

2018-2019 SCHOOL YEAR

IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING THE ARKANSAS BETTER CHANCE FOR SCHOOL SUCCESS ENROLLMENT PROCESS

It is extremely important that each item on the registration checklist is turned in along with the application. If we do not receive each document on the checklist, your child's application will not be considered for enrollment. Once complete application packets are submitted, they will be reviewed and it will be determined if your child qualifies for the ABCSS Pre-K Program.

Tentatively, acceptance letters will be sent out in June 2018.

Thank you!

DAWSON CO-OP ABCSS PRE-K APPLICATION PACKET

**ALL DOCUMENTS BELOW MUST BE INCLUDED WITH
APPLICATION BEFORE IT CAN BE CONSIDERED!**

- *Copy of Birth Certificate
- *Copy of up to date immunization record
- *Proof of income: Please provide one of the following for each caregiver
 - o 2017 tax return for each caregiver
 - o One month's worth of current paystubs for each caregiver
 - o If unemployed must turn in notarized letter stating you are unemployed and earn no income at this time.
- *Proof of residency (such as a utility bill)
- *Copy of child's social security card.

PLEASE INDICATE THE SCHOOL DISTRICT YOU RESIDE IN ABOVE LINE

PLEASE RETURN COMPLETED APPLICATION & DOCUMENTS TO:

**Dawson Education Cooperative
Attn: ABCSS Pre-K Program
711 Clinton St
Arkadelphia, AR 71923
PHONE: 870-246-1450
FAX: 870-246-1457**

Student Name: _____

School District: _____

Tuition Fee: _____

ARKANSAS BETTER CHANCE FOR SCHOOL SUCCESS CHILD APPLICATION

PRIMARY CAREGIVER INFORMATION (Parent or guardian with most contact with child)

* Name (First/Middle/Last): _____
* Date of Birth: _____ Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____
* Current address: _____
* City: _____ * State: _____ * ZIP Code: _____
* Employment Status (FT, PT): _____ Employer Name: _____
Employment City: _____ State: _____ Employment Zip Code: _____
* # of hrs per week: _____ * Education Level (high school, college, etc.): _____
If attending school, where: _____ # of semester hours: _____
Annual Income From Work Sources or Unemployment: _____

SECONDARY CAREGIVER INFORMATION (2nd Parent or guardian in household with child and is used for determining eligibility)

* Name (First/Middle/Last): _____
* Date of Birth: _____ Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____
* Current address: ☐ same as Primary Caregiver _____
* City: _____ * State: _____ * ZIP Code: _____
* Employment Status (FT, PT): _____ Employer Name: _____
Employment City: _____ Employment State: _____ Employment ZIP Code: _____
of hrs per week: _____ Education Level (high school, college, etc.): _____
If attending school, where: _____ # of semester hours: _____
Annual Income From Work Sources or Unemployment: _____

HOUSEHOLD INFORMATION

* Number in Family (The number of immediate family members living in house. (Parent, Guardian, Siblings): _____
* Number in Household (The total number of people living in the house): _____
List the name and relationship to the child enrolled of all family members in the household:
Name: _____ Relationship: _____

* Must be entered into COPA.

CHILD INFORMATION

*Name(First/Middle/Last): _____
*Date of Birth: _____ *Social Security Number: _____
*Gender: _____ *Ethnicity: _____ *Primary Language: _____
Has this child attended a state-funded pre-K (ABC) program before? ☐ Yes ☐ No If so, where? _____
Will this child be concurrently enrolled in an ABC center and HIPPY or PAT program? ☐ Yes ☐ No If so, which HIPPY or PAT? _____
List any allergies: _____
Does the child have any special dietary needs? _____
Receiving any special education services? _____
Primary Language: _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT AND CONSENT INFORMATION

Name of emergency contact if parent/guardian cannot be reached: _____
Address: _____ Phone: _____
City: _____ State: _____ ZIP Code: _____
Relationship: _____
Physician Name: _____
Address: _____ Phone: _____
City: _____ State: _____ ZIP Code: _____

Consent for Emergency Medical Care

I, _____ of _____
Parent/Guardian's name Relationship Child's name

Do hereby request and give consent to the Director/Caregiver of the Child Care Facility, or their duly appointed representative, for said child to receive such medical or surgical aid as may be deemed necessary expedient by a duly licensed or recognized physician or surgeon in case of an emergency when the parent(s) cannot be reached. Consent is also given for the Director/Caregiver or their duly appointed representative to transport said child for emergency medical treatment, if parent(s) cannot be reached. I additionally give consent for my child to attend the above named field trip.

