

EARLY LEARNING

Early Childhood Family Education • Birth to Pre-Kindergarten • Fall 2022

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the week of Sept. 12

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COMMUNITY EDUCATION

Opportunities for infant, toddler and preschool-aged children
and their families.

Where families play, learn and grow together.

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WHAT IS EARLY CHILDHOOD FAMILY EDUCATION (ECFE)?

Early Childhood Family Education (ECFE) is a family education program that is only offered through Minnesota school district Community Education programs like ours. ECFE's goal is to support and enhance the ability of parents and other caregivers, through community and early school connection, to provide the best possible environment for their child's learning and growth. Other benefits of ECFE:

For Parents:

- Support and information for parents during the transition to parenthood and through the various development stages up to kindergarten
- Meeting other families with young children in your community
- Becoming familiar with South Washington County Schools before your child enters kindergarten

For Children:

- Focused time with their parent to learn and explore in an early childhood environment
- Social skills developed in interaction with other young children in a rich early childhood environment
- Gain familiarity and comfort in a school setting prior to kindergarten

Our ECFE program provides a variety of opportunities that support foundational learning, parent involvement and the healthy development of children, including:

- Parent/Child Classes with Parent Discussion
- Parent/Child Activity Classes
- Family Events
- Home and Phone Consultation Opportunities for Parents
- Community Connections
 - Woodwinds Hospital
 - Washington County Libraries
 - Washington County Childcare
 - WIC
 - Headstart

ECFE is a partially State funded program and as a result the district is able to offer universal access based on a sliding fee scale. All families will have access to the program and no one is turned away for the inability to pay. Please see more information on page 15-16.

What Can I Expect When Enrolling in a Typical ECFE Class?

1. Parent/Child Interaction

During this time, parents and children will participate together in fun age-specific activities that support foundational learning all planned by a licensed school district early childhood teacher.

2. Parent Discussion Time

Parent discussion provides an opportunity to connect with other parents in a supportive environment. You will discuss and gain relevant information on topics related to supporting children's growth and development as well as group-generated topics. A licensed school district parent educator facilitates the parent discussion component.

3. Early Childhood Education

As parents participate in parent discussion, children are participating in age-appropriate learning activities planned by a licensed school district early childhood teacher. The activities that your child will participate in are intentionally planned to support social and emotional skills, language and literacy, creativity, cognitive physical and motor development.

INFANT CLASSES



New Parent Connection (*Free, registration required**)

If you are a new parent in our school community, register and join us! This popular class is facilitated by an ECCE certified infant specialist/licensed parent educator and is a collaboration with Woodwinds Hospital. In this drop-in style class, you will be able to connect with other new parents, ask questions and share ideas related to adjusting to a new baby, feeding, sleeping and more. ***Registration is required for this free class opportunity unless you have been referred through Woodwinds Hospital. Upon registration, if your class is listed as virtual, our infant specialist will contact you with virtual connection information. Parents and children do not separate for the on-site class.**

AGE	DAY	TIME	LOCATION	START DATE	WEEKS	COURSE
B-3 mo	T	11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.	Virtual	Ongoing	Ongoing	NPC003-2
3-9 mo	T	4:15-5:15 p.m.	Virtual	Ongoing	Ongoing	NPC004-2
B-9 mo	M	6-7:15 p.m.	LR2	9/12/22	15	LR704-1E

Babies, Babies, Babies!

In this class you will connect with other new parents, ask questions and share ideas related to adjusting to a new baby, feeding, sleeping and more. Share the joy of experiencing milestones as your babies grow together throughout this full semester class. **Parents and children do not separate for this class.**

AGE	DAY	TIME	LOCATION	START DATE	WEEKS	COURSE
5-12 mo	M	10:30 a.m.-12 p.m.	LR2	9/12/22	15	LR003-1
B-4 mo	M	12:30-2 p.m.	LR2	9/12/22	15	LR004-1

Babies, Books and Music – Short Series Class Sessions

Explore the fun and value of books and music with your baby. Research has shown that early exposure to books, language and music builds a strong foundation for language development, reading and math. Please note that each session will cover materials from the same seven or eight-week curriculum. **Parents and children do not separate for this class.**

