

Waterford
School
District

First Families, Hand in Hand, & Preschool Registration Packet

Blended Program for 3's & 4's

Our Blended Program is a classroom with two teachers (one teacher certified & experienced in early childhood special education and the other a highly qualified preschool teacher) and two assistants. It features the same High Scope curriculum as the other 3 and 4 year old programs, with the added benefit of a longer school year (September - June), lower adult/child ratio and a blend of children with and without IEP's.

First Families - For ages Birth to Three*

First Families is a first school experience especially for children ages birth to three and their care-givers! Join us for weekly playful experiences designed to nurture the cognitive, physical and social-emotional growth of infants and toddlers and to make connections with other local families with young children! *Children cannot turn three before September 1st. 10-Week sessions are \$100.00 per family.

Hand in Hand- For Twos

Not quite old enough for preschool? This is an interactive one-on-one preschool experience at Stepanski especially for children ages 2½ to 3 years old (as of 9/1/17 for the Fall semester). Accompany your little one for weekly experiences with routines, music, movement, art and literature designed to support the unique developmental interests and needs of older toddlers. There are three 10 week semesters. Start date: September 22. 10-week sessions are \$100 per child.

Preschool - For ages Three to Four

The district-wide preschool program provides high quality developmentally appropriate experiences for children ages three and four. Teachers implement High Scope curriculum, a research based hands on curriculum designed to expand your child's knowledge and skills in all developmental areas—language, physical, social, emotional and intellectual. Parents may also select Jumpstart Preschool, a once-a-week option for their three year olds. The High Scope (highscope.org) curriculum defines the framework that guides daily learning opportunities in every classroom.

Preschool Parent Participation

Parent participation is considered essential and takes many forms throughout the school year. Participation begins with a required parent/guardian orientation meeting held prior to the beginning of the Preschool program. This is an opportunity to learn more about the curriculum and its connection to the Waterford School District Kindergarten benchmarks.

Preschool Eligibility

- Children must be three by September 1 for the three year old program and four by September 1 for the four-year old program.
- **Children must be potty trained- no pull-ups.**

2017-2018

www.waterford.k12.mi.us

.....

Preschool Registration

Registration is for the entire 30 week school year for all classes. Classes will begin the week of September 11. Enrollment will be accepted on a first come, first served basis. Walk-in registration will be available at our Open House on April 29th from 10 am to noon. After that date, walk-ins and mailed registrations will be accepted.

Preschool Confirmation

You will receive an **email confirmation** of your child's class. All tuition-based preschoolers and their guardians will attend a Meet & Greet mini-class on Monday, September 11th. The required green health appraisal forms will be available in our lobby throughout the summer or at your pediatrician's office. At the Parent Orientation you will sign up for a 30-minute assessment appointment to take place on either September 6th or 7th.

Classes begin September 12, for three-year olds & September 13, for four-year olds

Payment Procedure

Preschool for three-year olds – Child must be three on or before September 1, 2017

Classes -

Option 1 - 2 1/2 hours, 2 times per week for 30 weeks **Tuesday/Thursday AM or PM**

Tuition: \$1075 year – Deposit \$200* – balance of \$875 paid in seven payments of \$125 each. Payments due the first day of preschool each month (October through April). *Deposit includes a **\$75 non-refundable registration fee**

Option 2 - BLENDED PROGRAM Runs from September 6 to June 14, 2018. Three hours, **Monday-Thursday PM**

Tuition: \$2875/year - Deposit \$250* - balance of \$2625 paid in seven payments of \$375 each. Payments due the first day of preschool each month (October through April). * Deposit includes a **\$75 non-refundable registration fee**

Option 3 - Jumpstart 2 1/2 hours one day a week for 30 weeks **Wednesday Afternoons**

Tuition: \$530/year—Deposit **\$75 non-refundable registration fee** - balance of \$455 paid in seven payments of \$65 each. Payments due the first day of preschool each month (October through April)

Preschool for four year olds – Child must be four on or before September 1, 2017

Classes –

Option 1 – 3 hours, 3 times per week **Monday/Wednesday/Friday AM or PM**

Tuition: \$1575/year – Deposit \$350*—balance of \$1225 paid in seven payments of \$175 each. Payments due the first day of preschool each month (October through April). * Deposit includes a **\$75 non-refundable registration fee**

Option 2 – 3 hours, 4 times per week **Monday-Thursday AM**

Tuition: \$2375/year - Deposit \$275*— balance of \$2100 paid in seven payments of \$300 each. Payments due the first day of preschool each month (October through April). * Deposit includes a **\$75 non-refundable registration fee**

Option 3 - BLENDED PROGRAM Runs from September 6 to June 14, 2018. Three hours, **Monday-Thursday PM**

Tuition: \$2875/year - Deposit \$250*—balance of \$2625 paid in seven payments of \$375 each. Payments due the first day of preschool each month (October through April). * Deposit includes a **\$75 non-refundable registration fee**

(See schedules for ages, days and times.)

The deposit **must** accompany the attached enrollment form. Deposits and tuition payments **must** be made by **check or money order** (payable to Waterford School District) or **VISA** or **MASTERCARD** (no cash). **New student enrollments must include a copy of your child's birth certificate and immunization record with your registration form and deposit.**

Please note: Returned checks (NSF) will result in a \$25 penalty.

