

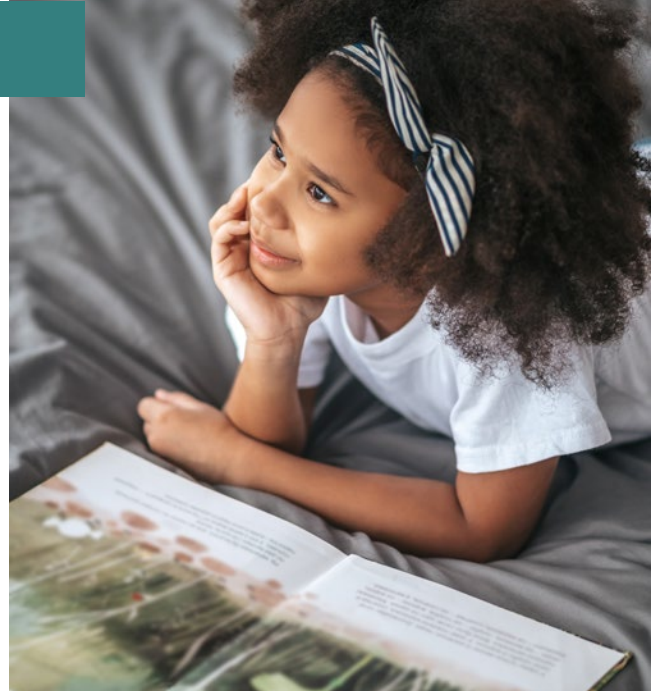
Full-Day Kindergarten

Full-day kindergarten (FDK) is a time-tested, evidence-based, early learning practice that can give children from all backgrounds a strong and equitable start in school.

Learning Gains

“A child walks into my FDK class knowing next to nothing. They walk out being able to read. I love that!”

- A FDK Teacher



Utah kids in full-day kindergarten regularly perform **2 to 4 times** better than their half-day kindergarten peers with regards to basic kindergarten proficiencies in literacy and numeracy.



Benefits to Students

FDK programs allow teachers to provide more for their students by:

- Identifying learning challenges early
- Increasing school readiness
- Enhancing academic achievement
- Providing opportunities for enrichment



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 FDK has been a game changer for my child. It was an adjustment at the beginning, but the academic growth and confidence he has now has been completely worth it.
 - A FDK Parent

Allows for More Time

Additional time allows educators to teach standards and for students to master new skills such as:



Early reading, writing, and math skills.



Science and social studies concepts.



Hands-on activities to build motor skills.



Social and Communication Skills.

Choice Matters

As a parent you know what is best for your child. You can choose:

- Full day kindergarten
- Half day kindergarten
- Homeschool or no kindergarten



Kindergarten provides a fun and engaging environment that helps children develop a love of learning. Give your child the foundation they need to succeed in future academic pursuits by enrolling them in Kindergarten.



To learn more about how you can support your child with their kindergarten experience, check out this amazing parent resource: [Ready, Set, Go!](#)