AGE	DAY	TIME	LOCATION	START DATE	WEEKS	COURSE
B-12 mo	M	8:45-10 a.m.	LR2	1st Session: 9/12/22	8	LR002-1
				2nd Session: 11/14/22	7	LR022-1
B-12 mo	T	6-7:15 p.m.	DPC	1st Session: 9/13/22	8	DP001-2E
				2nd Session: 11/15/22	8	DP021-2E

TODDLERS/TWOS CLASSES



Toddlers and Twos

Toddlers and young-two-year-olds are on the move and gaining independence as they explore the world around them. Licensed early childhood teachers will provide age-specific and fun learning activities just for toddlers and twos. In these classes, a licensed parent educator provides a discussion time which includes sharing information about topics such as: temperament, gaining cooperation, toilet learning and other group generated topics related to this stage of development. **Parents will move to a separate area for discussion time. Except for the 9-18 month class in which parents and children do not separate.**

AGE	DAY	TIME	LOCATION	START DATE	WEEKS	COURSE
12-24 mo	T	8:30-10 a.m.	LR2	9/13/22	16	LR102-2
16-30 mo	T	10:30 a.m.-12 p.m.	LR2	9/13/22	16	LR103-2
24-36 mo	T	8:30 a.m.-10 a.m.	LR2	9/13/22	16	LR202-2
12-24 mo	W	10:30 a.m.-12 p.m.	LR2	9/14/22	17	LR104-3
24-36 mo	W	8:30 a.m.-10 a.m.	LR2	9/14/22	17	LR203-3
9-18 mo*	TH	9-10 a.m.	LR2	9/15/22	15	LR106-4
16-30 mo	TH	10:30 a.m.-12 p.m.	LR2	9/15/22	15	LR107-4
12-24 mo	F	9-10:30 a.m.	LR2	9/16/22	14	LR108-5
12-24 mo	F	8:45-10:15 a.m.	DPC	9/16/22	14	DP101-5
24-36 mo	F	9-11 a.m.	LR2	9/16/22	14	LR204-5
24-36 mo	F	10:45 a.m.-12:15 p.m.	DPC	9/16/22	14	DP201-5
16-36 mo	W	6-7:30 p.m.	LR2	9/14/22	17	LR105-3E

*Non-separating class without parent discussion. A parent educator will be available for consult.

MULTI-AGE CLASSES



Birth to Five

Multi-age classes bring children ages birth-5 years together in a class to learn and play. This class provides the opportunity for siblings to attend the same class together. A range of parenting topics and activities designed for all levels of learning can be expected. **Parents will move to a separate area for discussion time.**

AGE	DAY	TIME	LOCATION	START DATE	WEEKS	COURSE
B-5 yrs	M	8:30-10 a.m.	LR2	9/12/22	15	LR502-1
		10:30 a.m.-12 p.m.				LR503-1
		3-4:30 p.m.				LR508-1
B-5 yrs	T	10:30 a.m.-12 p.m.	LR2	9/13/22	16	LR504-2
B-5 yrs	W	10:30 a.m.-12 p.m.	LR2	9/14/22	17	LR505-3
		10:45 a.m.-12:15 p.m.	DPC			DP501-3
		6-7:30 p.m.	LR2			LR506-3E
B-5 yrs	TH	8:30-10 a.m.	LR2	9/15/22	15	LR507-4

Birth to 8 Years

This multi-age class brings young elementary student(s) and preschool children together to engage in fun educational activities. This class provides the opportunity for siblings to attend the same class together. A range of parenting topics and activities designed for all levels of learning can be expected. **Parents will move to a separate area for discussion time.**

AGE	DAY	TIME	LOCATION	START DATE	WEEKS	COURSE
B-8 yrs	M	6-7:30 p.m.	LR2	9/12/22	15	LR713-1E

SPECIAL TOPIC CLASSES



Messy Art

Dress for mess and artistic success! Young children are free to smear, squeeze, splatter and otherwise explore artistic possibilities in our sensory tables, writing tables and giant paper painting fun. Storybook sharing inspires new ideas and creativity as children work with a variety of materials. Parenting topic sessions will include an emphasis on the art process as well as other parenting topics selected by the group. Get ready for a messy good time! **Parents will move to a separate area for discussion time.**

AGE	DAY	TIME	LOCATION	START DATE	WEEKS	COURSE
2.5-5 yrs	M	8:30-10 a.m.	DPC	9/12/22	15	DP715-1
2.5-5 yrs	F	9-11 a.m.	LR2	9/16/22	14	LR709-5
2.5-5 yrs	W	6-7:30 p.m.	LR2	9/14/22	17	LR708-3E

