



ACADEMY DISTRICT 20 PRESCHOOL INFORMATION 2021-2022

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Academy District 20 residents have the opportunity to have their children, ages 3-5, attend preschool in one of our district preschools.

To Apply for D20 Preschool you must be a D20 resident.

Our mission at Academy District 20 Preschool is to partner with families and the community to educate children of all abilities in a safe and nurturing environment by providing developmentally appropriate instruction that creates a foundation for future academic success, social-emotional well-being, and exemplary citizenship.

- Highly qualified, licensed early childhood/special educators
- 1:5 teacher/student ratio
- Integrated classes meeting all children's needs
- Provide opportunities to explore, extend and experiment
- Teacher guided experiences
- Activities representing language, motor, cognitive and social emotional development
- Age appropriate activities which facilitate individual learning styles
- Big books, read aloud, circle time, art, and outdoor play
- Centers including blocks, science centers and dramatic play

Preschool locations include: Antelope Trails Elementary, Briargate Preschool, Discovery Canyon Campus Elementary, Edith Wolford Elementary, Encompass Heights Elem., Explorer Elementary, Frontier Elementary, High Plains Elementary, Legacy Peak Elementary, Ranch Creek Elementary, The da Vinci Academy and Woodmen-Roberts Elementary. ***Three year old children are placed in the morning (AM) classes, and 4 year old children are placed in the afternoon (PM) classes.***

Application Process

- Return the attached application indicating your choice of school and class with the **\$55.00 non-refundable application fee** (payable to Academy School District 20).
- Children will be selected by a lottery when application is received between Jan. 22, 2021 and Feb. 26, 2021. Applications received after this date will be put on a waitlist.
- **Do not** complete the online registration process until you have been notified by letter of your child's preschool placement.

Requirements

- **All typical peers must be independent with toileting skills.**
- Children must be 3 years of age by October 1, 2021 and be 3 years of age before starting preschool.
- Children who have turned 5 years of age by October 1, 2021 will no longer meet the age requirements for preschool but qualify for kindergarten.

Tuition

- Tuition fee is \$260.00 per month, for four half days per week. Each session is 3 hours
- Payments are due on the 1st day of each month. (**No invoices are sent out.**)
- Billing begins in September and runs through May. Additional school fees will be determined by each location and are the responsibility of each family.
- Fees are contingent upon Board of Education approval as part of the district wide fee schedule and could change.

Colorado Preschool Program (CPP)

Academy School District 20 has a grant through the Colorado Preschool Program which allows D20 to provide preschool at no cost for a limited number of children who meet CPP criteria. (Some school fees may apply.) Children must be considered at risk for school success to qualify for CPP. If you believe your child may qualify, please call our preschool office at 719-234-1750 or visit our website at www.asd20.org/schools/preschool.

Please Note

If your child has an Individualized Education Plan or you have concerns about your child's development, please call our preschool office at 719-234-1750.

If your child is selected to attend our preschool, you will need the following information to register:

- * Placement letter from the Preschool Office
- * Registered County Birth Certificate
- * Immunization records
- * Verification of residency



APPLICATION FOR THE 2021-2022 SCHOOL YEAR

Student's Name as it appears on Birth Certificate _____
Age of the student by October 1, 2021: ___ years ___ months [] Male [] Female
Date of Birth _____ Parent/Guardian Name _____
Address _____ Zip Code _____
Neighborhood School _____
Phone: Home _____ Cell #1 _____ Cell #2 _____
Email Address _____
Known Allergies or Dietary Restrictions _____
Independent with toileting (no reminder or accidents)? Yes _____ No _____

This application form must be completed and mailed or delivered to:
Academy D20 Preschool Office at EAC
1110 Chapel Hills Drive, Colorado Springs, CO 80920

A NON-REFUNDABLE application fee of \$55.00 (check/money order made out to Academy School District 20 or exact cash) must accompany this application. Placement is not guaranteed. Preschool days are 4 half-day sessions 3 hours a day. The monthly tuition is \$260.00, due by the 1st of each month. Fees are contingent upon Board of Education approval as part of the district wide fee schedule and could change. Payments begin on September 1.

- 1. Has your child ever been evaluated or placed on an Individual Family Service Plan (IFSP) or Individual Education Plan (IEP)? Yes ___ No ___
2. Has your child ever accessed private services such as Physical, Occupational, or Speech therapy? Yes ___ No ___ If yes, please explain _____
3. Do you or your child's physician have any specific concerns with any of your child's developmental milestones? Yes ___ No ___ If yes, please explain _____
4. Are there any other languages other than English spoken in the home? Yes ___ No ___
5. Has your child ever previously been enrolled in a preschool setting? (private or in-home) Yes ___ No ___ If yes, please explain _____
6. My child's strengths are: _____
7. My child's needs are: _____
8. My child is bothered by: _____
9. My child enjoys: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

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We have a limited number of tuition paying preschool seats. Please select up to 2 location preferences, AM or PM, according to your child's age as of October 1, 2021 (see above). Mark your first choice with a 1 and second choice with a 2.

Antelope Trails Elementary

15280 Jessie Drive
4 half days: AM 8:45-11:45 _____
4 half days: PM 12:45-3:45 _____

Briargate Preschool

1110 Chapel Hills Drive
4 half days: AM 8:15-11:15 _____
4 half days: PM 12:15-3:15 _____

Discovery Canyon Campus

1810 Northgate Blvd.
4 half days: AM 8:15-11:15 _____
4 half days: PM 12:15-3:15 _____

Edith Wolford Elementary

13710 Black Forest Road
4 half days: AM 8:45-11:45 _____
4 half days: PM 12:45-3:45 _____

Encompass Heights Elementary

3602 Daydreamer Dr.
4 half days: AM 8:30-11:30 _____
4 half days: PM 12:20-3:20 _____

Explorer Elementary

4190 Bardot Drive
4 half days: AM 8:15-11:15 _____
4 half days: PM 12:15-3:15 _____

Frontier Elementary

3755 Meadow Ridge Drive
4 half days: AM 8:15-11:15 _____
4 half days: PM 12:15-3:15 _____

High Plains Elementary

2248 Vintage Drive
4 half days: AM 8:00-11:00 _____
4 half days: PM 12:00-3:00 _____

Legacy Peak Elementary

8701A. Wolf Valley Drive
4 half days: AM 8:15-11:15 _____
4 half days: PM 12:15-3:15 _____

Ranch Creek Elementary

9155 Tutt Boulevard
4 half days: AM 8:15-11:15 _____
4 half days: PM 12:15-3:15 _____

The da Vinci Academy

1335 Bridle Oaks Lane
4 half days: AM 8:30-11:30 _____
4 half days: PM 12:30-3:30 _____

Woodmen Roberts Elementary

8365 Orchard Path Road
4 half days: AM 8:15-11:15 _____
4 half days: PM 12:15-3:15 _____

To be completed by Preschool Office Staff: School: _____
Teacher: _____ AM _____ PM _____ Date: _____
Comments: _____

“The mission of Academy School District 20 is to educate every student in a safe and nurturing environment and to provide comprehensive, challenging curricular and extracurricular opportunities that meet the unique needs of every individual by expanding interests, enhancing abilities, and equipping every student with the knowledge, skills, and character essential to being a responsible citizen of our community, our nation, and the world.”