



Westampton Township Public Schools

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PRESCHOOL INFORMATION AND APPLICATION 2020-2021

The Westampton Township Board of Education will be offering one half-day preschool inclusion class for the 2020-2021 school year. The goal of this inclusion program is to bring together children with special needs with their typically developing peers in a collaborative classroom environment where students experience a variety of early reading and math concepts, language development, fine and gross motor skills, and social skills.

Westampton School District is currently taking applications for the **2020-2021** school year, there is a non-refundable **tuition fee of \$2,250.00**. For your convenience, a tuition payment schedule has been developed. A check, or money order payable to the Westampton Board of Education for **\$500.00** is due on the following dates:

July 1, 2020

August 1, 2020

September 1, 2020

October 1, 2020

November 1, 2020 (final payment of \$250.00).

Tuition is non-refundable.

No transportation is provided, except in the case of preschoolers with special needs. Children must be three years of age by October 1, 2019; fully toilet trained, and have all necessary vaccinations to be considered eligible to attend the program. Parents of general education preschoolers may apply for a position in the preschool program using the attached application. If all general education spaces are not filled prior to the beginning of the school year, children will be accepted into the program on a first-come first-served basis until the classes are full, at which time the children will be placed on a waiting list.

If your child is going to attend the preschool, you will need to formally register your child at the school. You must provide a completed registration form and physical form which will be provided to you, an original birth certificate, and an immunization record from your child's doctor, and payment with a check, or money order payable to the Westampton Board of Education.

Program Overview

The Westampton Township Public School District is offering the community of Westampton a half-day (**2.5 hours**) collaborative preschool program serving all 3-5 year old children.

To be eligible for the Preschool Program children must be three years old by October 1, 2020. This is a developmentally oriented program based on noted preschool curricula, as well as New Jersey Core standards for preschool. The class will consist of typically developing children and children with developmental challenges learning together in the same environment.

The program will incorporate activities within the classroom based on the children's individual learning styles. Our goal is to provide an enriched preschool environment that meets the social, emotional, physical and cognitive needs of all students.

Program Design

The Preschool Program structure is similar to a typical preschool experience, as the teaching of developmentally appropriate skill areas is embedded throughout the school day. Skills will be developed in the following areas:

- *Perceptual Motor* – Blocks and puzzles
- *Social and Language Development* – Dramatic Play (i.e. –kitchen and dress up)
- *Language and Emergent Literacy* – Writing/Alphabet Center/Library/Listening/Story Center
- *Sensory Experiences* – Sand/Water Table
- *Creative Representation* – Art Center
- *Mathematic Skills* – Manipulative Center

Program Advantages

The classroom will be staffed with highly-qualified teachers and instructional assistants.

The integrated preschool design offers children the opportunity to learn and play with age appropriate peers with and without developmental challenges. While teachers focus on individual student goals, the classroom environment will assist in developing a culture of respect and an acceptance of others' differences.

Enrollment Guidelines

Typically developing students will be accepted into the program and will be charged tuition. Children ages 3-5 will be accepted on a first-come first-served basis until the classes are full, at which time the children will be placed on a waiting list. Tuition for the 2019-2020 school year will be \$2,250.00, payable in five installments. Children must be residents of Westampton, three years old by October 1, 2020, toilet trained, have a current physical and all required immunizations.



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APPLICATION FOR PRESCHOOL INCLUSION CLASS

To apply for this program, complete this application form and return it no later than June 15, 2020 to the main office at Holly Hills School, located at 500 Ogden Road, Westampton, NJ 08060

Student's Name: _____

Birthdate: _____ Gender: M or F

Mailing address: _____

Phone: _____

For the 2020-2021 school year, there is a non-refundable, tuition fee of \$2,250.00.

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Preschool hours of operation are as follows:

A.M.: 9:15 A.M. -11:45 A.M.	Early Dismissal Day A.M.: 9:15 A.M. – 10:45 A.M.
P.M.: 12:45 P.M. – 3:15 P.M.	Early Dismissal Day P.M.: 11:15 A.M. – 12:45 P.M.

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

**** Please return to the Main Office at the Holly Hills School or
email to: jjitter@westampton schools.org - No Later Than Monday, June 15, 2020****