STEM for Preschoolers

Our STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) class will provide fun hands-on activities that foster child's sense of curiosity about the natural world around them. **Parents will move to a separate area for discussion time.**

AGE	DAY	TIME	LOCATION	START DATE	WEEKS	COURSE
3-5 yrs	M	6-7:30 p.m.	LR2	9/12/22	15	LR714-1E

Just Grandma/Grandpa and Me

This class provides a great opportunity for grandparents to interact with their grandchildren in a fun learning environment. Grandparents will also gain ideas for take-home play and meet other grandparents in the community. **Grandparents and children do not separate for this class.**

AGE	DAY	TIME	LOCATION	START DATE	WEEKS	COURSE
B-5 yrs	T	8:30-10 a.m.	LR2	9/13/22	16	LR705-2

SPECIAL TOPIC CLASSES

ECFE 2.0

If you are a veteran Early Childhood Family Education (ECFE) parent, this class is for you! Discussions are centered on information that goes beyond the traditional. **Parents will move to a separate area for discussion time.**

AGE	DAY	TIME	LOCATION	START DATE	WEEKS	COURSE
B-5 yrs	Th	10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.	LR2	9/15/22	15	LR509-4

Language, Literacy and Learning

During the first five years of life, children undergo major developmental changes across a range of domains. Parents play a critical role in a child's language and literacy development. Join this class to learn fun, everyday ways you can support language and literacy development with your child. **Parents will move to a separate area for discussion time.**

AGE	DAY	TIME	LOCATION	START DATE	WEEKS	COURSE
2.5-5 yrs	Th	10:30 a.m.-12 p.m.	LR2	9/15/22	15	LR712-4

Music and Movement

Movement is crucial to young children's development. This class provides a time for parents to participate in movement activities with their child while discovering the connection of movement to learning. You will also gain fun ideas for supporting your child's active learning and physical health. **Parents will move to a separate area for discussion time.**

AGE	DAY	TIME	LOCATION	START DATE	WEEKS	COURSE
16-30 mo	T	10:30 a.m.-12 p.m.	LR2	9/13/22	16	LR706-2
2-5 yrs	F	11:30 a.m.-12:45 p.m.	LR2	9/16/22	14	LR707-5

Sensory Play for Every Day

This class will provide you with fun sensory activities to explore in class with your child and ideas for sensory fun at home. You will also be provided with information related to your child's development and the importance of sensory experiences for young children. **Parents will move to a separate area for discussion time.**

AGE	DAY	TIME	LOCATION	START DATE	WEEKS	COURSE
12-30 mo	W	8:30-10 a.m.	LR2	9/14/22	17	LR710-3
2.5-5 yrs	Th	8:30-10 a.m.	LR2	9/15/22	15	LR711-4

SPECIAL TOPIC CLASSES

Parent/Child Book Series

Each week, you will experience fun parent/child learning activities related to a focus book from the current session's book series. Register for one or both series. **Parents and children do not separate for this class.**



1st Session

- The Little Mouse, the Red Rip Strawberry, and the Big Hungry Bear
- Barnyard Dance
- Pete the Cat Rocking in My School Shoes
- Mouse Paint
- The Very Hungry Caterpillar
- If you Give a Mouse a Cookie
- Brown Bear, Brown Bear What Do You See?
- Eating the Alphabet



2nd Session

- A Color of His Own
- The Mitten
- Snowballs
- It Looked Like Spilt Milk
- The Napping House
- Mrs. Wishy-Washy's Farm
- The Snowy Day
- Chicka Chicka Boom Boom

AGE	DAY	TIME	LOCATION	START DATE	WEEKS	COURSE
2.5-5 yrs	W	9:15-10:30 a.m.	LR2	1st Session: 9/14/22	8	LR702-3
				2nd Session: 11/16/22	8	LR722-3
2.5-5 yrs	Th	9:30-10:45 a.m.	DPC	1st Session: 9/15/22	7	DP701-4
				2nd Session: 11/17/22	7	DP721-4

ECFE Friends Preschool Transition Class

Facilitated by a licensed early childhood teacher and a licensed parent educator, this class is a supportive transitional experience for young preschoolers. The first semester provides a parent/child once per week class with parent discussion. Second semester provides an additional child-only day and then becomes a 2-day per week experience.