Stepanski Early Childhood
Accredited by NAEYC's
National Academy of
Early Childhood Programs



.....

Waterford School District Preschool Program

MAIL-IN REGISTRATION FORM 2017- 2018 School Year

Child Name _____ M ____ F ____ Birthdate _____

Previous Class Attended _____

Father or Guardian _____ Home Phone _____ Work _____

Mother or Guardian _____ Home Phone _____ Work _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Resides with: _____ Both Parents _____ Mother _____ Father _____ Other

Email Address _____ @ _____ .com

(You will receive class confirmation via email)

*1st choice _____
Room # _____ Days _____ Time _____ Total Tuition _____ Deposit Amt. _____

*2nd choice _____
Room # _____ Days _____ Time _____ Total Tuition _____ Deposit Amt. _____

A deposit must accompany this form. Please make checks or money orders payable to Waterford School District (no cash). Returned NSF checks will result in a **\$25 penalty**.

MASTERCARD # _____ Exp. Date _____ Amount _____

VISA # _____ Exp. Date _____ Amount _____

Charge customer must sign _____

Mail Registration Form to:
Preschool Office, A. J. Stepanski Early Childhood Center
6010 Hatchery, Waterford, MI 48329

Class may be subject to cancellation due to lack of enrollment. You will be notified if these instances occur. Thank You!

Child Care will be available at Stepanski . Child Care information is available online at www.waterford.k12.mi.us and click on Community and then Child Care.

****New student enrollments must include a copy of your child's birth certificate and immunization record with your registration form and deposit.**

.....

3-YEAR-OLD PRESCHOOL SCHEDULE

Classes begin the weekend of September 11th

3 Yrs	STEPANSKI Room 102	T/TH	9:00-11:30
3 Yrs	STEPANSKI Room 114	T/TH	12:15-2:45
3 Yrs	STEPANSKI Room 201	T/TH	1:00-3:30
3 Yrs	STEPANSKI Blended	M-TH	12:50-3:50
3 Yrs	JUMPSTART Room 114	Wednesday	12:15-2:45

4 -YEAR-OLD PRESCHOOL SCHEDULE

Classes begin the week of September 11th

4 Yrs	STEPANSKI Room 102	MW/F	8:55-11:55
4 Yrs	STEPANSKI Room 201	M-TH	9:00-12:00
4 Yrs	STEPANSKI Room 201	MW/F	1:00-4:00
4 Yrs	STEPANSKI Blended	M-TH	12:50-3:50

Child Care is available at STEPANSKI EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER

Child Care information is available online at www.waterford.k12.mi.us if you click on community and then Child Care.

This plan is based on current enrollment trends. Classes could change due to low or high enrollment. Class sizes are limited: 3-year-old, 18 students; 4- year-old, 20 students.

.....

Hand in Hand

Not quite old enough for preschool? Hand in Hand is an interactive one-on-one preschool experience at Stepanski especially for children 2½-3 years old. (as of 9/1/17 for the Fall semester). Accompany your little one for weekly experiences with music, movement, art and literature designed to support the unique developmental interests and needs of older toddlers. The first 10-week session begins on **Friday**, September 22 2017, 1:15-2:45 pm, with a fee of **\$100.00**.

First semester enrollment: please mail form and \$100 tuition to Preschool Office, 6010 Hatchery, Waterford, MI 48329.

HAND IN HAND ENROLLMENT FORM

Child's Name _____ Birth Date _____ M _____ F _____

Parent/Guardian _____ Phone _____ Work _____

Address _____

Email Address for confirmation notice: _____ @ _____ .com

Make checks payable to Waterford School District. To charge the \$100 tuition to your card, fill out form below.

VISA _____ Exp. Date _____

MASTERCARD _____ Exp. Date _____

Signature _____

.....

FIRST FAMILIES ENROLLMENT FORM

Especially for families with infants and toddlers that do not turn 3 until after September 1st.. Join us for a play/support group that meets once a week. A playful experience designed to nurture the cognitive, physical & social-emotional growth of infants and toddlers and to make connections with other local families with young children. Registered siblings are welcome to attend.

1st ten (10) week semester begins the week of September 18

Family Tuition \$100.00

First semester enrollment, please mail form and \$100 tuition to Preschool Office, 6010 Hatchery, Waterford, MI 48329

Children Attending First Families:

Child's Name _____ Birth Date _____ M _____ F _____

Child's Name _____ Birth Date _____ M _____ F _____

Parent/Guardian _____ Phone _____ Work _____

Address _____

Email Address for class confirmation: _____ @ _____ .com

Monday 9:30-11:00 am Monday 1:15-2:45 pm Tuesday 9:30-11:00 am Wednesday 9:30-11:00 am

Thursday 9:30-11:00 am Friday 9:30-11:00 am I would like scholarship information

Make checks payable to Waterford School District. If you wish to charge the \$100 to a credit card, please fill out form below:

VISA # _____ Exp. Date _____

MASTERCARD _____ Exp. Date _____

Signature _____

Preschool Site

**Stepanski Early Childhood Center,
6010 Hatchery Road**

*School & Community Services
Published April 2017*

Choose the Waterford School District...we guarantee student success!



Waterford School District
Kurzman Administration Services
501 N. Cass Lake Road
Waterford, MI 48328