Parent Involvement

Parent or family member participation is requested for several classes/events throughout the year. The initial parent class is held on the first day of preschool. There are preschool parent conferences held in November and in May. There are also several Parent & Child Special Events through the school year that you may attend with your child. Notes will be sent home notifying you of the details and dates of these events.



Transportation

School Readiness students living in the LPA school district will be able to ride on the regular school bus to school in the morning, and home after school as well.

Preschool Fees

School Readiness Preschool has a registration fee of \$50.

Class fees are \$28/day and are based on our class options. Families will be asked to pay for all days of class within the option they choose.

Our fees are determined by a sliding fee scale, based on family income, and we also have scholarships available for qualifying families. No family will be denied participation due to financial constraints.

Lake Park Audubon

School Readiness Preschool Program





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Lake Park Audubon School Readiness Preschool is a public school program partially funded by the Minnesota Legislature. The purpose of School Readiness is to provide a preschool experience for children 4-5 years old and their families in the Lake Park Audubon District.

Preschool Benefits

You are your child's first teacher! Preschool experiences enhance what you are already doing to help your child learn at home.

At the same time, children benefit when they venture outside their home environments and into new territory. In the "outside world" they can encounter new people, have experiences in a new setting and learn about new topics. As children begin to explore the world away from Mom or Dad, they begin to develop a budding sense of self confidence and independence.

Preschool is designed to offer your child: opportunities in a secure, predictable environment, guided by an adult who is not only familiar and nurturing, but is also a licensed teacher.



Eligibility

Children must be 4 years old by Sept. 1st to enroll in the School Readiness classes. Classes are filled in the following order on a first come, first serve basis.

- 1. Children in the LPA School District who have no other preschool experience.
- 2. Children who have an individual educational plan (IEP), a physical disability or have been identified as needing educational assistance.

We Promote

- Friendships
- Responsibility
- Independence
- Positive Self-Esteem
- Cooperation

Children enrolled in School Readiness will have the opportunity to become familiar with the school they will be attending for Kindergarten. Development of social skills, literacy, math and science are all part of the programing. We will conduct activities to facilitate these skills throughout our preschool classes.



Class Schedule

School Readiness will follow Lake Park Audubon school schedule. There will be 3 preschool options for children that are 4 years old by September 1st of that school year. Students who are 3 1/2 years old on or before September 1st may have the opportunity to join a class if there are openings.

• Monday-Friday 8:30am-3:00pm

Please call the ECFE Office for information on the following class sections, registration will open July 1st.

- Monday, Wednesday & Friday 8:30am-3:00pm
- Tuesday & Thursday: 8:30am-3:00pm

*Raider Care- Lake Park Audubon Elementary after school program, has been extended to provide care for preschoolers. Care will be provided until 6:00pm and additional fees will apply for Raider Care.