AGE	DAY	TIME	LOCATION	START DATE	WEEKS	COURSE
31-36 mo	M	9-11 a.m.	LR2	9/12/22	28	LR206-1
	*W	9-11 a.m.		2/1/23	17	
31-36 mo	T	9:30-11:30 a.m.	DPC	9/13/22	33	DP205-2
	*Th	9:30-11:30 a.m.		2/2/23	17	

*Child-only day added for Second Semester

SPECIAL TOPIC CLASSES



Parenting Children with Special Needs

This class provides an opportunity for parents to gather with other parents and a licensed Early Childhood Family Education (ECFE) parent educator for information, resources and support. The class will include information on topics such as self-care, advocacy, sibling relationships and encouraging your child's self-esteem. **Parents will move to a separate area for discussion time.**

AGE	DAY	TIME	LOCATION	START DATE	WEEKS	COURSE
B-5 yrs	M	10:30 a.m.-12 p.m.	DPC	9/12/22	15	DP716-1

Young Parents – parents up to age 24 (*Free, registration required*)

Join us for dinner and discussion with other young parents in our community. This class will provide parent/child learning activities, early childhood education for your child and support and connection for parents. This class meets twice per month. **Parents and children do not separate for this class.**

AGE	DAY	TIME	LOCATION	START DATE	WEEKS	COURSE
B-5 yrs	Th	5:30-7:30 p.m.	DPC	9/15/22	Ongoing	DP717-4E

PRESCHOOL



Preschool supports a child's social-emotional growth while also increasing skills in language, literacy and physical development for future success. Preschool offers a great environment where children can create important social connections with their peers. Families can enroll their children in classes with a parent/child day, a child-only experience, or a mixed ages classroom.

1. Highly Qualified and Caring Staff

All of our teachers have a four-year early childhood or related degree, as well as a license in early childhood education.

2. Curriculum and Assessment

Our academic curriculum is aligned to Minnesota State Standards and South Washington County Schools (SoWashCo Schools) curriculum, ensuring seamless transitions to kindergarten and beyond.

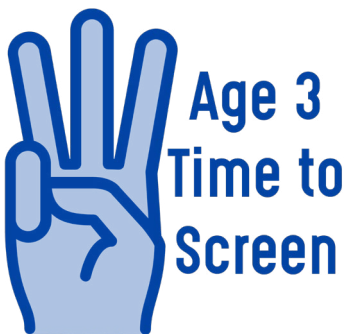
3. Four-Star Parent Aware

All of our preschool classes in SoWashCo Schools have been awarded four stars for quality by the Minnesota Parent Aware rating system. Find out more at www.parentaware.org

4. Your Child Will Experience The Joy Of Learning.

Learn more at sowashco.org/preschool

EARLY CHILDHOOD SCREENING



Early childhood screening is required by the State of Minnesota for any child entering kindergarten in a public school and is provided free of charge. Screening is recommended at 3 years old and is a quick and simple check of how your child is growing and developing. If your child has not yet been screened and is between the ages of 3 and 4, please call our office to schedule an appointment at 651-425-6175 or go to: sowashco.org/screening

Please note: Early childhood developmental screening includes a vision screening that helps detect potential eye problems, but is not a substitute for a comprehensive eye exam.

Have questions on your child's development?

No two children develop, grow and learn in the same way or at the same pace. However, children do develop in certain predictable ways. To review developmental milestones, encourage healthy development, and learn additional resources for your child, visit Help Me Grow at www.helpmegrowmn.org

If you have questions about your child's development, or the milestones they are or are not achieving, please contact our office at 651-425-6121.



FIELD TRIPS AND SPECIAL EVENTS



Drop-In Play Sessions (Free)

Drop-in play sessions provide a weekly opportunity for you and your child(ren) to drop in for some parent/child Early Childhood Family Education (ECFE) fun. Sessions run from Sept. through May based on the ECFE program calendar.* **Registration is not required. These sessions are non-separating.**

AGE	DAY	TIME	LOCATION	START DATE
B-5 yrs	M	11:30 a.m.-12:45 p.m.	LR2	9/12/22
B-5 yrs	W	11:30 a.m.-12:45 p.m.	LR2	9/14/22
B-5 yrs	F	11:30 a.m.-12:45 p.m.	LR2	9/16/22

*Drop-in play will not occur on the following dates: Oct. 7, 21, Nov. 7-8, 23, 25, Dec. 23-31, Jan. 2, 16, 23-30

FIELD TRIPS AND SPECIAL EVENTS

Children must be registered and be accompanied by a registered adult.

