



Star Ratings help you identify programs using research-based practices that prepare children for school and life.



The School Readiness (SR) program:

- ★ Is a 4 Star Parent Aware rated, the highest rating by Minnesota's Quality Rating and Improvement System
- ★ Is for children ages 3-5 *children of all income levels are welcome to enroll
- ★ Classes run September to May following the school calendar
- ★ Has licensed teachers
- ★ Implements research based High Scope Curriculum and Second Step Early Learning Social-Emotional Curriculum
- ★ Teaches children to discover, initiate, experience, and learn about ideas, events, and people through creating, experimenting, problem solving, and resolving conflicts as they learn. This approach enhances each young person's growth in the foundation of academics as well as social-emotional development
- ★ Utilizes the Child Observation Record (COR) utilizes on-going anecdotes on each child's development and opportunities are planned and provided to promote development
- ★ Discusses development with his or her parents/caregivers on-going and at fall and spring conferences.

TO APPLY: APPLICATIONS ARE NOW AVAILABLE IN ONE OF THE FOLLOWING WAYS:

- ★ Fill out and return the form on page 11
- ★ On-line starting Jan 2 at communityed.dlschools.net/school-readiness-preschool
- ★ Printed form from the website

RETURN COMPLETED APPLICATIONS TO LINCOLN EDUCATION CENTER

(when not completed on-line) by the following: ★ Mail to: LEC, 204 Willow St E, Detroit Lakes ★ Place in the drop box outside of the LEC door ★ Email to frethwisch@detlakes.k12.mn.us

APPLICATIONS ARE ACCEPTED ON-GOING.

NOTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT: We begin notifying families in mid Feb and on-going. If classes fill, we keep a wait list and notify families when openings come up. All families are encouraged to apply as wait lists change frequently.

***TUITION/PARTICIPATION FEES** are monthly, through arranged payments, or may be reduced or waived depending upon your financial situation. Information will be included in the acceptance and enrollment letters, or contact Fran Rethwisch - frethwisch@detlakes.k12.mn.us for more information.

2024-2025 CLASS OPTIONS AND TUITION

JUMP START: For children who are at least THREE years of age by Sep 1, 2024

➡ **Tu(s) & Th(s) • 8 - 11:30AM**
\$1170 year • \$130 a month*

➡ **M(s) & W(s) • 8 - 11:30AM**
\$1170 year • \$130 a month*

➡ **M(s), W(s), & F(s) • 8 - 11:30AM**
\$1755 year • \$195 a month*

KINDERGARTEN CONNECTION: For children who are at least FOUR years of age by Sep 1, 2024

➡ **M(s)-F(s) • Full Day • 8AM - 3:30PM**
\$5760 year • \$640 per month*

➡ **M(s)-F(s) • AM Half Day • 8 - 11:30AM**
\$2880 year • \$320 per month*

➡ **M(s)-F(s) • PM Half Day • 12 - 3:30PM**
\$2880 year • \$320 per month*

EXTENDED CARE: Is available after the school day ends at 3:30 PM. If Extended Care is needed, apply when completing the School Readiness Application by checking the box under options. ***EXTENDED CARE FEES** are weekly or may be reduced depending upon your financial situation. Apply through the Child Care Assistance Program at mahube.org.

M(s)-F(s) • 3:30-5:15 pm • **\$36 WEEKLY***

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION on classes, applications, arranging a tour, or other questions, contact Fran Rethwisch at 218-847-4418 press 3, frethwisch@detlakes.k12.mn.us or visit dlschools.net, select Lincoln Education Center.