

# EARLY CHILDHOOD

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**GROWING THE FUTURE  
FAMILY STRONG**



**2024-25 ECFE Classes, Events, Child Care & Preschool**  
Opportunities for families with infant, toddler & preschool children  
to learn and grow together

# Early Childhood something for everyone

Fun, educational classes, services and activities  
for you and your child to grow and learn together...



Circle & Gym Time - Outdoor Classroom



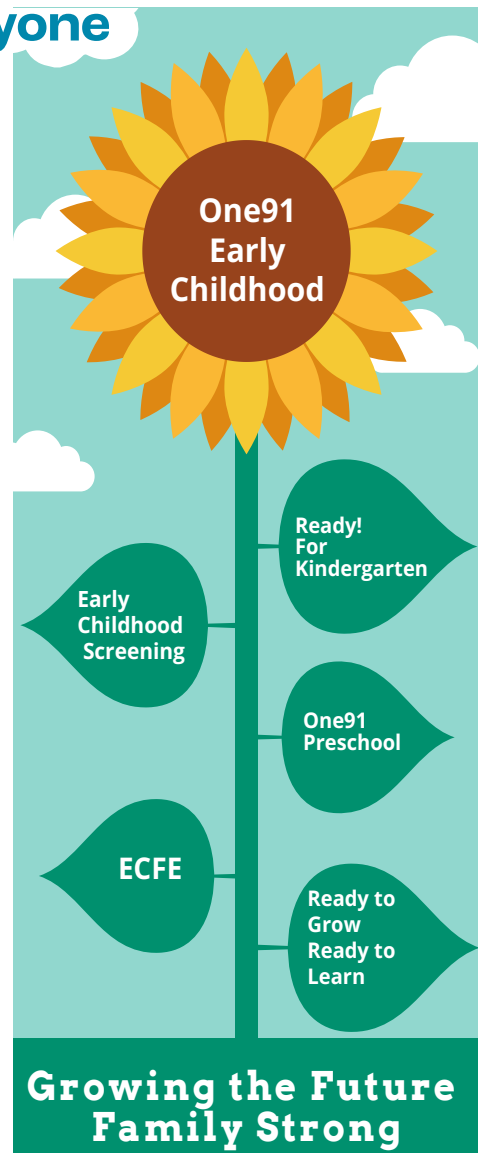
Art & Crafts  
Science & Math  
Sensory Play  
Stories



Independence - Cooperation - Relationships - Play



Building Routines  
Social Skills  
Listening  
Learning



## Early Childhood Programs CORE COMPONENTS

Parents are a child's  
first and most  
important teacher

Social emotional  
development is the  
foundation for  
strength and growth

Connecting children  
to nature through  
outdoor learning  
is essential

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Engagement  
with community  
partnerships and  
events is a valuable  
resource

MN Early Childhood  
Indicators of Progress  
is an important  
guiding tool



# ONE91 EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAMS

Nurturing the growth and development of children in the context of family and community relationships by providing a continuum of high quality family and early childhood education and experiences.

*Jumpstarts 19<sup>th</sup> Annual*

## Read for the Record

Thursday, October 24

### Piper Chen Sings

Written by Grammy winner and Tony-nominated actress Phillipa Soo, Maris Pasquale Doran and illustrated by Qin Leng.

Piper Chen Sings is a story about a young girl who loves to express herself through singing but is struck with self-doubt and nervousness when asked to perform a solo in front of an audience. Piper tells her Nai Nai that she felt “like butterflies were having a dance party” in her belly; she doesn’t feel she can sing in front of others without making a mistake. Thankfully, Nai Nai teaches Piper that feeling butterflies means “something exciting was ahead” and that recognizing and welcoming that anxious feeling would help it pass. Nai Nai’s advice empowers Piper, who finds her voice on stage.

District 191 celebrates early literacy by reading along with thousands of schools, libraries, organizations and communities.



Early Childhood programs include ECFE, Screening, Preschool, Ready To Grow/Learn - Early Care & Education

## ECFE Early Childhood Family Education

Our classes provide families with warm and welcoming environments designed with the whole family in mind. Activity time is rich with play & learn stations that spark curiosity and exploration for parents and children. Enjoy quality time with your child, meet new people and see old friends.

