com

Capital One Cafe

Coffee and Pastries

1538 N. Clybourn Ave.

www.capitalone.com/local

Floriole Cafe & Bakery

Coffee and European-style Pastries

1220 W. Webster Ave.

www.floriole.com

Peet's Coffee

Coffee and Baked Goods

1000 W. North Ave.

www.peets.com

Places of Interest

Kids Clubs & Studios

BISC-LP offers a variety of activities during the week, including clubs, music lessons, and sports teams. There are also many options for your child outside of school. The following businesses offer some of our parents' favorite kid-friendly activities.

Art

Easel Art Studio 1

Classes and drop-in art time.

911 N. Milwaukee Ave.

www.easelartstudio.com

The Paintbrush

Camps, workshops, and classes.

2646 N. Halsted St.

www.thepaintbrush.net

Baseball

Lil Sluggers

Baseball classes, leagues, and private lessons.

Various Locations

www.lilsluggerschicago.com

Dance

All About Dance

Ballet, jazz, and hip hop classes.

501 W. North Ave.

www.allaboutdance.org

Collective Dance

Tap, ballet, hip hop, and jazz classes.

2940 N. Lincoln Ave.

www.collectivedancechicago.com

Joffrey Academy of Dance

Ballet and jazz classes.

10 E. Randolph St.

www.joffrey.org/academy

Gymnastics

Altitude Trampoline Park

Open play and birthday parties.

404 N. Armour St.

www.altitudechicago.com

IK Gymnastics

Noncompetitive boys and girls classes.

2500 W. Bradley Pl.

www.ikgym.com

Lakeshore Academy of Artistic Gymnastics

Recreational and competitive programs, plus rock climbing.

937 W. Chestnut St.

www.lakeshoreacademy.com

Music

Old Town School of Folk Music

Family-friendly concerts, movement classes, music lessons, and camps.

4544 N. Lincoln Ave.

www.auberginechicago.com

Play Spaces

Aubergine Chicago

Adult/child classes and birthday parties.

3530 W. Armitage Ave.

www.auberginechicago.com

Bubbles Academy

Creativity and movement classes, birthday parties, and open play.

2184 N. Elston Ave.

www.bubblesacademy.com

Kid City

Birthday parties and weekend open play with a grocery market, play house, and dress-up boutique.

1837 W. Grand Ave.

www.kidcitychicago.com

Kidville – Lincoln Park

Birthday parties and classes in gym, music, art, dance, and enrichment.

1622 N. Kingsbury St.

www.kidville.com

Little Beans Café

Family cafe and indoor playhouse village.

1809 W. Webster Ave.

www.littlebeanscafe.com

Little Gym

Parent and child classes, dance, gymnastics, sports skills, and karate.

3216 N. Lincoln Ave.

www.thelittlegym.com

Sod Room

Eco-friendly indoor playspace in the South Loop neighborhood offering workshops and classes.

1454 S. Michigan Ave.

www.sodroom.com

Places of Interest

Soccer (Football)

American Youth Soccer Organization

Indoor and outdoor programs.

www.ayso418.org

Chicago Fire Juniors

Official youth soccer club of the Major League Soccer Chicago Fire.

www.chicagofirejuniorscity.com

Chicago City Soccer Club

Various clubs and specialty programs, such as goalkeeping.

1414 W. Irving Park Rd.

www.chicagocitysoccerclub.com

Super Soccer Stars

Noncompetitive private and group lessons.

3435 N. Sheffield Ave.

www.chi.supersoccerstars.com

Swimming

FOSS Swim School

Individualized programs.

3062 N. Ashland Ave.

www.fosswimschool.com

Goldfish Swim School

Small group classes, swim team, and family swim.

2630 W. Bradley Rd.

www.goldfishswimschool.com

Stanton Park Pool

Public indoor swimming pool.

618 W. Scott St.

<https://bit.ly/stantonparkpool>

Tennis

Tennis On the Lake

Group, private, and semi-private lessons.

3650 N. Recreation Dr.

www.tennisonthelake.com

Midtown Athletic Club

Swim team and lessons.

