



## FIRST CLASS PRE-K Alabama's Voluntary Pre-K Program PRE-REGISTRATION

- St Clair County Schools First Class Pre-K programs are accepting online pre-registration applications for the 2023-2024 school year beginning January 15<sup>th</sup>.
- Enrollment is open to all children four years of age on or before 9/1/23\* who are residents of St Clair County in Alabama. (Children who are eligible for kindergarten are not eligible for pre-k.)
- Enrollees must provide a copy of the child's birth certificate program upon acceptance.
- Enrollees must provide proof of residence – either a current utility bill or copy of a lease or mortgage upon acceptance.
- St Clair County Pre-K programs have zoning requirements that determine eligibility for attending a program at a particular school. District zoning will be enforced.
- There is no registration fee for First Class Pre-K programs.
- Upon enrollment and acceptance, a child's immunization record must be provided to the school.
- Tuition fee based on Child Nutrition Program status (paid/reduced/free).
- No child will be denied participation on basis of income, sex, race, color, national origin, or disability.

**Pre-Registration Dates: January 15 – March 15, 2023**

**Pre-Registration Application: To pre-register, go online to  
<https://prek.alaced.ed.alabama.gov>.**



**Acceptance into a First Class Pre-K program is strictly through random drawing. Parent/Guardian does not have to be present at drawing. Email notices of acceptance status will be sent in mid-April.**

### **Random Drawing Details**

**Date: March 23, 2023**

**Time: 9:00 a.m.**

**Location: St Clair County Board of Education**

\*An opinion of the Attorney General states in effect that under the common law one's age is computed by including the day of birth so that a given age is attained the day before the birthday anniversary. ~ Ala. Code §16-28-4(1975) Interpretation based on Report of Attorney General of Alabama October-December 1963, Volume 113, page 20.