Parent discussion time supports adults and provides information helpful for parenting in today’s world.

Two hour classes consist of parent-child activity time, followed by parent discussion, which is led by a licensed Family Educator in a separate space. During 90 minute classes, parent discussion may be less formal since families stay together the entire time.

### Registration is Ongoing

Tuition is based on a Sliding Fee Scale which is determined by income. See details on page 10. Full payment must accompany each registration.

### Fall Quarter September 3- December 20

No class: Oct 14-18, Nov 5, 11, 28, 29, Dec 22-Jan 1

### Winter Quarter January 2-March 28

No class: Jan 1, 17, 20, Feb 17, Mar 5, 6, 7, 31

### Spring Quarter April 8-June 5

No Class May 2, 26

## Burnsville Festival & Fire Muster!

September 5-7

We'll be walking in the Community Parade Saturday at 11 am. You'll also find us at the family -friendly International. Drink Station by 191 Community Education. Look for new menu items!

## Fall Family Fun Night

Monday, October 7

Explore spaces and places to create, relax, and plenty of activities. Classrooms are set up with activities focused on your child's growing skills. Food is available for purchase. We've invited community partners to join us. \$10 family fee. Activities are best suited for children up to age 6.

FF Oct7 M Oct 7 5:30-7:30 pm DEC \$10 family fee

## Kindergarten Information Nights

Kindergarten Information Nights take place in January.

Watch [isd191.org](http://isd191.org) for more information.

# 2024-25 ECFE Infant & Toddlers (Room 1030)

Infant Toddler classes are non-separating. Parent discussion takes place in the children's classroom.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
10-11:30 am Toddlers 16-33 months E2-62	8:30-10 am Infants NB-15 months E0-12  11 am-12:30 pm Infants & Toddlers NB-33 months E2-12	8-9:30 am Infants & Toddlers NB-33 months E2-22  10-11:30 am Tiny Toddlers 10-20 months E1-12  6-7:30 pm Infants & Toddlers Playtime NB-33 months E0-32	12:30-2:30 pm Sibling Care For Preschool Plus families. 4-36 months	9-10:30 am Tiny Toddlers 10-20 months E1-22  11 am-12:30 pm Infants NB-15 months E0-22	8:45-10:15 am Infant & Toddler Playtime NB-33 months E2-32

## One91 ECFE Offers Families

A community & sense of belonging • Social benefits for children & parents • Valuable parenting time that includes support & quality information  
Our ECFE teaching teams are growing - not all positions have been filled therefore teacher names are not listed. See the online version of ECFE offerings for the most up to date information at [communityed191.org](https://communityed191.org)