Parent/guardian signature _____

Date _____

SIGNATURE

I declare under the penalty of perjury and the rules and regulations of the Arkansas Better Chance program that the information supplied is true and correct at the time of application. I understand that the information I supplied may be independently verified by the Arkansas Division of Child Care and Early Childhood Education and that any false statements may result in exclusion from DHS programs and criminal prosecution.

Signature of Primary Caregiver: _____ Date: _____

* Must be entered into COPA

Addition Information Needed for ABC Application Regarding Primary Caregiver & Secondary Caregiver

Child's Name

Primary Caregiver Information

Please check all that apply:

Ethnicity : ☐ Hispanic ☐ Cuban ☐ Mexican, Mexican American, Chicano
 ☐ Other Spanish, Hispanic, Latino ☐ Puerto Rican

Race: ☐ American Indian or Alaska Native ☐ Asian Indian ☐ Black or African American ☐ Chinese
 ☐ Filipino ☐ Guamanian or Chamorro ☐ Immigrant ☐ Japanese ☐ Korean
 ☐ Migrant ☐ Multi-Racial ☐ Native Hawaiian ☐ Other ☐ Other Asian
 ☐ Other, Pacific Islander ☐ Samoan ☐ Unknown ☐ Vietnamese ☐ White

Current Housing: ☐ Homeless ☐ Own ☐ Rent ☐ Other

Current Housing Date: _____

mm-dd-yyyy

Previous Housing: ☐ Homeless ☐ Own ☐ Rent ☐ Other

Has this family moved in the last 24 months? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Disabled: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Medical Insurance (for child): ☐ Yes ☐ No

Specify: ☐ Aetna Global Benefits ☐ AHA Care ☐ Ambetter ☐ ARKids 1st
 ☐ ARKids A ☐ ARKids B ☐ Blue Advantage ☐ Blue Cross Blue Shield
 ☐ CareFirst ☐ Cigna ☐ Health Network for Louisiana ☐ Medicaid
 ☐ Medicare ☐ Private Health Coverage ☐ QualChoice ☐ TriCare
 ☐ United Healthcare

**Addition Information Needed for ABC Application Regarding
Primary Caregiver & Secondary Caregiver**

Child's Name

Secondary Caregiver Information

Please check all that apply:

Ethnicity : ☐Hispanic ☐Cuban ☐Mexican, Mexican American, Chicano
 ☐Other Spanish, Hispanic, Latino ☐Puerto Rican

Race: ☐American Indian or Alaska Native ☐Asian Indian ☐Black or African American ☐Chinese
 ☐Filipino ☐Guamanian or Chamorro ☐Immigrant ☐Japanese ☐Korean
 ☐Migrant ☐Multi-Racial ☐Native Hawaiian ☐Other ☐Other Asian
 ☐Other, Pacific Islander ☐Samoan ☐Unknown ☐Vietnamese ☐White

Current Housing: ☐Homeless ☐Own ☐Rent ☐Other

Current Housing Date: _____
 mm-dd-yyyy

Previous Housing: ☐Homeless ☐Own ☐Rent ☐Other

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 ☐ARKids A ☐ARKids B ☐Blue Advantage ☐Blue Cross Blue Shield
 ☐CareFirst ☐Cigna ☐Health Network for Louisiana ☐Medicaid
 ☐Medicare ☐Private Health Coverage ☐QualChoice ☐TriCare
 ☐United Healthcare

Dawson Education Service Cooperative

Early Childhood Special Education Department

711 Clinton Street, Suite 201

Arkadelphia, AR 71923

Office (870) 246-7928 Fax (870) 246-3130

Screening Consent Form

Child's Name: (Full Legal Name) _____
First Middle Last (Nickname)

Child's Social Security Number (REQUIRED): _____ - _____ - _____ School District _____

Does your child receive Medicaid/ARKids? Yes ☐ No ☐ If yes, Medicaid Number _____

Date of Birth _____ Age _____ Sex: Male ☐ Female ☐

Race: (check all that apply): African American (Black) ☐ White ☐ Asian ☐ Hispanic ☐