2444 N. Elston Ave.

www.midtown.com

Theater

Chicago Children's Theatre

Family-friendly performances, classes, and camps.

100 S. Racine Ave.

www.chicagochildrenstheatre.org

Lookingglass Theatre Company

Innovative performances, classes and camps located in the historic Water Tower Water Works building.

821 N. Michigan Ave.

www.lookingglasstheatre.org

Various

Pearchute

An online listing of various drop-in kids classes and activities.

www.pearchutekids.com



Places of Interest

Gyms & Fitness Studios

You will find that Chicago is an active city, especially when the weather cooperates! The city is home to 570 parks, 26 miles of lakefront trail, and public fitness amenities such as pools, tennis courts, and soccer fields. Many families also belong to private gyms and fitness clubs. These are popular options in the Lincoln Park area, and some have other locations as well.

Midtown Athletic Club

High-end gym with indoor tennis courts, fitness equipment, resort-style pools, spa services, and a kids club.

2444 N. Elston Ave.

www.midtown.com

Lakeshore Sport & Fitness

An affordable club with indoor tennis courts, swimming pools, an indoor running track, fitness equipment, and a kids club.

1320 W. Fullerton Ave.

www.lakeshoresf.com

East Bank Club

A premier health club with four pools, a sun deck, exercise facilities and equipment, and a kids club.

500 N. Kingsbury St.

www.eastbankclub.com

FFC – Lincoln Park

An affordable club with an indoor pool, triathlon center, fitness equipment, spa services, and a kids club.

939 W. North Ave.

www.ffc.com

Orangetheory

Interval-based workouts.

2209 N. Halsted St.

www.orangetheoryfitness.com

Shred 415 – Lincoln Park

Interval-based workouts.

2150 N. Clybourn Ave.

www.shred415.com

CorePower Yoga – Lincoln Park

Various types of yoga.

959 W. Webster Ave.

www.corepoweryoga.com



Places of Interest

Museums

Chicago is home to some of the world's finest museums. You will also find a wonderful selection of local-interest museums, such as the Chicago History Museum.

Membership

If you plan to visit a museum more than a couple of times a year, it is usually more affordable to buy the membership.

Check if you can add parking to the membership. In some cases, parking at or near museums can be expensive. For example, Lincoln Park Zoo is free to visit but charges \$20-\$40 for onsite parking.

Free Entry

Every Chicago Public Library offers free family passes to 19 museums.

They are given out on a first come, first served basis. You can check for available passes in person at a library or at www.chipublib.bibliocommons.com/v2/.

Museum Highlights

Chicago Children's Museum at Navy Pier

www.chicagochildrensmuseum.org

Kohl Children's Museum

www.kohlchildrensmuseum.org

Chicago History Museum

www.hicagohistory.org

Bronzeville Children's Museum

www.bronzevillechildrensmuseum.com

Peggy Notebaert Nature Museum

www.naturemuseum.org

Museum of Science and Industry

www.msichicago.org

Exploritorium

www.skokieparks.org

Art Institute of Chicago

www.artic.edu

Shedd Aquarium

www.sheddaquarium.org

Field Museum

www.fieldmuseum.org

Adler Planetarium

www.adlerplanetarium.org



Making Payments

As a bustling, world-class city, Chicago accepts all major forms of payment. Following are tips on what form of payment to use and when.

Checkbook

Certain transactions require payment by check (cheque), such as school fees. You can obtain a checkbook from your local bank.

Credit Cards

Most establishments accept credit cards. The most popular cards

are Visa and Mastercard. Some businesses do not accept Discover or American Express.