# 2024-25 ECFE Mixed Age Classes (Room 1031 & 1033)

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>9:30-11:30 am <b>Mixed Ages</b> NB-PreK Rm 1033 E5-12</p> <p>9:45-11:45 am <b>2s &amp; 3s</b> 24-48 months Rm 1031 E3-22</p> <p>12:30-2:30 pm <b>Parents &amp; Preschool</b> 2-5 years Rm 1033 E3-32</p> <p>4-5:30 pm <b>Art Start</b> NB-Age 8 Rm 1033 EX-12</p> <p><b>Special Event</b> <b>Family Fun Night</b> Oct 7, 5:30-7:30 pm Diamondhead</p> <p>5:45-7:45 pm <b>Me and My Dad</b> NB-Age 8 Rm 1033 EX-22</p>	<p>9:30-11:30 am <b>Preschool Plus</b> 33-48 months Rm 1033 Drop-off Day Yearlong</p> <p>9:45-11:45 am <b>Book Discussions</b> "Whole Brain Child" NB-PreK Rm 1031 E5-32</p> <p>12:30-2:30 pm <b>Preschool Plus</b> 33-48 months Rm 1033 Drop-off Day Yearlong</p> <p>12:45-2:45 pm <b>Making a Difference</b> (ECFE Advisory Council is for residents of ISD 191) NB-PreK Rm 1031 EC-12</p> <p>6-7:30 pm <b>Evening Family Playtime</b> NB-PreK Rm 1033</p>	<p>9:30-11:30 am <b>ECFE Connections</b> (ECSE-Inclusion) Mixed Ages Rm 1033 NB-PreK E5-52</p> <p>9:45-11:45 am <b>Grand Day with</b> <b>Grandparents</b> NB-PreK Rm 1031 E5-62</p> <p>12:30-2:30 pm <b>Preschool Plus</b> 33-48 months Rm 1033 Parent Discussion Day Somali interpreter January-June</p>	<p>9:30-11:30 am <b>Preschool Plus</b> 33-48 months Rm 1033 Parent Discussion Day Yearlong</p> <p>9:45-11:45 am <b>2s &amp; 3s</b> 24-48 months Rm 1031 E3-12</p> <p>12:30-2:30 pm <b>Preschool Plus</b> Parent Discussion Day Spanish interpreter Yearlong</p> <p>12:45-2:45 pm <b>Mixed Ages</b> NB-PreK Rm 1031 E5-72</p>	<p>9:30-11:30 am <b>Mixed Ages</b> NB-PreK Rm 1033 E5-82</p> <p>9:45-11:45 am <b>Mixed Ages</b> NB-PreK Rm 1031 E5-92</p> <p>12:30-2:30 pm <b>Preschool Plus</b> 33-48 months Drop-off Day Rm 1033 January-June</p>	<p>10:45 am-12:15 pm <b>Saturday Family Playtime</b> NB-Age 8 Rm 1031 EX-32</p>

# INFANTS & TODDLERS Newborn To Age 3

Infant and toddler classes are set up with age appropriate activities in a safe environment geared toward building skills and confidence. Smaller age brackets offer parents the opportunity to meet other families with similar aged children while receiving support and information specific to the age and stage of their child.

**Most classes are 90 minutes and are non-separating.**



## Infants NB-15 months

Families with new babies in the home are typically curious about sleep, nutrition and changing duties in the family. Adults who attend class request additional information unique to their family's needs and curiosity. We welcome your questions and look forward to knowing you and your family. [Sliding Fee A](#)

E0-12	T	Sep 3-Dec 17	8:30-10 am	Room 1030
E0-22	F	Sep 6-Dec 20	11 am-12:30 pm	Room 1030

## Tiny Toddlers 10-20 months

Come explore our classroom space designed to keep the youngest walkers safe and learning. This added mobility increases the need for discussions about child safety. It's comforting to be among children and families learning similar skills. [Sliding Fee A](#)

E1-12	W	Sep 4-Dec 18	10-11:30 am	Room 1030
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## Infants & Toddlers NB-33 months

Growing families may be looking for a safe place for an infant and toddler to play together with children of this same age. You'll find support and information related to your growing child and your role as a parent or primary caregiver. [Sliding Fee A](#)

E2-12	T	Sep 3-Dec 17	11 am-12:30 pm	Room 1030
E2-22	W	Sep 4-Dec 18	8-9:30 am	Room 1030

## Toddlers 16-33 months

These amazing humans are growing at a rapid pace. One word communicates a need. Walking shifts to climbing and running. All these changes swing from fascinating to frustrating! Join with other families for support and ideas to help your toddler continue to learn and grow. [Sliding Fee A](#)

E2-52	F	Sep 6-Dec 20	9-10:30 am	Room 1030
E2-62	M	Sep 9-Dec 16	10-11:30 am	Room 1030

## Two & Three Years Old

**24-48 months** [Sliding Fee B](#)

E3-12	Th	Sep 5-Dec 19	9:45-11:45 am	Room 1031
E3-22	M	Sep 9-Dec 16	9:45-11:45 am	Room 1031

## Making a Difference

### Free ECFE Class for Advisory Council Members & Their Child NB-PreK

Share your ideas- join the ECFE Advisory Council. Included in your ECFE class is a monthly Advisory Council meeting held during your regular class time. This free opportunity is reserved for residents of District 191 who serve on the Advisory Council.

No class November 7 and during quarter breaks.

