



Preschool Proud  
Cherry Creek School District

## Cherry Creek School District Preschool Roundup

The month of February is Preschool Roundup in the Cherry Creek School District. Parents of new preschool students will discover how easy it is to register their child for high quality, affordable preschool.

The program features an extremely low staff-to-student ratio and a comprehensive, scientifically based, early childhood curriculum. The program helps youngsters develop the academic and social skills they need for kindergarten and beyond.

"We are an exceptional preschool program," said Stacey Peoples, director of Early Childhood Education for Cherry Creek Schools. "And now we have an exceptional, one-stop registration process that is much more parent-friendly and kid-friendly."

Registration is the first step in what we hope will be a long and positive relationship with Cherry Creek. The Cherry Creek School District has over 80 different classrooms at 24 different locations. We have three different preschool programs (Colorado Preschool Program, Special Education, and Tuition).

You will start the registration process by answering the following three questions:

1. Will your child be 3 years old by August 18, 2020?

- YES - please continue to the next question
- NO - then visit our web page 2 weeks prior to your child's 3rd birthday to register for preschool. Children under 3 cannot be in our classrooms due to licensing requirements. You can stop here, we cannot register your child at this point in time.

2. Will your child be 5 on or before October 1, 2020?

- NO - please continue to the next question.
- YES - then your child is kindergarten age and qualifies to register for kindergarten. Children who are kindergarten age should not be in our preschool due to licensing requirements. Please visit the Cherry Creek School District web page for more information about kindergarten

registration. You can stop here, we cannot register your child at this point in time.

3. Is your child receiving services from Developmental Pathways, or are they identified with special education needs?

- NO - please continue to the next section.
- YES - please follow through with the Child Find Evaluation. That is the process that will register your child for preschool. You can stop here, we cannot register your child at this point in time.

Please visit our [Early Childhood](#) website for information regarding preschool registration. Preschool registration appointments will be available through a link on February 1<sup>st</sup> for preschool registrations beginning on February 18<sup>th</sup>. At the registration appointment, a Cherry Creek Schools Early Childhood expert will help parents fill out the district enrollment forms and any state forms that may be necessary.

Parents can request their child to attend morning or afternoon classes, four days a week.

Some families may be eligible for free or reduced-price tuition if their child has special needs or risk factors that qualify them.

Cherry Creek Schools offers preschool at 24 locations across the district. During their enrollment appointment, parents can select their priorities for placement. Parents will be notified of their placement and their child's new teacher in May. The new preschool year begins in August.

We look forward to welcoming your family to Preschool.