Mobile Payments

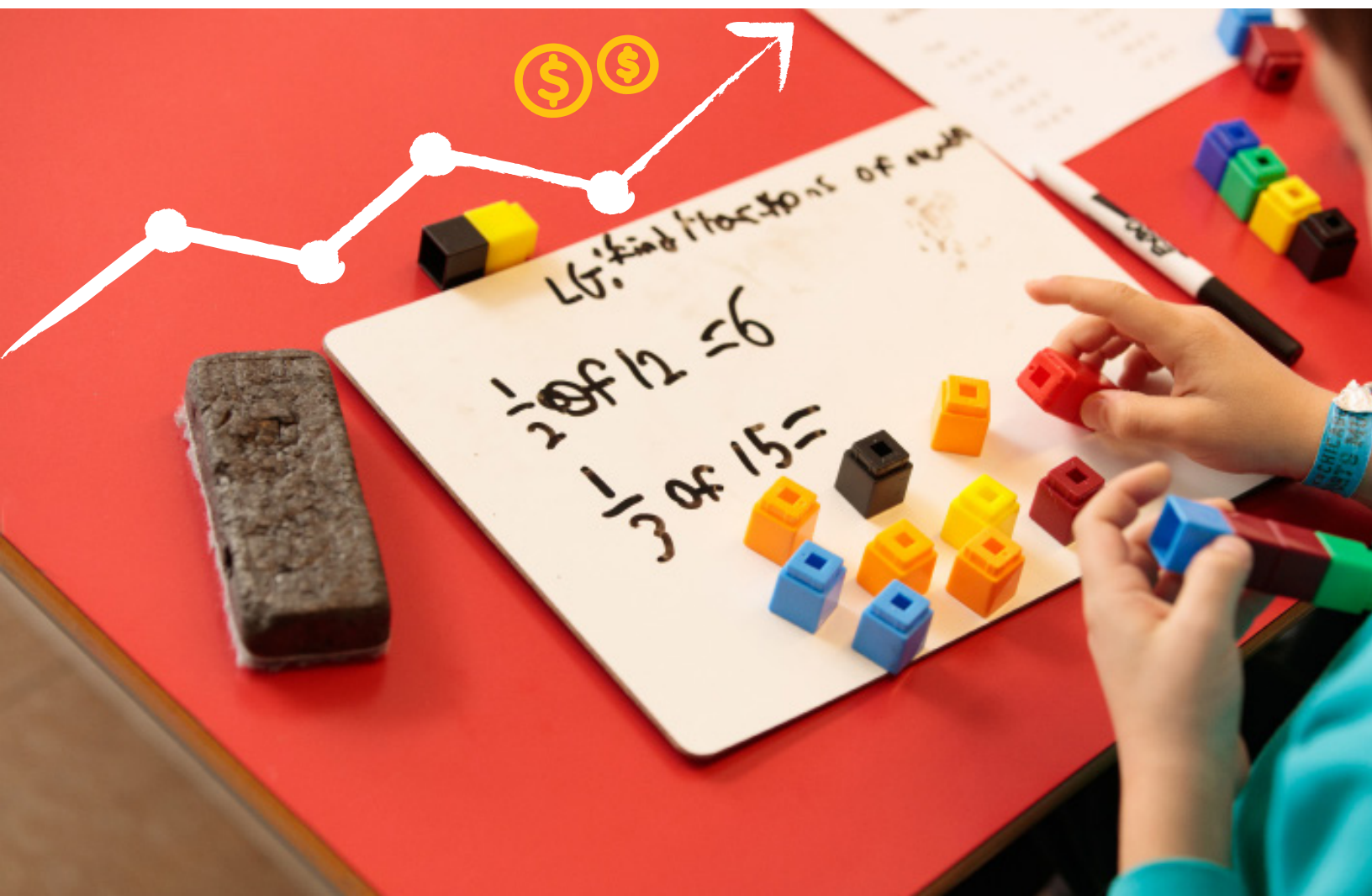
Your friends and some service providers, such as babysitters and house cleaners, will often accept mobile payments.

Many local banks have mobile apps that enable mobile payment transfers. There are also independent mobile payment apps; the three

most common options are Venmo, PayPal, and Zelle. All of these apps pull funds directly from your linked bank account.

Cash

Most establishments accept cash. Cash is the only method of payment at some. These businesses usually have an ATM onsite, in case you don't have cash on hand. Note, however, that ATMs located outside of banks charge a fee ranging from \$2 to \$5.