American Indian/Native American ☐ Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander ☐

Parent or Legal Guardian Name: _____
First Last

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Day Time Phone # _____ e-mail address: _____

Child's Primary Care Physician: _____ Clinic _____ Phone _____

Child attends (please circle one): Day Care / Head Start / Preschool / Mother's Day Out / Home Based

Center Information: _____
Name Address City Zip Phone

Name of Classroom Teacher _____

Has your child had any previous evaluations: Yes ☐ No ☐ Has your child received therapy: Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes to either of the above questions, please explain: _____

Are there any behavioral issues? If so, please explain: _____

Will an interpreter be needed? Yes ☐ No ☐ Language _____ or Hearing impaired: Yes ☐ No ☐
(specify lang.)

I give permission to have my child screened by Dawson Education Service Cooperative Special Services Program. The screening may include one or more of the following areas: speech, development, motor, vision and/or hearing. If you have any questions you may call 870-246-7928

Parent Signature for consent to screen: _____ Date: _____

For office use only: RCVD by _____ on _____ / _____ / _____

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Report and Scoring Form—Self-help and Social-Emotional Scales

A. Child's Name _____ Screening _____ Date of _____
 Parent(s)/Caregiver(s) _____ Birth Date _____ Year _____ Month _____ Day _____
 Age _____ School/Program _____ Teacher _____ Examiner _____

Directions: Read each item and circle the response or description that best reflects the child's skill level

A. Eating Skills

- Does _____ use a spoon?
 If yes, does _____ place the spoon in his/her mouth without turning the spoon upside down, with little or no spilling of food?
 Rarely/No = 0 Sometimes = 1 Most of the time = 1 _____/1
- Does _____ use the side of the fork for cutting soft food, such as a piece of baked potato or a piece of cake?
 Rarely/No = 0 Sometimes = 1 Most of the time = 1 _____/1
- Does _____ hold a fork in his/her fingers, not in his/her fist?
 Rarely/No = 0 Sometimes = 1 Most of the time = 1 _____/1

Total for A. Eating Skills _____/3

B. Dressing Skills

- Does _____ put on his/her shoes?
 Criteria: Buckling, tying, or Velcro fastening is not required for credit.
 No = 0 Yes (sometimes on wrong feet) = 1 Yes (each shoe on correct foot 50% of the time) = 2 _____/2
- Does _____ dress himself/herself unsupervised?
 Rarely/No = 0 Sometimes = 1 Most of the time, except for help with difficult fasteners = 1 _____/1
- Does _____ put on his/her socks?
 Rarely/No = 0 Sometimes = 1 Most of the time = 1 _____/1

Total for B. Dressing Skills _____/6

C. Toileting Skills

- Does _____ get on the toilet or potty by himself/herself (even if he/she needs help with clothing)?
 Rarely/No = 0 Sometimes = 1 Most of the time = 1 _____/1
 - Does _____ have bowel movements ("poop") in the toilet or potty (no more than one accident a week)?
 Rarely/No = 0 Sometimes = 1 Most of the time = 1 _____/1
 - Does _____ urinate ("pee") in the toilet or potty (no more than one accident a week)?
 Rarely/No = 0 Sometimes = 1 Most of the time = 1 _____/1
 - Does _____ attempt to wipe himself/herself after toileting?
 Rarely/No = 0 Sometimes = 1 Most of the time = 1 _____/1
- OR (Answer only the more appropriate of these two questions.)
 Does _____ wipe himself/herself independently after toileting?
 Rarely/No = 0 Sometimes = 1 Most of the time = 2 _____/2
- Does _____ take care of his/her toileting needs?
 Rarely/No = 0 Sometimes = 1 Yes (flushing the toilet most of the time after using it) = 1 Yes (flushing the toilet and washing hands most of the time) = 2 _____/2
 - Does _____ go to the bathroom on his/her own without being asked or reminded?
 Rarely/No = 0 Sometimes = 1 Most of the time = 1 _____/1

Total for C. Toileting Skills _____/8

TOTAL FOR SELF-HELP (A. Eating Skills, B. Dressing Skills, C. Toileting Skills) _____/17

Self-help and Social-Emotional Scales (continued)

SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL SKILLS

D. Relationships with Adults					
13.	Does _____ respond with feelings of pride and enthusiasm when he/she earns positive feedback?	Rarely/No = 0	Sometimes = 0	Most of the time = 1	___/1
14.	Does _____ look forward to sharing his/her feelings with you when he/she is happy?	Rarely/No = 0	Sometimes = 0	Most of the time = 1	___/1
15.	Does _____ enjoy sharing information with you about himself/herself, such as things he/she likes, names of his/her family members or pets, or what he/she did over the weekend?	Rarely/No = 0	Sometimes = 0	Most of the time = 1	___/1
16.	Does _____ share his/her thoughts and ideas with you?	Rarely/No = 0	Sometimes = 0	Most of the time = 1	___/1
Total for D. Relationships with Adults ___ / 4					
E. Play and Relationships with Peers					
17.	Does _____ have several friends but one who is a special or best friend?	No = 0	Yes = 1		___/1
18.	Does _____ have a best friend with whom he/she is close and who reciprocates by coming over for play dates or extending an invitation to a party?	No = 0	Yes = 1		___/1
19.	Does _____ play cooperatively in a large-group game, such as duck-duck-goose, tag, or kickball?	Rarely/No = 0	Sometimes = 0	Most of the time = 1	___/1
20.	Does _____ give verbal directions or incorporate verbal directions into play activities?	Rarely/No = 0	Sometimes = 0	Most of the time = 1	___/1
Total for E. Play and Relationships with Peers ___ / 4					

F. Motivation and Self-Confidence					
21.	Does _____ maintain interest when engaged in a small-group activity or project?	Rarely/No = 0	Sometimes = 0	Most of the time = 1	___/1
22.	Does _____ show that he/she likes to finish what he/she starts, perhaps by dawdling less than at an earlier age?	Rarely/No = 0	Sometimes = 0	Most of the time = 1	___/1
23.	Does _____ approach new tasks with confidence and a "can-do" attitude?	Rarely/No = 0	Sometimes = 0	Most of the time = 1	___/1
24.	Does _____ remain focused on what he/she has been asked to do even when there are minor distractions, such as a car making noise outside or someone tapping a pencil?	Rarely/No = 0	Sometimes = 0	Most of the time = 1	___/1
Total for F. Motivation and Self-Confidence ___ / 4					
G. Prosocial Skills and Behaviors					
25.	If supervised by an adult, does _____ take turns without undue objection?	Rarely/No = 0	Sometimes = 0	Most of the time = 1	___/1
26.	Does _____ understand or accept the need to share and take turns, perhaps willingly taking turns even if he/she isn't asked to?	Rarely/No = 0	Sometimes = 0	Most of the time = 1	___/1
27.	Does _____ ask an adult for permission before using things that belong to others or before engaging in an activity that may be restricted, such as going to the bathroom or leaving the classroom?	Rarely/No = 0	Sometimes = 0	Most of the time = 1	___/1
28.	Does _____ react to a disappointment or failure in an acceptable manner by being a good sport and refraining from shouting or getting upset?	Rarely/No = 0	Sometimes = 0	Most of the time = 1	___/1
Total for G. Prosocial Skills and Behaviors ___ / 4					

TOTAL FOR SOCIAL-EMOTIONAL
(D. Relationships with Adults, E. Play and Relationships with Peers, F. Motivation and Self-Confidence, and G. Prosocial Skills and Behaviors) ___ / 16

**Parental Consent to Access Public Insurance and to
Release Personally Identifiable Information**

Name: _____ ID: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Age: _____ Grade: _____ Local Education Agency: _____

Medicaid Number: _____

With parental consent, the school district can seek federal Medicaid reimbursement for the cost of the health services the school district provides to children who are eligible for Medicaid, and who receive those services that are identified in their individualized education program (IEP). In order to seek the federal Medicaid funds for reimbursement, the school district must disclose information from your child's education records to Medicaid and Medicaid billing agencies.

Under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA), parental consent is required in order to release student personally identifiable information to agencies not identified in the Act. This consent grants the school district the ability to release student information for the purpose of billing Medicaid.

