

# Preschool Information Night 2025-26

# ANOKA-HENNEPIN SCHOOLS **PRESCHOOL**



# Welcome to Anoka-Hennepin Schools Preschool!

We are excited to welcome you as you explore options for preschool!

# Why choose Anoka-Hennepin Schools Preschool?

- 1. We offer sliding fee scales and scholarships to make preschool accessible to all children.
- 2. Cultural Liaisons are a part of our Early Learning teams to enhance cross-cultural interactions.
- 3. Special Education staff are a part of our Early Learning teams.
- 4. All preschool teachers hold a teaching license from the State of Minnesota.
- 5. Our classrooms use the Creative Curriculum for Preschool and provide students with a wide variety of learning experiences.
- 6. Teachers monitor all areas of children's development and learning.
- 7. Transportation is offered for some four-year-old classes.
- 8. We provide family engagement opportunities.
- 9. We align with A-H Schools Kindergarten and collaborate with Kindergarten teachers.
- 10. Our play-based classrooms help children practice problem-solving skills, develop skills in all areas and build friendships.

## **Resources**

Children in community preschool spots need to be toilet trained to attend preschool classes.

Scan to go to Articles and resources for families:

Preschool Toilet Learning Handout & Potty training tips



## Communication

You will be notified of your child's classroom visit/classroom orientation date and time, special Early Childhood events, weather related school closures and program reminders.

> Eleyo: SMS text messages Smore: email messages Reach my Teach District Communications



# Three-year-old preschool

- Three-year-old preschool classes are open to all families with a child three years of age on or before September 1, 2025
- Birthdate: 9/2/21-9/1/22
- Parents provide transportation
- Two or three days per week
- Classes are 2.75 hours per day with morning and afternoon times



# Four-year-old preschool

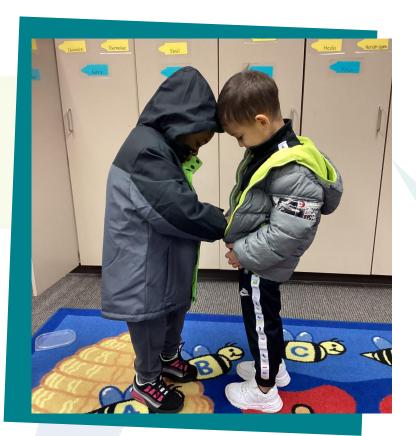
- Four-year-old preschool classes are open to all families with a child four years of age on or before September 1, 2025.
- Birthdate: 9/2/20-9/1/21
- Parents provide transportation in most cases.
- Limited bus transportation available for full scholarship students in four and five day a week classes.
- Two, three, four or five days per week
- Classes are 2.75 hours per day with morning and afternoon times
- Pilot program: two classes, four hours per day, four days per week



# **Full Tuition**

Three and four-year-old preschool

 Full tuition based preschool classes are for families receiving no tuition assistance due to not qualifying by income and family size.



# Scholarship/Tuition Assistance

#### Three and four-year-old preschool

- Reserved tuition assistance and full scholarship spots in each class.
- Eleyo registration AND scholarship application form with required proof of income verification documents must be completed within 10 days.
- Funds received from Minnesota Department of Education and based on state statutes and guidelines.
- Three-year-old scholarship and sliding fee eligibility is based on income qualification.
- Four-year-old scholarships are based on income qualification and other eligibility criteria.



Scan to schedule your child's screening



# **Early Childhood Screening**

Early Childhood Screening is a free and simple check of how your child is growing, developing and learning.

Screening is **required** for all children attending Anoka-Hennepin Schools Preschool.

A trained professional will check vision and hearing, height and weight, large and small muscles, thinking, language and communication skills, immunizations, social and emotional development.

Screening at three years old gives time to provide support if there are concerns and connect you to early education programs and resources.

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PRESCHOOL TEACHER SORTEBERG EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER

# **Creative Curriculum**















# Laura Buysse

PRESCHOOL TEACHER ANOKA HIGH SCHOOL









# We're Here to Help

## **Questions**

**Pres**chool Classroom Video

**Class**room Tours - Follow Staff



**Regist**ration Help - Computer Labs

## A peek inside a Preschool classroom

*Ms. B.'s Classroom at Sorteberg Early Childhood Center* 







# **Registration is easy!**



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