Tipping

Tipping is commonplace in America, and the tip is almost never included on the bill. It's up to you to decide when, who, and how to tip. Here are some recommendations to help.

Who to Tip

Most service providers expect to receive a tip, regardless of the quality of service. For example:

- Hairdressers
- Nail technicians
- Spa service providers
- Restaurant servers
- Car valet attendants
- Taxi drivers
- Bartenders
- Hotel bellhops

At a salon, it's common to tip each of your service providers (colorist, hairdresser, and hairwasher).

How Much to Tip

The standard tip amount is 15-20% of the pre-tax total.

Staff at birthday party venues also expect tips. The venue will provide guidance. For a two-hour party, the typical tip is \$50 per attendant.

Remember, most service providers do not include the tip on the bill. However, some provide a tipping guide on the bill (e.g., 15%, 18%, and 20% of the total).

Regardless of the standard amount or tipping guides, you should tip what you feel comfortable with.

How to Tip

Most businesses prefer cash tips. However, many allow you to tip on a credit card payment.

Getting Around

Transit

According to the Chicago Transit Authority, over half of Chicagoans use public transportation each weekday. Whether you take the train or bus or drive a car, here are some tips to transit in the city.

Public Transportation

The Chicago Transit Authority (CTA) runs bus and train service across the city.

The train is called the “El” or “L” because it’s elevated above ground level in some areas. The Brown and Red lines run through Lincoln Park.

Transit maps are available at www.transitchicago.com and bus and train stops.

Ticket Types

- Single-ride tickets (disposable)
- Unlimited ride passes for 1, 3, 7, or 30 days (Ventra Card)
- Pay-as-you-go (Ventra Card)

Ventra Card

A Ventra Card is what you use to board CTA buses and trains.

You can purchase a card for \$5. They’re available for purchase at www.ventrachicago.com or any Ventra vending machine, located at CTA train stops.

You can load your Ventra Card with unlimited ride passes or transit value as you use it. Manage your card online or using the Ventra mobile app.

Fares

Train: \$2.50

Bus: \$2.25

Transfer (up to 2 additional rides within 2 hrs): \$0.25

CTA offers a reduced fare of \$0.75 (\$0.15 transfers) for students.

Transit Tracker

You can track the estimated arrival times of CTA trains and buses using:

- Ventra app
- Third-party CTA transit tracker apps
- CTA website
- Displays located at many CTA stops

Taxis

You can hail a taxi anywhere in Chicago, but most are found close to downtown. Licensed cabs charge a fixed standard rate of \$3.25 plus \$1.80 for every travelled mile.

Ride-Sharing

Ride-sharing services are easier than taxis to hail in Chicago neighborhoods. The most popular providers are Uber and Lyft. On average, it takes a car two to seven minutes to arrive after you’ve ordered it.



Getting Around

Parking

Free Street Parking

Parking is free on most residential streets, but look for signs that indicate otherwise.

Permit Street Parking

Many residential streets are zoned for permit parking only. These streets have signs that clearly indicate whether it is part of a residential parking zone.

Residential parking zones have restrictions. Some only limit parking overnight, while others restrict parking all day.

Your car must display a permit to park in a residential zone during a restricted period. To purchase a permit, you must reside at an address within the designated residential parking zone, which is demonstrated by proof of address.

You can purchase a permit from www.citycityclerk.com or in person at a City Clerk location. The fee for passenger cars is \$90 to \$145 per year, plus \$25 for the residential parking zone.

Paid Street Parking

Main streets throughout the city offer paid parking. You can pay using cash or a credit card on the payment machines located on the sidewalk. You can also pay using the Park Chicago mobile app.

Parking on Street-Sweeping Days

Chicago operates street-sweeping days from April 1 through mid-November. On street-sweeping days, mechanical street sweepers are used to clean the streets of debris.

Street sweeping occurs two days per month on every Chicago street. The schedule varies by ward (the legislative district where you live). Schedules are available at www.chicago.gov.

The City posts bright orange signs to remind residents of street sweeping at least 24 hours before sweeping service is scheduled to begin.

