

NORTHAMPTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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**PRECHOOL
APPLICATION**

**2020-2021
SCHOOL YEAR**

Deadline: January 23, 2020

Office use Only	
School/Age:	
Date Received:	
Full Day Only:	
Accepted/Waitlisted:	
Confirmed:	
Registered:	

Preschool Program Lottery Options		
A. <u>4-Day Half Day</u> <u>(3 and 4 yr olds)</u> AMs: 8:50 am - 11:20 am PMs: 12:20 pm - 2:50 pm	B. <u>4-Day Full Day</u> <u>(4 yr olds only)</u> Monday-Thursday 8:50 am - 2:50 pm	C. <u>5-Day Full Day</u> <u>(3 and 4 yr olds)</u> Monday-Friday, 8:50 am - 2:50 pm <i>(optional)</i> before care 8:00-8:50 am <i>(optional)</i> after care 2:50-5:00 pm

1st Choice (*circle*) **A B C** **2nd Choice** (*circle*) **A B C** **3rd Choice** (*circle*) **A B C**

Child's Information:

Child's full name: _____
Date of Birth: _____ Gender: Male Female
Street Address: _____
Mailing (if different) _____

Parent(s) Information:

Parent/Guardian #1: _____
Phone: _____ Email: _____
Parent/Guardian #2: _____
Phone: _____ Email: _____
Address if different from student: _____

Information about your family:

How many people live in your household? _____
How many children do you have? _____ What grade(s) and school(s) do they attend? _____

Is your preschool child currently attending a childcare or preschool program?

YES NO Program Name: _____
 YES NO Did a physician or social worker recommend that you apply for preschool?
 YES NO Do you speak a language other than English in your home?
 YES NO Do you have any concerns about your child's development?

*(*All preschool students participate in social/emotional/developmental screenings.)*

What else would you like us to know about your child? _____

Tuition & Income Information:

Please call us if you need help with the forms and documents - we are happy to help!

Tuition fees are paid for typically developing children. Children with special needs are free.

- Fees are based on family size and income (see monthly income chart for 2019-2020 fees below)
- Fees are being revised for Fall 2020. The current 2019-2020 fees for the 4-day preschool range weekly from \$0-\$60 for a half-day and full day from \$0-\$120. Fees for both the 4 and 5-day programs will be set in Spring 2020 by the School Committee.
 - ❖ **REDUCED FEE:** If your family's monthly gross income falls into a category that is less than the full fee amount, please check the boxes below and submit pay stubs if necessary
 - ❖ **DOCUMENTATION:** a) if you qualify for public assistance, check the box(es); b) if not, paystubs for each working parent/guardian must be attached to this form or submitted via email
 - ❖ **PROCESS:** Once we receive your documents, we will determine your fee which will be shown in the acceptance letter that will be mailed to you.
- A Deposit in the amount of one month's tuition is due at the time of Registration and will be applied to your first bill. The deposit is non-refundable if the child does not attend our program.

I agree to pay **full tuition** (4-day program = \$60/week half day & \$120/week full day; 5-day fees TBD)

I would like to be considered for free or reduced tuition (**CHECK ONLY ONE**):

a. ___ Direct Certification: My family already income-qualifies for a public assistance program:

- Food Stamps/SNAP/WIC Fuel Assistance Free/Reduced School Lunch
 Subsidized Housing Transitional Aid to Needy Families (TANF/TAFDC)

OR

b. ___ Reduced Fee: I attach 4 weeks of paystubs for each working parent in the home.

2019-2020 Sliding Fee Scale for Preschool Tuition based on Family Size and Income						
<i>Tuition rates are under review and are subject to change</i>						
GROSS MONTHLY INCOME					Weekly Fee	Weekly Fee
Family of 2	Family of 3	Family of 4	Family of 5	Family of 6	HALF-DAY	FULL-DAY
\$0-1540	\$0-1675	\$0-1900	\$0-2150	\$0-2500	\$0	\$0
\$1541-1725	\$1676-1850	\$1901-2175	\$2151-2435	\$2501-2800	\$7	\$14
\$1726-1986	\$1851-2414	\$2176-2874	\$2436-3333	\$2801-3793	\$8	\$16
\$1987-2286	\$2415-2676	\$2875-3340	\$334-3800	\$3794-4000	\$12	\$24
\$2287-2573	\$2677-3076	\$3341-3760	\$3801-4363	\$4001-4500	\$15	\$30
\$2574-2860	\$3077-3477	\$3761-4180	\$4364-4851	\$4501-5444	\$18	\$36
\$2861-3132	\$3478-3869	\$4181-4606	\$4852-5342	\$5445-6079	\$21	\$42
\$3133-3410	\$3870-4210	\$4607-5012	\$5343-5812	\$6080-6615	\$25	\$50
\$3411-3685	\$4211-4551	\$5013-5418	\$5813-6285	\$6616-7153	\$28	\$56
\$3686-4200	\$4552-5252	\$5419-6253	\$6286-7253	\$7154-8254	\$35	\$70
\$4201-4820	\$5253-5952	\$6253-7086	\$7253-8221	\$8255-9354	\$42	\$84
\$4821 & up	\$5953 & up	\$7087 & up	\$8221 & up	\$9355 & up	\$60	\$120

Signature of Parent/
Guardian: _____

Today's Date: _____

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Questions? We can be reached at (413) 587-1471 or efrank@northampton-k12.us.