

FARIBAULT PUBLIC SCHOOLS

FALL 2023

FAMILY EDUCATION & MORE

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

WHAT'S INSIDE

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www.mecc.faribault.k12.mn.us



Our Mission & Vision:

McKinley Early Childhood Center partners with families to provide support, encouragement, and education.

Our vision is that all families will have access to high quality early education in collaboration with community early childhood partners.

WELCOME

Hello Faribault Families!

Welcome to Faribault Early Learning programs. We look forward to having you and your child join us for some spectacular opportunities this fall that aims to strengthen your relationship with your child, support you as a parent, and appropriately challenge your child's learning, engagement and curiosity.

We have many exciting things ahead including:

- FREE Family events at McKinley
- New Super Saturday Classes
- Saturday's for Babies



We hope to see you and your family this fall!

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Faribault Public Schools invites you to join our talented team of educators with your young child(ren) for fun, hands-on classes that you and your child will love.

All ECFE classes* are held at the Faribault Education Center (340 9th Ave SW, Door 22)

*** I love to Read & Move** will be held at McKinley Early Childhood Center
One time evening event held once per month

*** Gym Time at McKinley** will be held at McKinley Early Childhood Center weekly.

Fall classes and events are held September 5th - December 21st, 2023

FALL SESSION 1: September 5th – October 13th | **Fall Session 2:** October 23 – December 21st

CLASSES AT A GLANCE

Registration for
Fall Session 1 opens
August 1, 2023!

MONDAY			
9 - 10 a.m. WIGGLES & GIGGLES (2-24 mo)	10:30 a.m. - 12 p.m. MULTI AGE (0-5 yrs)	5 - 6 pm. TODDLER TIME (Walking-24 mo) BABY & ME (2 mo - Walking)	6:15 - 7:30 p.m. MULTI AGE (0-5 yrs)
TUESDAY			
9 - 10:30 a.m. MULTI AGE (0-5 yrs)			
WEDNESDAY			
9 - 11:30 a.m. ON MY OWN (3-4yrs)		6 - 7:30 p.m. I LOVE TO READ & MOVE Once-a-month at McKinley EC Center Gym FREE! (0-5 yrs and an adult)	
THURSDAY			
8:45 - 9:45 a.m. GYM TIME AT MCKINLEY (2 mo-5 yrs)	10:00 - 11:00 a.m. ECFE AT THE LIBRARY Once-a-month (0-5yrs) FREE!	10:30 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. BABY STOP (0-12 weeks) FREE!	
SATURDAY			
8:30 - 9:30 a.m. SATURDAYS' BABIES Once-a-month FREE (ages 2 mo-12 mo) Please Register in Advance 10:00 - 11:30 a.m. SUPER SATURDAYS Once-a-month \$10/Family! (0-5yrs)			

What is ECFE?

Early Childhood Family Education (ECFE) is a program for all Minnesota families with children from birth to the start of kindergarten. ECFE recognizes parents as their children's first teacher, and provides resources, support and education to families.

Faribault ECFE offers a variety of classes which are designed especially for families with young children. Classes are offered in the morning, afternoon and evening times to accommodate busy schedules. We hope that you will join us!

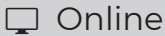


KEEP THIS CATALOG UNTIL DECEMBER 2023

This brochure contains information on classes that run from September 5th–December 21st 2023.

3 WAYS TO REGISTER

Payment is required at registration



Online

with Credit Card

faribault.ce.feepay.com



In-Person

McKinley Early Childhood Center

930 4th Ave NW

Faribault Education Center

340 9th Ave SW



By Phone

with Credit Card

507-333-6460

FALL 2023 SLIDING FEE SCALE

ANNUAL INCOME

POSTED CLASS COST

	\$25	\$30	\$35	\$36	\$40	\$42	\$48	\$60	\$80
\$40,000 +	\$25	\$30	\$35	\$36	\$40	\$42	\$48	\$60	\$80
\$30,000 – \$39,999	\$20	\$24	\$28	\$29	\$32	\$34	\$38	\$52	\$64
\$20,000 – \$29,999	\$16	\$20	\$22	\$23	\$26	\$28	\$31	\$43	\$52
\$10,000 – \$19,999	\$12	\$15	\$17	\$18	\$20	\$21	\$24	\$30	\$40
\$9,999 and under	\$7	\$9	\$10	\$11	\$12	\$13	\$14	\$20	\$24

No one is turned away. Please call today for assistance.

2023-24 ECCE CLASS SESSIONS

Fall 1

Starts: September 5
Ends: October 13

Fall 2

Starts: October 23
Ends: December 21

Winter

Starts: January 8
Ends: March 21

Spring

Starts: April 1
Ends: May 24

MONDAY CLASSES

ECCE SEPTEMBER – DECEMBER 2023

CLASSES AT FARIBAUT EDUCATION CENTER

FALL SESSION 1 BEGINS SEPTEMBER 5

WIGGLES AND GIGGLES

Ages 0 months– 2 years

This class brings our littlest learners together for hands-on exploration. Your child will use their senses to investigate new toys, textures and sounds as they meet new friends and sing new songs. This is a non-separating class and parents remain in the classroom meeting and learning from one another, an early childhood teacher, and a parent educator. Discussion topics include sleep, nutrition, child development, language development and more. Sibling care available.