If your vehicle is parked on the street on a street-sweeping day, you must move it or it will be towed.

Valet Parking

Many businesses offer free or paid valet parking. Providers expect a 20% tip.

SpotHero

Use this parking app to reserve a parking spot in a garage or lot, often at a discount to the drive-up rate. For more information, visit www.spothero.com.



Service Providers

Babysitters

Babysitters cost \$15 to \$20 per hour, depending on the number of children, their ages, and the tasks set.

To find one, ask a parent at BISC-LP, join a Facebook group (such as Lincoln Park Moms), or use a babysitting agency. One agency is Andy's Hub (www.andys-hub.business.site), operated by former BISC-LP teacher Andy Smith.

House Cleaning

House cleaning costs \$100-200 per cleaning for a single-family home (roughly five hours).

You can find a house cleaner through friends or an online business directory, like Angie's List or Thumbtack.

Lawn Service

Costs for lawn, garden, and snow removal services vary by the tasks set and the size of area. The fee can range from \$50 to \$200 per hour.

There are many companies that provide lawn and garden services. Parents at BISC-LP would be pleased to give you a recommendation.

Note that some lawn care companies also offer snow removal. Chicago residents are required to remove snow from their sidewalks. You can do this yourself or hire someone.

Parent Resources

Neighborhood Parents Network (NPN)

NPN connects a diverse community of families with the resources to navigate parenting in the city. There is a \$55 membership fee.

www.npnparents.org

Bump Club and Beyond

An online resource to connect parents and parents-to-be with products, information, networking opportunities, and support. Membership is free.

www.bumpclubandbeyond.com





10 *best things* TO DO

IN CHICAGO WITH KIDS

1. Chicago Botanic Garden
2. Kohl Children's Museum
3. Illinois Holocaust Museum
4. Wrigley Field Plaza
5. Peggy Notebaert Nature Museum
6. The 606 Trail
7. Centennial Wheel at Navy Pier
8. Chicago Shakespeare Theater
9. Chicago Children's Museum
10. Chicago Riverwalk

Source: Curbed Chicago

Birthday Parties

Planning

Gift Shopping

Families usually spend \$20 to \$40 on a birthday present, depending on how well you know the child.

Target

Retail chain with clothing, electronics, books, and toys.

1200 N. Larrabee St.
www.target.com

Barnes and Noble

Book store with toys.

1441 W. Webster Ave.
www.barnesandnoble.com

Building Blocks Toy Store

Toys, books, and products for kids.

2071 N. Clybourn Ave.
www.buildingblockstoys.com

Invitations

Invitations are usually delivered online using Evite (www.evite.com) or Paperless Post (www.paperlesspost.com). You can find family email addresses in the BISC-LP family directory.

Supplies

Crafts / Decorating

JOANN Fabrics and Crafts

2639 N. Elston Ave.
www.joann.com

Michaels

2490 N. Elston Ave.
www.michaels.com

Party City

1755 W. Fullerton Ave.
www.partycity.com

Target

1200 N. Larrabee St.
www.target.com

Oriental Trading

Online Only
www.orientaltrading.com

Food

Costco

2746 N. Clybourn Ave.
www.costco.com

Jewel/Osco

2550 N. Clybourn Ave.
www.jewelosco.com

Mariano's

2112 N. Ashland Ave.
www.marianos.com

Decor

HomeGoods

2731 N. Elston Ave.
www.homegoods.com

Party Favors

Five Below

1730 W. Fullerton Ave.
www.fivebelow.com

Cakes

Sprinkles

50 E. Walton St.
www.sprinkles.com

Sweet Mandy B's

1208 W. Webster Ave.
www.sweetmandybs.com

Jewel-Osco

2550 N. Clybourn Ave.
www.jewelosco.com

Mariano's

2112 N. Ashland Ave.
www.marianos.com

Bittersweet Pastry Shop

1114 W. Belmont Ave.
www.bittersweetpastry.com

Whole Foods Market

1550 N. Kingsbury St.
www.wholefoods.com

Stan's Donuts

2800 N. Clark St.
www.stansdonuts.com

Birthday Parties

Venues

Start planning a birthday party at least one month in advance. Venues can fill up fast.

