Dear OSS Families

Hello!

We at OSS understand that unintended situations can arise around the time when you need to pick up your child from school at the 2:45pm dismissal. We will have a faculty member available at our child’s pickup location until 2:55. After that, your child will be escorted to the hand and hoe building with a faculty member for emergency child care. On Fridays, the emergency child care will be up at the Threefold auditorium.

Emergency Childcare costs are as follows: $25 for pickup between 3 and 3:30 and an additional $25 per each subsequent half hour time (3:31 - 4:00, 4:01 - 4:30, etc.) during which your child is in our care.

We want to be helpful and realize that some of you come from far away. Please always communicate with your child’s teacher if your pick-up plans change.

If the realities of life get in the way of you being able to pick up your child on time, we urge you to:

- Reach out to your emergency contacts and make sure that they can pick up your child at dismissal if you are going to be late.
- If you find that a delayed pick up happens on a regular basis, please arrange for someone else to pick up your child.
- If you think your child is responsible enough to walk home or to a friend’s house, you may sign a permission slip for our child to walk from school. Please understand that this is in no way an attempt to be punitive. There are costs involved in having teachers work after hours and we cannot bear the burden of caring for children after school hours without covering those costs.

Feel free to contact me with any questions!

Sincerely,

Jeanette