

## **Mankato Area Public Schools - Preschool**

## **Family Learning Center**

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Welcome to MAPS Preschool! We look forward to meeting you and working together to make this the best possible School Readiness experience for you and your child. Classes begin September 14th, 2020.

In this mailing, are several forms to complete and be returned to our office to confirm your child's registration in 2020-2021 MAPS Preschool. Forms should be returned (mailed or dropped off) to the Family Learning Center by August 28, 2020. Please complete both sides of forms with two sides and sign where indicated. Incomplete or late forms will delay your child's enrollment. Complete and return this paperwork today!

It is important and **required** for a parent(s)/guardian to watch the Parent Orientation virtual video. An email follow up to this letter will include the links to the Parent orientation video. Be sure we have your current email address on file so you are sure to get future emails and notices with important information.

This Parent Orientation virtual video replaces our in person parent orientation requirement. Watching this will give you the opportunity to learn the important policy and procedure information of being enrolled in MAPS Preschools. **Log onto: isd77.org click on schools/MAPS Preschool** Once on the MAPS Preschool page, you will have access to the video as well as, all forms and resources the orientation video goes over.

September 8,9,10 2020 will be the dates of Back to School conferences. **District guidelines for limiting** visitors into buildings, social distancing and mask wearing will be in place. <u>Only students new to our program will have face to face conferences with the teacher at the classroom site.</u> All others will be set up in a virtual meeting. An additional email communication with the link to sign up will be sent.

District plans for either of 3 scenarios are in place. We are prepared to transition into either of these scenarios during the year to be flexible with changing guidance. State MDE, MDH and CDC guidelines are being followed in this planning. It is of utmost importance for the health and safety of our students, families and staff.

<u>Watch for further information and communication to come via email</u>. If you have not received any emails from our office prior to this letter, please make sure to contact the office and update your email so you get future timely notices. Teacher's will also be reaching out via email soon to welcome you and provide classroom specific information.

If you have requested a scholarship form, and have not received it, it is available to pick up in our office. You may make your first payment (September tuition) at any time.

Payment <u>must</u> be received by September 1st. Invoices will be <u>emailed only</u> beginning with the October 1st billing.

Please e-mail Rachel Kamm <u>rkamm1@isd77.org</u> immediately if you have questions about scholarship/payments or no longer intend to have your child attend.

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