EC-12	Tu	Sep 3-Dec 17	12:45-2:45 pm	Rm 1031
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### Interested in joining the Advisory Council

Email to [csampers@isd191.org](mailto:csampers@isd191.org) and let us know a little bit about yourself and why you would like to join.

### GROWING THE FUTURE FAMILY STRONG





# MIXED AGE CLASSES Newborn-Age 8

ECFE offers a variety of classes for families with children newborn through pre-kindergarten age. Families enjoy a wide assortment of activities, support and connections during class. In a 2 hour class, families are together for a portion of class and then adults separate for more in depth parenting discussion.



## Mixed Ages Sliding Fee B

Infants, toddlers and preschoolers are combined for this family class where the conversation shifts from sleep and nutrition to personality development, helping children succeed in school and managing a growing family.

E5-52	W	Sep 4-Dec 18	9:30-11:30 am	Rm 1033
E5-72	Th	Sep 5-Dec 19	12:45-2:45 pm	Rm 1031
E5-82	F	Sep 6-Dec 20	9:30-11:30 am	Rm 1033
E5-92	F	Sep 6-Dec 20	9:45-11:45 am	Rm 1031
E5-12	M	Sep 9-Dec 16	9:30-11:30 am	Rm 1033

## Book Class “Whole Brain Child”

**NB-PreK** Sliding Fee B

Copies of the book are available for your use.

E5-32	Tu	Sep 3-Dec 17	9:45-11:45 am	Rm 1031
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## Grand Day with Grandparents

**NB-PreK** Sliding Fee B

E5-62	W	Sep 4-Dec 18	9:45-11:45 am	Rm 1031
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## Parents & Preschoolers

**Age 2-5** Sliding Fee B

Are you looking for another day of preschool fun or a way to introduce your child to group activities? Check out this class especially for preschoolers and their families. Expect an afternoon of fun and learning through multiple learning stations. We'll also share simple ways to enhance day to day routines for learning at home.

E3-32	M	Sep 9-Dec 16	12:30-2:30 pm	Rm 1033
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## Extended Years NB-Age 8

**Art Start** Sliding Fee A

EX-12	M	Sep 9-Dec 16	4-5:30 pm	Rm 1033
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**Me and My Dad** Sliding Fee B

EX-22	M	Sep 9-Dec 16	5:45-7:45 pm	Rm 1033
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## Playtimes

**NB-33 months** Rm 1030

E0-32	W	Sep 4-Dec 18	6-7:30 pm	\$75 Family Fee
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E2-32	S	Sep 14, 28, Oct 12, 26, Nov 9, 23, Dec 7, 21	8:45-10:15 am	\$40 Family Fee
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**NB-PreK** \$75 Family Fee

E5-42	T	Sep 3-Dec 17	Rm 1033	6-7:30 pm
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**NB-Age 8** \$40 Family Fee

EX-32	S	Sep 14, 28, Oct 12, 26, Nov 9, 23, Dec 7, 21	Room 1031	10:45 am-12:15 pm
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## EVERY CHILD COUNTS IN 191!

Every year, all families enrolled in an early childhood program should complete an Application for Educational Benefits. By completing an application you help to ensure that the District receives much-needed state and federal funding it deserves.

Applications are available online  
[isd191.org/enroll/application-for-educational-benefits](http://isd191.org/enroll/application-for-educational-benefits)  
 or ask your teacher for a paper copy.

# Ready to Grow & Ready to Learn

## Care for Young Children

Year-round Monday-Friday

7 am-5:30 pm

Flexible care schedules at Diamondhead Education Center. For more information or to schedule a tour for either Ready to Grow or Ready to Learn, contact Lyndsay at 952-707-4146, lgriffin@isd191.org.

## Ready to Grow

Infant/Toddler Care

6 weeks to 3 years

You and your infant or toddler benefit from individualized care. Ready to Grow embraces the philosophy of primary care giving that allows for nurturing and attachment to and from your child's primary caregiver.

## Ready to Learn

Care & Education

33 months to 5 years

The Ready to Learn curriculum focuses on school readiness in the areas of language and literacy, science and math, creative art and music, dramatic play and movement as well as health and nutrition. We believe play is a central component to the curriculum.



