



## Frequently Asked Questions

### 1. Where is the Early Childhood Preschool Program located?

*The preschool is located in the Hagen Building. Classrooms in Hagen went through a complete transformation to accommodate the Early Childhood preschool program.*

### 2. Are the pick-up and drop-off times flexible?

*We intend to allow for a 15-minute pick-up and drop-off time.*

*For instance, if your child is attending the morning session, you may drop them off starting at 7:45 am and pick them up by 11:15 am. If your child is attending the afternoon session, you may drop them off starting at 12:15 pm and pick them up by 3:45 pm.*

### 3. Is this program for all children?

*Absolutely! Dickinson Public Schools is excited to offer a preschool program for all children ages 3-5.*

### 4. Will you provide transportation?

*At this time, we are unable to provide transportation.*

### 5. Would my child have to be there Monday-Friday, or can days be flexible?

*The program is Monday-Friday. We prefer your child to attend all five days, but we understand if this is not feasible for your family. You can visit with the teacher in the fall, but the rate will remain the same.*

### 6. How much does the program cost?

*The cost is \$350/month, September through May. Your \$100 registration fee covers registration for the program and the week in August.*

**7. Do you accept [Child Care Assistance Program](#)?**

***No. A preschool is not qualified to be a paid program as it is not childcare under the childcare assistance program.***

**8. Is this for DPS employees only?**

***No, anyone can participate in this program.***

**9. My child turns three after August; can they enroll once they turn three?**

***Yes! If there is availability in the program, you can register your child as soon as they turn three.***

**10. Will there be a playground space for the children?**

***Yes! The children will have an outdoor playground and access to the Hagen gymnasium, which will allow for indoor and outdoor play regardless of the weather.***

**11. Will snacks be provided?**

***Students will need to bring their own snacks.***

**12. When will we be able to register formally?**

***Registration for the 2024-2025 school year opens on January 2, 2023.***

**13. When will school begin?**

***Preschool will follow the 2023-2024 Dickinson Public Schools Calendar.***

**14. Will I need to purchase any classroom supplies for my child?**

***Yes, the supply list will be mailed to you prior to school starting and can be found on our web page.***



## Classroom Supply List:

### Early Childhood Program:

- 1 Box Crayola washable markers (Classic, thick, 8 count)
- 2 Crayola washable watercolor paint set (8 ovals)
- 1 box Crayola crayons (8 count)
- 1 bottle Elmer's glue
- 4 Elmer's glue sticks
- 2 two pocket file folders
- 1 child-sized Fiskars Scissors
- 2 boxes of Kleenex
- 1 pencil box
- 2 Expo markers
- 1 container (40 count) Wet Ones
- Water Bottle
- Backpack

