

Young Scholars Preparatory Pre-K

The Young Scholars Preparatory Pre-K is a play-based and hands on program that is located at Perry Worth Elementary. In addition to the academic component of YSPP, one of the main goals is kindergarten readiness. Our young scholars will be learning and practicing school procedures such as eating lunch in the cafeteria, learning how to line up and walk quietly in the hallways and how to learn in a classroom setting with their peers. YSPP's goal is to instill a love for learning into each one of our students so that they will always be lifelong learners.

YSPP will be using a research based curriculum and will be following the Indiana Foundations for Early Learning. In our classroom all students will have the opportunity to explore different centers each day that will focus on the different domains of early learning. Our young scholars will also engage in outdoor play and will be taking several field trips each year to enhance their learning experiences. The Young Scholars Preparatory Pre-K program will be a place for each young scholar to explore, investigate, engage, create and ask questions in a welcoming classroom environment.

"Children learn as they play. Most importantly, in play children learn how to learn."

-O. Fred Donaldson

Requirements:

Four years old by August 1st

Immunizations records (must be up to date)

Registration Fee & Supply fee must be paid at the time of registration

Pre-Kindergarten

A lifetime of learning starts here at
Young Scholars Preparatory Pre-K

2016 – 2017
Perry Worth District
Located in Perry-Worth Elementary School

Young Scholars Preparatory Pre-K provides a focused prekindergarten program where children have many opportunities to discover learning. Students enrolled in pre-k aren't just learning how to recognize letters and numbers; they are also learning critical social skills and the importance of working independently in the classroom. Our qualified instructors are the heart and soul of our pre-k classrooms. Our pre-k program follows the Lebanon Community School Corporation's protocol and guidelines while teaching in a format that allows a variety of hands-on activities during large and small group centers, and one-on-one instruction. We want all children to have an optimal learning experience using well-planned, purposeful, and playful strategies to engage their minds.

How Can I Register?

Parents may obtain a registration packet from Mental Health America of Boone County. Young Scholars Preparatory Pre-K must first serve all students that qualify for the program. Class sizes will be limited to 20 students to one teacher with an educational aide. Any spots left after qualified enrollment will be available on first come first served basis. Non-refundable registration fee and supplies fee will be due at enrollment.

Required Documents:

Official Birth Certificate
Photo Identification of parent / legal guardian that is enrolling the student. (driver's license, passport)
Child's social security number
Current immunization record
Proof of residency (current electric bill, water bill, or lease agreement)

Do I Qualify for Young Scholars Preparatory Pre-K – Perry Worth District?

To qualify for YSPP, children must be 4 on or before August 1st of the upcoming school year and meet the following criteria:

Have limited English proficiency and live within the limits of the Perry-Worth School District. Other criteria may apply as per school handbook and policies.

What if I Do Not Meet the Residency Qualifications for YSPP?

If at first you do not qualify for YSPP, you will have the option to accept a spot on the waiting list to be accessed based on the numbers enrolled by July 4th 2016. We will have a waiting list started during registration and will offer open seats on a first come, first served basis to students that did not qualify at an earlier date. You will be required to pay registration and supplies fees to hold your spot. If you do not get the opportunity to enroll, these fees will be reimbursed.

What are the Hours for Pre-K?

YSPP operates a full day pre-k program. The academic day is from 8:45 -3:50, with the option of enrolling in B.A.S.E. for early care or after care at an additional fee.

Pre-K students are not eligible for bus transportation and must be parental drop off and pick up.

What is the enrollment commitment?

Enrollment in YSPP will be a contractual commitment of attendance for the full 185-day program*.

*Special consideration may be given at MHABC discretion if early termination of contract is requested for unforeseen circumstances. A penalty payment will be assessed as well if early termination is approved.

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