Fall Session 1 (5 Sessions): **9:00 – 10:00 AM** | Cost: **\$25**

Fall Session 2 (8 Sessions): **9:00 – 10:00 AM** | Cost: **\$40**

MULTI AGE

Ages 0– 5 years

Play and explore toys, art and sensory activities with your child while interacting with friends in the early childhood classroom. Each class has parent child playtime and circle time with music and movement. Children stay in the early childhood room with early childhood teachers while parents separate the last half of class for a facilitated, informative and encouraging time discussing topics such as age-appropriate expectations, responding to challenging behaviors, sleep, eating and feeding and much more!

MORNINGS

Fall Session 1 (5 Sessions): **10:30 AM – 12:00 PM** | Cost: **\$35**

Fall Session 2 (8 Sessions): **10:30 AM – 12:00 PM** | Cost: **\$56**

EVENINGS

Fall Session 1 (5 Sessions): **6:15 – 7:30 PM** | Cost: **\$30**

Fall Session 2 (8 Sessions): **6:15 – 7:30 PM** | Cost: **\$48**

CLASSES AT FARIBAULT EDUCATION CENTER

MONDAY CLASSES

ECFE SEPTEMBER – DECEMBER 2023

FALL SESSION 1 BEGINS SEPTEMBER 5

TODDLER TIME **Ages Walking - 2 years**

Early childhood room - Gentle, gradual option to separate for last half

A toddler class with room to explore in a child friendly playspace. Toddlers love watching each other and learning and practicing so many new skills in the classroom. Parents will find their "village" and gain knowledge, confidence and support. Option to stay with your child in the classroom the entire time or separate into the Baby & Me class during the last part of class for a more focused parent discussion.

Fall Session 1 (5 Sessions): **5:00 – 6:00 PM** | Cost: **\$25**

Fall Session 2 (8 Sessions): **5:00 – 6:00 PM** | Cost: **\$40**

BABY & ME **Ages 2 months - Walking**

A relaxed playgroup facilitated by a licensed parent educator, where babies can play with and learn from each other and for parents to observe and talk about early childhood development and practical tips and tricks. Toddler Time parents have the option of joining for the last half of class to discuss topics such as responding to cues and behaviors, sleeping, feeding, reading, language development and stages of development.

Fall Session 1 (5 Sessions): **5:00 – 6:00 PM** | Cost: **\$25**

Fall Session 2 (8 Sessions): **5:00 – 6:00 PM** | Cost: **\$40**

TUESDAY CLASSES

ECFE SEPTEMBER – DECEMBER 2023

FALL SESSION 1 STARTS SEPTEMBER 5

MULTI AGE **Ages 0- 5 years**

Play and explore with your child while interacting with friends in the early childhood classroom. Parents and children spend time together in the classroom followed by a short time of separation where children remain with the early childhood teacher and parents meet with other parents and a licensed parent educator to discuss parenting topics.

Fall Session 1 (6 Sessions): **9:00 – 10:30 AM** | Cost: **\$42**

Fall Session 2 (9 Sessions): **9:00 – 10:30 AM** | Cost: **\$63**

CLASSES AT FARIBAUT EDUCATION CENTER

WEDNESDAY CLASSES

ECFE SEPTEMBER – DECEMBER 2023

FALL SESSION 1 BEGINS SEPTEMBER 6

ON MY OWN **Ages 3– 4 years**

Must be 3 years of age to enroll in class.

A child only class that blends learning and fun in a weekly classroom experience. Children will learn through play as they engage in activities designed to promote social-emotional, language and literacy and large and small muscle skills. Parents are invited to join us for the last 30 min of class for a short, hands on session based on the Early Childhood Indicators of Progress, the Minnesota State learning standards for children ages birth to five years. (No Class on November 22)

Fall Session 1 (6 Sessions): **9:00 –11:30 AM** | Cost: **\$60**

Fall Session 2 (8 Sessions): **9:00 –11:30 AM** | Cost: **\$80**

THURSDAY CLASSES

ECFE SEPTEMBER – DECEMBER 2023

FALL SESSION 1 STARTS SEPTEMBER 7

GYM TIME AT MCKINLEY

Ages 2 months– 5 years

Join us to get your wiggles out! In this weekly class, kids practice new friend making skills, try out a scooter, chase balls, walk the balance beam, crawl and run! We've got a special spot for babies to play and explore. ECFE teachers lead big movement songs and games at the end of each class.

(No Class on November 23)

Fall Session 1 (6 Sessions): **8:45 –9:45 AM** | Cost: **\$25**

Fall Session 2 (8 Sessions): **8:45 –9:45 AM** | Cost: **\$35**



Congratulations ✨
on your new ✨

BABY

STOP

*by and join
us weekly* ✨

Join other parents to share the joys and challenges of this new little human in your life! This class is free and co-led by a teacher and a public health nurse to help answer all of your questions. **No registration required!** ✨

Who: **Parents with babies 0-12 weeks**

When: **Thursdays from 10:30 - 11:45 AM**

Where: **Faribault Education Center**

340 9th Ave. SW, Door 22

PLUS
weekly
weigh-ins
for babies!

