What Is The Children’s Center?
The Children’s Center is part of the statewide court system that provides drop-in daycare for children ages 6 weeks to 12 years of age whose caregivers have business with Family Court. This free service is open every day the courts are in session.

What Does The Children’s Center Offer?
The Children’s Center offers a safe, supportive, literacy-rich environment for children whose caregivers have business with the courts. The center is staffed by trained childcare professionals who provide:

• Age-appropriate activities
• Nutritious snacks
• Information and referrals to community services
• Take-home activities for caregiver and child
• The gift of an age-appropriate book for every child

How Do Families Access Services?
Families may utilize The Children’s Center for any court business on the Otsego County Court Campus, such as:

• Support Court
• Surrogate Court
• Family Treatment Court
• Petition Intake
• Probation Appointments

The Center is located in the Family Court building at 197 Main Street in Cooperstown.

For more information:
607.547.6426 or 800.986.5463
Monday – Friday 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM

The Goals of a Children's Center are to:

• Provide a safe environment for children while their caregivers attend to court business
• Connect families to resources and services
• Foster literacy through the gift of a book

The Children’s Center is very convenient and a safe place for my children to play. The staff is always helpful and caring.

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