Afton Apple Orchard Tour

Join Early Childhood Family Education (ECFE) as we take a tour of the Afton Apple Orchard. Children and parents will experience a hayride to the orchard and learn about how apples grow. Children will be able to experience apple picking and sample apple cider. There is a very large playground and a petting farm for children to enjoy after the tour.

Deadline to register: Sept. 13

Cost: \$14 (includes transportation and ticket)

Age: All Ages

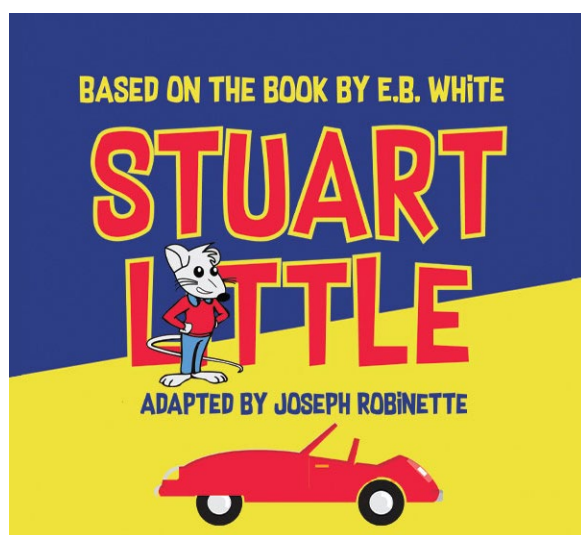
Event: 10:30 a.m., Thursday, Sept. 22

Event #: FT1



Bus departs from the DPC
10 a.m.

Bus returns to the DPC
12:30 p.m.



"Stuart Little" – Stages Theatre Company

A loveable classic comes to life! Escapades and antics ensue as an easy-going mouse named Stuart navigates New York City and the world of people with his ordinary human family. A charmingly theatrical rendering of the endearing book by the author of "Charlotte's Web".

Deadline to register: Sept. 12, 2022

Cost: \$20/person (includes transportation and ticket)

Age: All Ages

Event: 10 a.m., Thursday, Oct. 13, 2022

Event #: FT2

Bus departs from the DPC
8:45 a.m.

Bus returns to the DPC
12 p.m.

"Maybe" – Stages Theatre Company

An expansive portrayal of the endless potential in us all! A dance-inspired, original musical about the magical immeasurable possibilities that make up who we are and what we can do. From the award-winning author of "What Do You Do with an Idea?", comes the story of everything that makes us unique. In collaboration with Escalate Theatre and Dance Studio.

Deadline to register: Dec. 21, 2022

Cost: \$20/person (includes transportation and ticket)

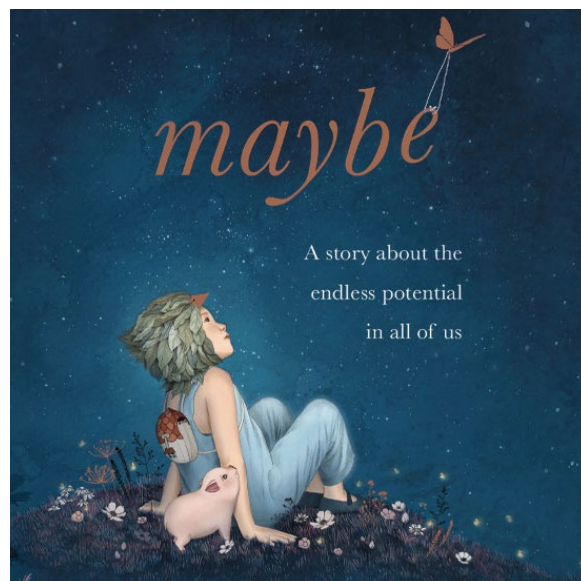
Age: All Ages

Event: 10 a.m., Wednesday, Jan. 25, 2023.

Event #: FT3

Bus departs from the DPC
8:45 a.m.

Bus returns to the DPC
12 p.m.