NEW! SATURDAYS' BABY Ages 2 mo - 12 mo

A relaxed playgroup facilitated by a licensed parent educator, where babies can play with and learn from each other and for parents to observe and talk about early childhood development and practical tips and tricks. Parents and babies find friendship and community in our classes and support each other through all the ages and stages

Time: **8:30 - 9:30 AM** | **Faribault Education Center**

Please register in Advance | Cost: **FREE**

September 23 | October 14 | November 11 | December 9

ONCE A MONTH EVENTS

ECFE SEPTEMBER – DECEMBER 2023

ECFE at the LIBRARY

10:00 AM: Storytime with Ms. Deni | **10:30–11:00 AM:** Activity with ECFE staff

FREE | Buckham Memorial Library

Thursdays | September 14 | October 12 | November 9

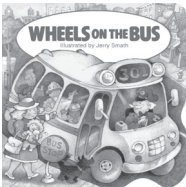
I LOVE TO READ AND MOVE

Ages 0– 5 years

Get ready to move in our child-friendly gym space at McKinley Early Childhood Center. Once per month, you and your young child can come to play games, sing songs and listen to a read aloud of a beloved children's story. Foster a love of reading through movement and play. Pre-registration is required.

Time: **6:00 – 7:15 PM** | Cost: **FREE** | Location: **McKinley Gym**

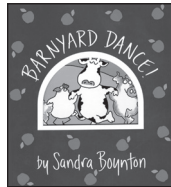
WEDNESDAY,
September 20



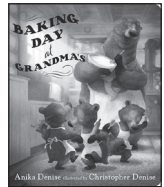
WEDNESDAY,
October 11



WEDNESDAY,
November 15



WEDNESDAY,
December 13



SUPER SATURDAY **Ages 0– 5 years**

A special event for moms, dads or grandparents and kids to play, create and learn together without the distractions of home. Sign up for one or all sessions. This class will provide guaranteed fun for you and your family! Adults remain with children for the entire class.

Time: **10:00 – 11:30 AM** | **Faribault Education Center**

Registration Required (new) \$10/family per Saturday event

September 23 – Let's Get Messy

October 14 – Pumpkin, Leaves and Apple Trees

November 11 – Dino Dig

December 9 – Gingerbread Make and Take



Hold your smartphone camera over the QR code to access the Help Me Grow website.



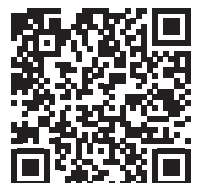
Children develop in certain, predictable ways, referred to as developmental milestones. Milestones help you understand how your child develops, learns and grows. Visit Help Me Grow to learn more or make a referral to connect with one of our birth to three team specialists.



help me **CONNECT**

Caring for young children can be one of life's most rewarding experiences and it's difficult to know where to start looking for resources when families want help supporting their little ones. Minnesota Help Me Connect is a new online navigator that connects pregnant and parenting families with young children birth to 8 years of age with services in their local communities that support healthy child development and family well-being.

Hold your smartphone camera over the QR code to access the Help Me Connect website.



EARLY CHILDHOOD SCREENING

MCKINLEY EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER

COMPREHENSIVE SCREENING OF: 

**THINKING, LANGUAGE &
COMMUNICATION SKILLS**

**VISION &
HEARING**

**SOCIAL & EMOTIONAL
DEVELOPMENT**

**HEIGHT &
WEIGHT**

**MOVEMENT
& BALANCE**

WHEN YOUR CHILD IS 3 YEARS OLD

Call McKinley Early Childhood Center at 507-333-6460 or scan the QR Code to set-up your free screening appointment

Hold your smartphone camera over the QR code to access sign up.

If you have trouble use this link in your browser:

<https://mecc.faribault.k12.mn.us/early-childhood-screening>



Appointments typically run about an hour, and both the child and parent need to be present. Screening results are based on your child's chronological age.

It is best to screen when a child turns three, but screening can also be done at age four or five.

**SIGN UP
TODAY!**

DID YOU KNOW?

- Early Child Screening is a check up on how your child is growing and developing.
- All children in Minnesota must be screened before they start kindergarten.
- Screening helps connect your family and child to community resources.

WE ARE HERE TO HELP!

We want to partner with you and make this milestone smooth and simple. If you have questions, concerns, or want more information on screening please contact us or stop by our early childhood center.

Haddii aad u baahantahay caawimaad lacag-la'aan ah ee tarjumaadda qorallkan, lambarka wac 507-333-6460.

Si desea recibir asistencia gratuita para interpretar este documento, llame al numero indicado 507-333-6460.

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION



FALL 2023

FAMILY EDUCATION & MORE

**FALL
CLASSES
SCHEDULE**

**MONTHLY
EVENTS**

**COMMUNITY
RESOURCES**

Faribault Public Schools

Independent School District #656

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Faribault, MN 55021

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