We've earned  
the highest rating...  
**4 Stars!**

Ready to Grow/Ready to Learn  
is proud to have earned our  
Parent Aware Four-Star Rating!

This Parent Aware Rating means we're  
using school readiness best practices  
to make sure the kids we care for are  
prepared for kindergarten.

# Ready for School?

If you have a 3, 4 or 5-year-old,  
check in with us before  
kindergarten to make sure  
your child is on track.



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**Register  
today!**

## What is early childhood screening?

Screening is an early look at a child's development and begins as early as age three. This can give parents peace of mind that their child is developing normally, and if needed, allows health and developmental concerns to be addressed at least one to two years before a child enters kindergarten.

The state of Minnesota requires health and developmental screening for every child before they start kindergarten. Burnsville-Eagan-Savage District 191 offers this service at no cost.

**REGISTER TODAY!**



Early childhood screening checks:

-  Fine and gross motor skills
-  Vision and hearing
-  Speech and language development
-  Height and weight
-  Cognitive and social development
-  Immunizations



If you have a child under the age of 3 and have  
concerns about their development

Call Early Childhood Special Education at 952-895-6610



## Learn more about how young children develop!

Help Me Grow has many resources for parents and professionals, including information on developmental milestones, caregiver strategies to support development, and how screening and evaluation can benefit young children.

[www.helpmegrowmn.org](http://www.helpmegrowmn.org)





## Photos in Classes

One91 Early Childhood Programs periodically take pictures of participants in our classes and during other sponsored activities. These photos may be used in community education and district publications or other promotional materials.

By registering for a class with us, you are giving permission for use of your photos. If you do not wish to have your picture taken or published, you must provide us written notice in advance.

## Email Notifications

Include your email address on your registration. We send a confirmation email and messages regarding changes to class via email. We will never give your information to any other agency it is strictly for use by District 191.

## Weather Cancellations

Alerts will be posted on the District and Community Education websites. Information will be relayed through local television and radio stations along with Facebook and Twitter accounts.

## Immunizations

Minnesota law requires children enrolled in early education programs to be immunized against certain diseases or file a legal medical or conscientious exemption. Immunizations must be on file PRIOR to the start date of class, current as appropriate to the child's age or in progress, in order to attend One91 Early Childhood Programs.

District 191 requires immunization records for Early Childhood Family Education (ECFE) classes that run six weeks or more, One91 Preschool, and Kindergarten classes.

Submit a current copy of your child's immunization records to the District 191 Early Childhood Nurse, Fax to 952-707-4166 or complete the Early Childhood Immunization Form on our website and mail or drop off at the Community Education office at Diamondhead Education Center.

## Class Cancellations

If Community Education cancels class due to low enrollment, you will receive a full refund. If you cancel out of a class more than 5 business days before the class start date, you will receive a refund less a \$10 processing fee. If you cancel less than 5 business days before the start of a class or activity there will be no refund. No refunds for online classes once the meeting information has been sent.

If you find that a class is not the right fit for you or your child, contact us after the first week of class for assistance in finding a better fit. If a class is not available, you will receive a credit on your community education account for use on a future class.



*Our experienced and caring teaching staff lead parents and children in engaging and stimulating activities that spark curiosity and exploration.*

# ECFE REGISTRATION



**Return with payment to ECFE 200 W. Burnsville Parkway, Burnsville, MN 55337**

**Payment, and a copy of immunization record must be submitted at the time of registration**

**Please register each child attending class. Do not send cash in the mail**

Parent/Guardian Name \_\_\_\_\_

Child Attending	Birth Date	Class Name	ID#	\$
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Child Attending	Birth Date	Class Name	ID#	\$
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Child Attending	Birth Date	Class Name	ID#	\$
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Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone	Work/Cell Phone
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Email	Annual Income
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District Resident: \_\_\_Yes \_\_\_No ☐ Cash ☐ Check

☐ Visa/MC/Discover \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. \_\_\_/\_\_\_ Cardholder Signature \_\_\_\_\_

UCare No. (If applicable) \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Fee assistance request: I am able to pay \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## ECFE Tuition -Sliding Fee Scale

Fees vary according to class length and number of sessions. All classes offer a sliding fee based on total family income. We encourage all families to participate in ECFE regardless of payment. Choose what you feel you are able to pay or indicate waive fee when registering. Limit of one fee waiver per quarter.