ECFE REGISTRATION INFORMATION



Early Childhood Family Education (ECFE) Online Registration Process

Early bird registration for Early Childhood Family Education (ECFE) begins June 6 and ends June 17. Random, computer-generated class placement will begin Monday, June 20. After this date, classes will be filled on a first come, first served basis. **To register visit sowashco.ce.eleyo.com.**

If you are in need of enrollment assistance or have questions, please call our early learning office at 651-425-7181 or 651-425-7160.

While creating your registration request, you will be able to indicate your class preference as well as make an alternative class selection. Payment information will be required during registration, however your payment will not be processed until your registration request is approved.

ECFE is a partially state funded program and as a result the district is able to offer universal access based on a sliding fee scale. All families will have access to the program, and no one is turned away for the inability to pay. Fee scales are located at the end of this document. **If you have questions regarding the fee scale, please call our early learning office at 651-425-7181 or 651-425-7160.**

Confirmations

Registration will be confirmed through email once all required information is complete. Please ensure that you provide a current email address during registration to ensure you receive updated ECFE communications. If you register during the early bird registration period of June 6 through June 17, you will be notified by email or phone if we are not able to accommodate your choices.

Class Cancellation

If you decide to cancel a class without enrolling in a replacement class, the following refund policy will apply:

- If you cancel a class before the start date, a processing fee will be deducted from your refund.
 - Class Fee Range \$5-\$112 = \$5 processing fee
 - Class Fee Range \$113-\$240 = \$10 processing fee
 - Cancellation for the ECFE Friends class will incur a \$10 processing fee.
- If you cancel after classes begin, a pro-rated refund will be given up to four weeks into the class.
- No refunds will be given after the fourth week of classes.

Classes and sibling care with insufficient enrollment may be canceled prior to the class start date. If this occurs, you will be notified and a full refund will be provided.

No refunds or class make-ups will be made when classes are canceled due to emergency school closures.

Important Dates

Fall Semester Begins: Sept. 12, 2022
Last Day of Semester: Jan. 14, 2023

No Class Dates

Oct. 7.....workshop day, no classes
Oct. 21-22 MEA, no classes
Nov. 7workshop day, no school
Nov. 8election day, no school
Nov. 23workshop day, no school
Nov. 24-25holiday, no school
Dec. 22-Jan. 3..... winter break, no school
Jan. 16.....holiday, no school

ECFE REGISTRATION INFORMATION



Class Age Ranges

When reviewing the class offerings, you will find specified ages for each class. The age range pertains to the first day the class will begin. For example, a child enrolling in a toddler class with the age range of 12–24 months must be no younger than 12 months and no older than 24 months on the first day of class. The only exception is the ECFE Friends class in which the age range applies to Sept. 1, 2022.

Sibling Care

Sibling care is a fee-based option and is offered for siblings who are kindergarten age and younger. Registration in sibling care is required for siblings of children attending an age-specific class and do not meet the age range listed. Children that are age eight weeks or older must be registered for sibling care. Infants up to eight weeks of age may remain with parents in the classroom. **Please note:** if you are planning to attend an ECFE class with a child that is a sibling and will turn eight weeks within the class session, please register for sibling care to ensure appropriate staffing. The program is not able to serve drop-in sibling care needs.

Immunization Records and Birth Certificate

Minnesota state law requires that a current copy of your child's immunization record must be submitted to the ECFE office in order to complete your child's enrollment. In addition, South Washington County Schools requires a copy of your child's birth certificate to be on file.

Out of District Residents

Minnesota residents are eligible to take classes in any ECFE program throughout the State. If you live out of state and are interested in enrolling, please call our office at 651-425-7181 or 651-425-7160. Online registration is not available for participants living outside of Minnesota.

FEE SCALES

Class fees are per child and not per family. If you have questions regarding the fee scale, please call our ECCE office at 651-425-7181 or 651-425-7160.

