

Madison City Schools Preschool Programs 2023-2024

Program	First Class Pre-K	Early Beginnings Preschool	HIPPY (Home Instruction for Parents of Preschool Youngsters)
Description	Classroom program for 4 year old students	Classroom program for preschool students with & without disabilities	Home based parent involvement program for preschool students with & without disabilities
Eligibility	4 years old by September 2 Resident of Madison City	3 years old if child qualifies for a disability & qualifies for special education services; 4 years old by September 2; Resident of Madison City	2, 3 & 4 year olds by September 1; Resident of Madison City
Location	MCS Pre-K Center, 74 Nance Road and Rainbow Elementary School, 50 Nance Road	Mill Creek Elementary School and Rainbow Elementary School	Various Madison City Schools
Time	7:40 am - 2:20 pm	7:40 am – 2:20 pm	Sessions scheduled with family
Tuition	Sliding scale based on income	Free	Free
Transportation & Extended Day	Transportation not available Extended Day available (am & pm)	Only students with disabilities may receive transportation as determined per IEP team. Extended Day if available (am & pm) for 4 year olds.	<i>Not applicable</i>
Application Procedure	Complete Pre-Registration Form online January 15, 2023 – March 17, 2023	Complete Pre-Registration Form Online or at Central Office January 15, 2023–March 17, 2023	Complete application online
Applications Accepted	January 15 – March 17, 2023 Pre-Registrations received after the deadline will be added to the waiting list	January 15, 2023 – March 17, 2023 Applications received after the deadline will be added to the waiting list	January 15, 2023 – May 31, 2023 Applications received after the deadline will be added to the waiting list
Selection Process	March 24, 2023, random selection & needs-based placement 9:00 AM Madison City Schools Board Meeting Livestream (Click “Board Meeting Livestream” link at bottom of menu) Parents will be notified by April 18, 2023 (email/letter)	Random selection March 31st for peer models; Students with disabilities must qualify for special education & will be placed per IEP; Parents will be notified by April 18, 2023. (email/letter)	Students are tested to determine academic needs; Students are selected based on academic need; Parents will be notified in July
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- Pre-Registrations for the 2023-2024 school year will be available beginning January 15, 2023.
- Pre-Registrations for the First Class Pre-K program and the Early Beginnings program must be received no later than March 17, 2023 in order to be considered in the initial selection; pre-registrations received after this date will be added to a waiting list.
- Pre-Registrations must be accompanied with proof of residency (deed or rental contract) and copy of utility bill to be considered complete. Must be a resident of Madison City.
- Submit pre-registration on-line from January 15-March 17, 2023 using the appropriate link included in the above listings.