By signing below, you are indicating the following:

- I understand and agree that I am giving the school district permission to access my or my child's public benefits or insurance.
- I understand that my child's education records and information about the services my child receives through an IEP may be released to the Department of Human Services, Division of Medical Services, Arkansas Medicaid, and the school district's Medicaid billing agent for the purpose of billing Medicaid.
- I understand that this may include sharing information with DHS, contracted billing agents, and/or a physician to obtain necessary documentation to receive reimbursement for services provided through an IEP.
- I understand that information to be released may include: student's name, date of birth, social security number, Medicaid ID, disability, IEP and evaluations, type of service(s), times and dates services were delivered, and progress notes.
- I understand that this consent will remain in effect at all times the district is responsible for providing IEP services to my child, unless revoked by me.
- I understand that I may revoke consent at any time by notifying the school district in writing.
- I understand that revoking my consent does not change the school district's responsibility to provide all required IEP services to my child at no cost to me.
- Before giving my consent below, I was provided with a written notice further explaining my rights and protections under Part B of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) regarding consent and the purpose of this form.

Parent or Guardian Signature

Date

Is your child covered by private insurance? ☐ No ☐ Yes (If yes, please complete Third Party Liability Section)

**Parental Consent to Release Personally Identifiable Information
Third Party Liability Section***

*This section should only be completed if the student is covered by private insurance.

Name: _____ ID: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Age: _____ Grade: _____ Local Education Agency: _____

Medicaid Number: _____

Information Related to Billing Third Party Insurance:

Title 42 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Part 433, Subpart D, Third Party Liability, requires that all third party sources must be utilized before reimbursement can be made by Medicaid. Part B of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) prohibits a public agency from requiring parents, where they would incur a financial cost, to use insurance proceeds to pay for services that must be provided to a child with disabilities under the "free appropriate public education" requirements of these statutes. IDEA does not create exceptions to Title 42 CFR, Part 433, Subpart D. All Medicaid providers, including school districts, should attempt to exhaust third party liability prior to making claims to Medicaid.

Please check one of the following:

☐ I do NOT give permission to the school district to bill my private insurance for healthcare services delivered in the school.

☐ I give my permission to the school to bill my private insurance for healthcare services delivered in the school.

Private Insurance Information:

Insurance Company: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Name of Policy Holder: _____

Policy Holder Date of Birth: _____ Social Security Number: _____

Policy Number: _____ Group Number: _____

Parent or Guardian Signature Date

2017-2018 Sliding Fee Scale (Subject to change)

Family Size	up to 200%	up to 212.5%	up to 225%	up to 237.5%	up to 250%	Not Eligible
1	\$0 - \$1980.00	\$1980.01 - \$2103.75	\$2103.76 - \$2227.50	\$2227.51 - \$2351.25	\$2351.26 - \$2475.00	\$29,700.01
2	\$0 - \$2670.00	\$2670.01 - \$2836.88	\$2836.89 - \$3003.75	\$3003.76 - \$3170.63	\$3170.64 - \$3337.50	\$40,050.01
3	\$0 - \$3360.00	\$3360.01 - \$3570.00	\$3570.01 - \$3780.00	\$3780.01 - \$3990.00	\$3990.01 - \$4200.00	\$50,400.01
4	\$0 - \$4050.00	\$4050.01 - \$4303.13	\$4303.14 - \$4556.25	\$4556.26 - \$4809.38	\$4809.39 - \$5062.50	\$60,750.01
5	\$0 - \$4740.00	\$4740.01 - \$5036.25	\$5036.26 - \$5332.50	\$5332.51 - \$5628.75	\$5628.76 - \$5925.00	\$71,100.01
6	\$0 - \$5430.00	\$5430.01 - \$5769.38	\$5769.39 - \$6108.75	\$6108.75 - \$6448.13	\$6448.14 - \$6787.50	\$81,450.01
7	\$0 - \$6121.67	\$6121.68 - \$6504.27	\$6504.28 - \$6886.88	\$6886.89 - \$7269.48	\$7269.49 - \$7652.08	\$91,824.97
8	\$0 - \$6815.00	\$6815.01 - \$7240.94	\$7240.95 - \$7666.88	\$7666.89 - \$8092.81	\$8092.82 - \$8518.75	\$102,225.01
FEE %	No Fee	20%	40%	60%	80%	Full Rate
Monthly Center/FH Fee (per child)	\$0	\$97.20	\$194.40	\$291.60	\$388.80	\$486.00