17 WEEKS	FAMILY INCOME	1-HR CLASS	1.25-HR CLASS	1.5-HR CLASS	2-HR CLASS	SIB CARE
	\$200,000 +	\$139	\$173	\$208	\$277	\$121
	\$100,000-199,000	\$121	\$152	\$182	\$243	\$104
	\$75,000-99,999	\$104	\$130	\$156	\$208	\$87
	\$60,000-74,999	\$87	\$108	\$130	\$173	\$69
	\$45,000-59,999	\$69	\$87	\$104	\$139	\$52
	\$30,000-44,999	\$52	\$65	\$78	\$104	\$35
	\$29,999 and under	\$35	\$43	\$52	\$69	\$17
16 WEEKS	FAMILY INCOME	1-HR CLASS	1.25-HR CLASS	1.5-HR CLASS	2-HR CLASS	SIB CARE
	\$200,000 +	\$131	\$163	\$196	\$261	\$114
	\$100,000-199,000	\$114	\$143	\$171	\$228	\$98
	\$75,000-99,999	\$98	\$122	\$147	\$196	\$82
	\$60,000-74,999	\$82	\$102	\$122	\$163	\$65
	\$45,000-59,999	\$65	\$82	\$98	\$131	\$49
	\$30,000-44,999	\$49	\$61	\$73	\$98	\$33
	\$29,999 and under	\$33	\$41	\$49	\$65	\$16
15 WEEKS	FAMILY INCOME	1-HR CLASS	1.25-HR CLASS	1.5-HR CLASS	2-HR CLASS	SIB CARE
	\$200,000 +	\$122	\$153	\$184	\$245	\$107
	\$100,000-199,000	\$107	\$134	\$161	\$214	\$92
	\$75,000-99,999	\$92	\$115	\$138	\$184	\$77
	\$60,000-74,999	\$77	\$96	\$115	\$153	\$61
	\$45,000-59,999	\$61	\$77	\$92	\$122	\$46
	\$30,000-44,999	\$46	\$57	\$69	\$92	\$31
	\$29,999 and under	\$31	\$38	\$46	\$61	\$15
14 WEEKS	FAMILY INCOME	1-HR CLASS	1.25-HR CLASS	1.5-HR CLASS	2-HR CLASS	SIB CARE
	\$200,000 +	\$114	\$143	\$171	\$228	\$100
	\$100,000-199,000	\$100	\$125	\$150	\$200	\$86
	\$75,000-99,999	\$86	\$107	\$129	\$171	\$71
	\$60,000-74,999	\$71	\$89	\$107	\$143	\$57
	\$45,000-59,999	\$57	\$71	\$86	\$114	\$43
	\$30,000-44,999	\$43	\$54	\$64	\$86	\$29
	\$29,999 and under	\$29	\$36	\$43	\$57	\$14

FEE SCALES

Class fees are per child and not per family. If you have questions regarding the fee scale, please call our ECFE office at 651-425-7181 or 651-425-7160.

13 WEEKS	FAMILY INCOME	1-HR CLASS	1.25-HR CLASS	1.5-HR CLASS	2-HR CLASS	SIB CARE
	\$200,000 +	\$106	\$133	\$159	\$212	\$93
	\$100,000-199,000	\$93	\$116	\$139	\$186	\$80
	\$75,000-99,999	\$80	\$99	\$119	\$159	\$66
	\$60,000-74,999	\$66	\$83	\$99	\$133	\$53
	\$45,000-59,999	\$53	\$66	\$80	\$106	\$40
	\$30,000-44,999	\$40	\$50	\$60	\$80	\$27
	\$29,999 and under	\$27	\$33	\$40	\$53	\$13
8 WEEKS	FAMILY INCOME	1-HR CLASS	1.25-HR CLASS	1.5-HR CLASS	2-HR CLASS	SIB CARE
	\$200,000 +	\$65	\$82	\$98	\$131	\$57
	\$100,000-199,000	\$57	\$71	\$86	\$114	\$49
	\$75,000-99,999	\$49	\$61	\$73	\$98	\$41
	\$60,000-74,999	\$41	\$51	\$61	\$82	\$33
	\$45,000-59,999	\$33	\$41	\$49	\$65	\$24
	\$30,000-44,999	\$24	\$31	\$37	\$49	\$16
	\$29,999 and under	\$16	\$20	\$24	\$33	\$8
7 WEEKS	FAMILY INCOME	1-HR CLASS	1.25-HR CLASS	1.5-HR CLASS	2-HR CLASS	SIB CARE
	\$200,000 +	\$57	\$71	\$86	\$114	\$50
	\$100,000-199,000	\$50	\$62	\$75	\$100	\$43
	\$75,000-99,999	\$43	\$54	\$64	\$86	\$36
	\$60,000-74,999	\$36	\$45	\$54	\$71	\$29
	\$45,000-59,999	\$29	\$36	\$43	\$57	\$21
	\$30,000-44,999	\$21	\$27	\$32	\$43	\$14
	\$29,999 and under	\$14	\$18	\$21	\$29	\$7
ECFE FRIENDS	FAMILY INCOME	MONTHLY	YEARLY	SIB CARE		
	\$200,000 +	\$74	\$671	\$114		
	\$100,000-199,000	\$57	\$514	\$97		
	\$75,000-99,999	\$40	\$358	\$80		
	\$60,000-74,999	\$34	\$303	\$62		
	\$45,000-59,999	\$28	\$248	\$45		
	\$30,000-44,999	\$22	\$202	\$28		
	\$29,999 and under	\$16	\$147	\$10		

