

# 2025-2026 Pre-K Enrollment

## Step 1: Learn about Jeffco Preschools on School Finder

School Finder is a valuable tool to assist you in making well-informed decisions when choosing a preschool that fits your student's needs. Find information like school data, programs offered, and more:

[JPS.click/schoolfinder](https://jps.click/schoolfinder)

## Step 2: Complete Enrollment on EnrollJeffco

You will use EnrollJeffco whether your student is re-enrolling at the same preschool, changing schools, or new to Jeffco [EnrollJeffco.org](https://enrolljeffco.org)

### EnrollJeffco Round 1

**December 5, 2024** enrollment window opens and **RETURNERS** must confirm if they are returning to the same school **BEFORE** round 1 closes  
**January 17, 2025** enrollment window closes

### EnrollJeffco Round 2

**January 23, 2025** enrollment window opens  
**January 28, 2025** lottery results sent to families

## Step 3: Complete Universal Preschool Application(UPK)

All 4-year-old families must apply annually to receive UPK tuition assistance [UPK.colorado.gov](https://upk.colorado.gov)

### UPK Round 1

**December 17, 2024** window opens for all families  
**February 3-10, 2025** families must accept or decline pre-registration matches  
**February 24, 2025** new families will be notified of match and must accept or decline by March 3, 2025

### UPK Round 2

**March 10, 2025** match process begins  
**March 24, 2025** new families will be notified of match and must accept or decline by March 31, 2025



### Current Tuition Rates (24-25)\*

**3-Year-Olds, for students who turn 3 on or before October 1, 2025**  
Half-Day Session: \$500/month  
Full-Day Session: \$1000/month

**4-Year-Olds, for students who turn 4 on or before October 1, 2025**  
Half-Day Session: Free W/UPK registration  
Full-Day Session: \$500/month W/UPK  
**We accept CCAP**

\*Tuition subject to change for 2025-26 school year

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# Preschool Curriculum

## The Creative Curriculum in Jeffco's Preschools

Each Study within the Creative Curriculum is aligned to Colorado Preschool Standards and Teaching Strategies Gold Objectives for Development and Learning, and written for mastery by the end of the preschool experience (approximately 5 years old). While engaging in the learning found within the Studies:

- Students build capacity to think, talk, problem solve, “write”, and “read” while engaging with key social emotional and cognitive skills through meaningful and challenging tasks
- Concepts weave through content so teachers use one content to put another to work. For example, a text-based literacy lesson using a fiction or nonfiction text can teach print concepts while at the same time teach specific content-based concepts.
- Opportunities for written expression are incorporated across all parts of the day as authentic evidence of learning.

Student interest and experiences guide teacher decision making as the Creative Curriculum Studies are brought to life in play. Teachers create a caring, equitable, and inclusive community of learners where information is available through a variety of materials and experiences.

Children are naturally curious about their environment and therefore, play is an essential component of our programming. In an ever-evolving, purposefully designed environment, children experience self-directed learning opportunities where they practice skills aligned with their needs and development. Play promotes a language-rich environment that fosters problem-solving skills, self-regulation, and cognitive and social competencies alongside learning of content knowledge. The studies support development of the whole child throughout their preschool experience.