Annual Income	Fee A 90 minutes	Fee B 2 hours
0-\$19,999	\$30	\$40
\$20-44,999	\$50	\$60
\$45-64,999	\$75	\$85
\$70-84,999	\$100	\$110
\$85,000 & Up	\$130	\$150

## Registration is ongoing

1. Register online at [communityed191.org](http://communityed191.org) or at the Diamondhead Education Center office
2. Choose your classes and special events
3. Determine the fee based on our sliding fee scale
4. Complete Registration & Immunization information and submit with payment

# ONE91 PRESCHOOL

## Sparkling the Love of Learning

In preschool, Pathways learning is designed to spark the love of learning. Our students widen their worlds and build foundational skills to continue their learning journey.

Children learn and grow best through play experiences. We embed skill-building into play to promote healthy development of the whole child throughout the classroom. For example, math skills show up at the snack table, the block corner, in cooking activities and more.



## Flexible Programs for Every Family

One91 Preschool provides flexible options for families based on schedule, location and cost. No matter which option, One91 Preschool is ready to spark curiosity, creativity, engagement, knowledge, and a love of learning in each child. Fees are based on income unless otherwise listed. Scholarships may be available for qualifying residents of District 191. [Watch for an email from your classroom teacher with Open House information.](#)

## Preschool Options

For more information contact, [preschool@isd191.org](mailto:preschool@isd191.org), or 952-707-4110.

Puede llamar a Maricela Dale al 9 952-707-4165 para asistencia en español.

Haddii ad af Somaali ku hadlasiid fadlan Ardo Ibrahim wac 952-707-4158.

### PreKindergarten

**Must be 4 years of age by Sept 1, 2024 and not yet kindergarten eligible**

This option immerses students in the elementary school experience. Space is limited. Transportation and meal service available. Independent toileting skills required (no pull ups). Free for District 191 residents. 4 days per week, Tuesday-Friday, mornings or afternoons at each of the district's neighborhood elementary schools

### Preschool

**Must be 3 years of age by Sept 1, 2024**

The benefit of this mixed age group of 3-5 year olds, is peer modeling and leadership skills. Our most flexible option. No transportation or meals provided. Independent toileting skills are required (no pull ups). Fee based. 2, 3, or 4 days per week, mornings or afternoons at Diamondhead Education Center

### Preschool Plus **Preschool Plus con un interprete de español**

**Must be 3 years of age by Dec 1, 2024**

Transition into preschool through this part-time option that includes time for parents and children. Fee based. Independent toileting skills are not required. No transportation or meals provided. Sibling Care available. Watch for details for upcoming open houses in September. More information will be mailed to registered participants. 2 days per week (1 day child only, 1 day child+parent), mornings or afternoons at Diamondhead Education Center

## Fall 2024 Preschool Registration is ongoing on a space available basis

To apply, download the application packet at [communityed191.org](http://communityed191.org). ONLY COMPLETE applications will be accepted and considered for enrollment: [preschool@isd191.org](mailto:preschool@isd191.org). Priority enrollment is given to District 191 students.

We accept applications until all seats are filled.

***Registration information for next year, the fall of 2025 will become available in mid-February.***



# EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAMS

Fun, educational classes, services and special events for you and your child to grow and learn together... Just look inside!



## Kindergarten Information Nights

Watch for more information in  
late January & early February.

Learn more about kindergarten in  
District 191 at [isd191.org/kindergarten](http://isd191.org/kindergarten)

## Four Seasons of Learning...

### Our Outdoor Classroom Connects Children with The Natural World Year Round

The outdoor classroom is more than just a play space. Its purpose is to provide children with more connection and experiences with the natural world. Research shows many benefits to learning with nature, including stress reduction, higher concentration skills, improved fitness, increased social interaction, creativity and enhanced overall development.