Families Learning Together

Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays
1:20-3:50 p.m. at Liberty Ridge Site II (LR2)



**Learn. Play.
Grow together.**

**South Washington County School
Early Learning Program**

\$0 This class is FREE!

South Washington County Schools Early Learning program is now accepting registrations for Families Learning Together (FLT).

This class is for beginner and intermediate English language learning families with children birth to 5 years of age. In this class you can participate in supportive conversations with other parents and fun learning activities for you and your child. This class will include a parent discussion time, an early childhood education time, as well as parent/child time to learn and play together.

Transportation may be available upon request.

**To register or for more information,
please contact Sharon Griffiths at
651-425-7181 or sgriffit2@sowashco.org**

HOME BASED SUPPORT

Early Childhood Family Education (ECFE) Parent Consultations provide an opportunity for families with children birth to eight years of age, to ask parenting questions or share their concerns with a licensed parent educator. Parent consultations are provided in-person, by telephone, or virtually.

Connect with us today for help with:

- Supporting children's emotional well-being
- Answering developmental questions
- Adjusting to life with a new baby in the home
- Connecting with community resources and much more!

Questions about ECFE Parent Consultations?

Contact our ECFE Outreach Coordinator at 651-425-7163 or request a parent consultation at bit.ly/2SPzt9v



EARLY LEARNING ENRICHMENT



Gymnastics

We offer classes for girls and boys ages 18 months-18 years. Your child will achieve new milestones and prepare for more advanced challenges during each stage of growth. Classes are offered at Park, East Ridge and Woodbury high schools. For class descriptions, current schedules and registration deadlines visit commed.sowashco.org/gymnastics.

Questions? Contact Recreation and Facilities Coordinator, [Darbie Johnson](#) at 651-425-6611.

Swimming

We offer year-round swimming lessons beginning at age one. Our program teaches the importance of water safety and every child will learn at their own pace. Your child will gain confidence in the water and foundational swimming skills. For class descriptions and registration visit commed.sowashco.org/aquatics/early-learners.

Questions? Contact the [Community Education](#) office at 651-425-6600.





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**Building
Our Future**
Aug. 9, 2022



Early Learning

A \$1.7 Million Investment in Early Learning Programs and Services

Over the next 10 years, more than 3,500 potential new K-12 students are expected to move into the district. Current projections show that 15 schools will be over capacity and we will have a deficit of nearly 2,500 K-12 seats for students by 2031. To help, SoWashCo Schools will ask voters to consider approval of a \$462.6 million bond on Aug. 9, 2022. A bond is the only method to raise enough funds for construction, renovations and additions to meet the needs of our growing community.

Vote Starting June 24

The 10-year facility plan includes expanding early learning services and programs for our youngest learners from birth to five.

**Learn more at sowashco.org/facilityplanning
or email info@sowashco.org**

Vote Early by Mail

To vote early by mail, visit www.mnvotes.org or call 651-430-6790 and request an absentee application be sent to you.

Vote Early in Person

Early in-person voting begins Friday, June 24 and ends Monday, Aug. 8. Early in-person voting is available from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the following locations:

Washington County

14949 62nd Street N., Stillwater, MN 55082

Cottage Grove Service Center

13000 Ravine Pkwy., Cottage Grove, MN 55016

R.H. Stafford Library (Lower Level)

8595 Central Park Place, Woodbury, MN 55125

Headwaters Service Center

19955 Forest Road N., Forest Lake, MN 55025

Oakdale City Hall

1584 Hadley Ave. N., Oakdale, MN 55128

Vote in Person on Election Day

Regular polling locations are open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Tuesday, Aug. 9. Find your regular polling location at mnvotes.org

Questions about how to vote?

Call 651-430-6790