# I LOVE LEARNING PRESCHOOL



### ABOUT OUR PRESCHOOL PROGRAM

The Grayslake Park District offers preschool for Young 3 Year Olds, 3 Year Olds, and 4 Year Olds, as well as a Pre-K Enrichment Class. Our program focuses on cognitive, social, emotional, and physical development to ensure that each child progresses to his/her fullest potential.

Activities include: arts and crafts, language arts, circle time, music, movement, games, outdoor play, and independent play, along with developmental activities. This program will help build your child's love for learning! Our curriculum includes math skills, science, reading readiness, shapes, colors, music, and a full spectrum of games and activities that help children develop social skills. Field trips, guest speakers, specialty programs, and holiday parties add to your child's enrichment.

### **REGISTRATION INFORMATION**

2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR

It's time to start thinking about your child's preschool plans for Fall 2024!

### **Priority Registration**

Families currently enrolled in the preschool program (2023-2024 school year) are eligible for Priority Registration for both returning children and siblings. Priority registration is conducted by lottery. Lottery details are listed in information packets available on Jan. 8, 2024.

Monday, Jan. 8, 2024 Registration Packets sent home

Monday, Jan. 29, 2024 Completed registration packets and fees due by 5pm

Tuesday, Jan. 30, 2024 Lottery conducted and email notifications sent

### **Alumni Registration**

Families with an older child who has attended our preschool in the past but are not currently enrolled are eligible for a special alumni registration period.

Thursday, Feb. 1, 2024 Alumni registration begins at 8:30am

### **Open Registration**

All registration beginning Feb. 2 and later is on a first-come, first-served basis.

Friday, Feb. 2, 2024 Resident registration begins at 8:30am Monday, Feb. 5, 2024 Nonresident registration begins at 8:30am

### **REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS**

- A copy of the child's birth certificate must be presented at registration.
- All children must be able to use the restroom independently by the first day of class, unless enrolled in the Young 3s Program.
- Registration form(s) must be completed and first and last months tuition payments must be submitted

PLEASE NOTE - Online registration is NOT available for Preschool Programs due to required documentation. To register, please visit the Recreation Center at 240 Commerce Drive.



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### 2024-2025 CLASS SCHEDULE

School Dates: Week of Sept. 3, 2024 - May 14, 2025

### **YOUNG 3 YEAR OLD PROGRAM**

Introduce your little one to a learning environment in the Young 3s program! Young 3s is designed for students who turn 3 years old between Sept. 2-Jan. 31. We prefer students be potty trained, however they can wear pullups.

Code:	Days:	Times:	Monthly Fee:	Location:		
520001A	Tues & Thurs	9-11am	\$138 R / \$171 NR	United Protestant Church		
520001B	Mon & Weds	9-11am	\$138 R / \$171 NR	United Protestant Church		
Class Maximum: 10 students						

### **3 YEAR OLD PROGRAM**

Our 3 Year Old Preschool is play-based with an emphasis on social interaction, following directions, and age-appropriate learning activities. The program is designed for students who turn 3 years old by Sept. 1, 2024 and are fully potty trained.

Code:	Days:	Times:	Monthly Fee:	Location:	
520002A	Tues & Thurs	9-11:30am	\$155 R / \$193 NR	Recreation Center	
520002B	Tues & Thurs	12:15-2:45pm	\$155 R / \$193 NR	Recreation Center	
520002C	Mon, Weds & Fri	9-11:30am	\$214 R / \$267 NR	Recreation Center	
520002D	Mon, Weds & Fri	12:15-2:45pm	\$214 R / \$267 NR	Recreation Center	
Class Maximum: 14 students					

### **4 YEAR OLD PROGRAM**

Our play-based 4 Year Old Preschool prepares your child for kindergarten with structured and unstructured learning opportunities! The program is designed for students who turn 4 years old by Sept. 1, 2024 and are fully potty trained.

Code:	Days:	Times:	Monthly Fee:	Location:	
520003A	Mon, Weds & Fri	8:45-11:45am	\$252 R / \$315 NR	Recreation Center	
520003B	Mon, Weds & Fri	8:45-11:45am	\$252 R / \$315 NR	Jones Island Building	
520003C	Mon, Weds & Fri	12:30-3:30pm	\$252 R / \$315 NR	Recreation Center	
520003D	Mon, Weds & Fri	12:30-3:30pm	\$252 R / \$315 NR	Jones Island Building	
Class Maximum: 14 students					

### PRE-K ENRICHMENT ADD-ON PROGRAM

**Students enrolled in 4 Year Old Preschool (M/W/F) are eligible for Pre-K Enrichment.** With classes held on Tuesdays and Thursdays, this program is designed for children ready to attend school five days a week. Pre-K Enrichment exposes young students to phonics, early reading skills, famous artists, the study of art, math and science discovery, animal habitats, handwriting, and much more.

Code:	Days:	Times:	Monthly Fee:	Location:		
520000A	Tues & Thurs	8:45-11:45am	\$175 R / \$218 NR	Recreation Center		
520000B	Tues & Thurs	12:30-3:30pm	\$175 R / \$218 NR	Recreation Center		
Class Maximum: 14 students						

#### **PAYMENT & REFUND POLICY**

Tuition payments are based on the total number of school days divided into nine equal monthly installments. Participants are required to make the first and last months installments at the time of registration. The last month's tuition payment is used as a security deposit. Subsequent payments are due on the first of each month, beginning October 1. Tuition payments not received by the tenth of the month will incur a \$25 late fee. Tuition payments not received by the end of the month will result in the removal of the child from the program and the May tuition payment will be applied to that month.

**No prorated fees will be given for partial month's attendance or withdrawal.** The last month's tuition payment paid at the time of registration is non-refundable if a refund request is made after October 1. If a refund request is made before October 1, a full refund is granted (less a \$100 service charge). All refund requests must be made in writing. Refund forms are available at the Recreation Center.