Animals

Lincoln Park Zoo
Peggy Notebaert Nature Museum

Art

Bottle and Bottega (Painting)
Easel Art Studio
Glazed Expressions (Pottery)
Lill Street (Pottery)
Mystery Street Recording Studio
Sew Crafty Studio (Sewing)

Athletics

Altitude Trampoline Park
Funtopia (Obstacles)
IK Gymnastics
Lakeshore Sports & Fitness (Swimming)
Lakeshore Academy (Gymnastics)
Menomonee Club-Drucker Center
Skatium Ice Arena
Ultimate Ninjas (Obstacles)
Windy City Fieldhouse (Sports)
Windy City Ninjas (Obstacles)

Cooking

Give Me Some Sugar
The Kids Table
Whole Foods Market

Entertainment

Arclight Cinemas (Movies)
Chuck E. Cheese (Games)
Dave & Buster's (Gaming)
Escape Room
Kings Dining & Entertainment (Bowling)
Lucky Strike Bowling/FTW Arcade
Six Flags Great America (Theme Park)
Whirlyball

Play Spaces

Bubbles Academy
Little Gym



Shopping

Grocery Stores

These are just some of the many grocery stores in Chicago. Each has several locations, but the address listed is for the one closest to school.

Whole Foods Market

Supermarket featuring local, organic, and natural foods as well as eateries for takeaway and dining in.

12 Chicago Locations

1550 N. Kingsbury St.

www.wholefoods.com

Mariano's

Supermarket featuring a large selection of popular brands.

17 Chicago Locations

2112 N. Ashland Ave.

www.marianos.com

Jewel-Osco

Versatile supermarket that is generally less expensive than Whole Foods and Mariano's.

20 Chicago Locations

2550 N. Clybourn Ave.

www.jewelosco.com

Trader Joe's

Small neighborhood grocery store featuring an extensive frozen section and global fare.

6 Chicago Locations

1840 N. Clybourn Ave.

www.traderjoes.com

Costco

Large wholesale store offering items in bulk, including fresh and frozen food, clothing, and toiletries. There is also an onsite food court and gas station.

You must purchase a membership to shop here, but you will save money by buying in bulk.

3 Chicago Locations

2746 N. Clybourn Ave.

www.costco.com

Binny's Beverage Depot

The Midwest's largest wine, spirits, and beer superstore.

7 Chicago Locations

1720 N. Marcey St.

www.binnys.com

Instacart

Online grocery service company that works with local stores to deliver groceries to your door.

www.instacart.com



Shopping

Household Items

Small Electronics

If you bring small electronics with you, some may work with an adapter on American voltage at lower speeds. You can purchase adapters that are specific to certain electronics (e.g., lamp, coffee maker), but these can be expensive.

Target

1200 N. Larrabee St.
www.target.com

Amazon.com

Best Buy

1000 W. North Ave.
www.bestbuy.com

Home Improvement

Home improvement stores sell large appliances, tools, hardware, paint, lawn and garden tools, light bulbs, HVAC filters, and more. These stores have locations across Chicago, but the one listed is closest to school.

Menards

2601 N. Clybourn Ave.
www.menards.com

Home Depot

1232 W. North Ave.
www.homedepot.com

Lowe's

1360 N. Ashland Ave.
www.lowes.com

Sporting Goods

REI

Outdoor clothing and footwear, including winter weather gear.
905 W. Eastman St.
www.rei.com

DICK'S Sporting Goods

Equipment, apparel, and footwear.
1538 N. Clybourn Ave.
www.dickssportinggoods.com

Patagonia

Designer clothing and gear.
1800 N. Clybourn Ave.
www.patagonia.com

Moosejaw

Apparel, footwear, and accessories.
1901 N. Clybourn Ave.
www.moosejaw.com

Play it Again Sports

New and used sports equipment.
3939 N. Ashland Ave.
www.sportinggoodsstorechicagoil.com

Furniture & Housewares

There are many options, but the following stores are located close to school. The parentheses describe the style of furniture.

Pottery Barn (Traditional)

1000 W. North Ave.
www.potterybarn.com

Pottery Barn Kids (Traditional)

2111 N. Clybourn Ave.
www.potterybarnkids.com

Crate and Barrel (Scandinavian)

850 W. North Ave.
www.crateandbarrel.com

CB2 (Modern)

800 W. North Ave.
www.cb2.com

Mitchell Gold + Bob Williams (Versatile)

1555 N. Halsted St.
www.mgbwhome.com

Design Within Reach (Modern)

755 W. North Ave.
www.dwr.com

West Elm (Mid-Century)

1000 W. North Ave.
www.westelm.com

World Market (Eclectic)

1623 N. Sheffield Ave.
www.worldmarket.com

Target (Basics)

1200 N. Larrabee St.
www.target.com

Shopping

School Items

You can buy the following school items from any store of your choosing. Clearly label all items with your child's full name.

Uniform

Items without the school logo (navy pants, skirts, socks, and tights) can be purchased from any store.

Lands' End

100 Oakbrook Center, Oakbrook, IL
www.landsend.com

Gap

1740 N. Sheffield Ave.
www.gap.com

Old Navy

1596 N. Kingsbury St.
www.oldnavy.gap.com

Target

1200 N. Larrabee St.
www.target.com

Zappos.com

Marks & Spencer and Next

These stores have a good selection of uniforms, and delivery is free to the U.S. if you spend over \$50.

BISC-LP Second-Hand Sale

The school runs a second-hand uniform sale twice a year, normally in September and January. Details are shared in the school newsletter.

Personal

- Backpack
- Water bottle
- Lunch box
- Snow pants
- Snow boots
- Gloves
- Sun hat
- Sunscreen

Target

1200 N. Larrabee St.
www.target.com

Amazon.com

See Sporting Goods Section

Locker

Your child will be assigned a metal locker in their classroom, which they can decorate. Shelves, pen holders, mirrors, and photos are common choices.

Pottery Barn Teen

100 Oakbrook Center, Oakbrook, IL
www.pbteen.com

Target

1200 N. Larrabee St.
www.target.com

Amazon.com





Giving Back

Donating Items

Chicago does not have an area where you can leave unwanted items, such as a rubbish tip/dump in the UK. Instead, you can drop off items at a charity or arrange for the charity to pick them up from your home. Acceptable items include used furniture, clothing, and housewares.

City of Chicago

The City will pick up oversized items, including furniture, major appliances, and mattresses, for free in the alley. Refrigerator and freezer

doors must be removed. The City will not collect TVs or computer equipment. To arrange a pick up, call 311.

The Salvation Army Family Store & Donation Center

2270 N. Clybourn Ave.

www.satruck.org

The Brown Elephant Lakeview

3020 N. Lincoln Ave.

www.howardbrown.org/get-involved/brown-elephant

Cradles to Crayons

www.cradlestocrayons.org/chicago

Drop off only. There are four drop-off locations near school:

Essentia

2118 N. Halsted St.

Kidville Lincoln Park

1030 W. North Ave., 3rd Floor

enerGEEwhizz

1418 N. Kingsbury St.

Chicago Center for Music Education

1148 W. Chicago Ave.





10 PLACES TO *volunteer* IN CHICAGO WITH KIDS

1. Anti-Cruelty Society
2. Little Brothers Friends of the Elderly
3. Greater Chicago Food Depository
4. Ronald McDonald House
5. Common Pantry
6. Chicago Park District
7. Treehouse Humane Society
8. Cradles to Crayons
9. The Honeycomb Project
10. Misericordia



There's *no limit* to
what your child can
achieve!

Be Ambitious!
Character | Values | Discovery

Contact Us

British International School of
Chicago, Lincoln Park
814 W. Eastman St.
Chicago, IL 60642

Telephone

(773) 506-2097

Email

admissions@bischicagolp.org

School Website

www.bischicagolp.org