

At StormHawks Preschool, we create a dynamic and engaging learning environment where children are encouraged to explore, imagine, and grow. Our inclusive classrooms foster a love of learning through stimulating activities that promote creativity, critical thinking, and independence.

We emphasize a balance between social-emotional development and academic growth, ensuring each child feels supported and confident. Aligned with Eastern Carver County Schools' K-12 curriculum and strategic goals, we collaborate with special education and kindergarten teams to help children transition seamlessly into their next educational journey.



What Makes StormHawks Preschool Exceptional?

- Inclusive and Developmentally Appropriate: Programs promote active learning and progress across all developmental areas.
- **Play-Based and Personalized Learning:** Exploration and hands-on activities.
- **Kindergarten Readiness:** Classrooms prepare children for a seamless transition to district schools.
- **Highly Qualified Teachers:** Licensed by the Minnesota Department of Education, many of our teachers hold Master's degrees in teaching or related fields.
- **Strong Partnerships:** Collaboration with Eastern Carver County Early Childhood Special Education ensures comprehensive support for all learners.
- **Parent Aware Four-Star Rated:** Recognized for providing high-quality educational opportunities for our youngest learners

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StormHawks Wrap Around Care

To complement your child's preschool day, we offer StormHawks Wrap Around Care—a flexible childcare program designed to meet the needs of families and provide enriching experiences for children aged 3 years to those entering kindergarten.

Our program features:

- **Engaging Activities:** Active play, hands-on experiential learning, and a variety of interest-based activities to inspire curiosity and creativity.
- **Social-Emotional Focus:** Utilizing the Zones of Regulation and Pyramid Model, Wrap Around Care aligns with StormHawks Preschool to foster healthy social-emotional development in our youngest learners.
- **Convenience:** Care is available on your child's scheduled preschool days. This service is optional at the Family Learning Center and required at our elementary locations.



StormHawks Taste of Preschool

2¹/₂-3 years by 9/1/25

For young children eager to explore the preschool experience, we offer Taste of Preschool—a program designed to nurture social skills, foster independence, and inspire discovery through creative play. Children will make new friends, explore fresh ideas, and gain confidence in a supportive environment. Choose child-only or a Parent Ed option with parents attending on Tuesdays.

Family Learning Center	T/Th with Parent Ed Parents attend Tuesday	9:30 - 11:30 AM	\$160/month
Family Learning Center	T/ThChild only	9:30 - 11:30 AM	\$160/month

StormHawks Nature Preschool

Experience the magic of nature in our StormHawks Nature Preschool-- place where learning and growth happen amidst the beauty of nature. Our program is designed for curious young minds who thrive in discovery-based, hands-on learning environments and enjoy spending extended time outdoors.

Children will develop personalized academic skills across multiple areas, including social-emotional, cognitive, physical, and creative growth, with a strong emphasis on pre-math and pre-literacy development. The natural world serves as our ultimate classroom, inspiring exploration and fostering a lifelong love of learning.

To fully participate, children must have prerequisite skills including full toilet training and the ability to remain attentive and stay with the group. Families receive a recommended list to ensure proper outdoor gear. The class includes learning days at Camp Fire Minnesota, with ongoing collaboration between their naturalist staff and our preschool staff.

FAMILY LEARNING CENTER StormHawks Nature Preschool

Family Learning Center	Monday through Friday	1:15-3:45 PM	\$450/month
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StormHawks Nature Preschool offers <u>optional</u> wrap-around care participation. Those interested will pick your days for care (2-5 per week) after enrolling in preschool. Our Care team will follow up with you in February to provide additional registration details. Care registration and schedule selection will officially open on April 8th, alongside school-age Care programming.

StormHawks 3 Year Old Preschool

StormHawks Preschool is committed to meeting the needs of every learner. The curriculum has a strong emphasis on social-emotional, cognitive, physical, and creative development while introducing premath and pre-literacy skills. Both on and off-site field trips are a part of our classroom experiences. Parents are welcome and encouraged to visit on field trips and participate in special preschool events.

FAMILY LEARNING CENTER StormHawks Preschool

Family Learning Center	T/Th or M/W/F or M-F	9:30 AM-12:00 PM	\$180/\$270/\$450/month
Family Learning Center	Monday through Thursday	1:15-3:45 PM	\$360/month

StormHawks Preschool at the Family Learning Center offers <u>optional</u> wrap-around care participation. Those interested will pick your days for care (2-5 per week) after enrolling in preschool. Our Care team will follow up with you in February to provide additional registration details. Care registration and schedule selection will officially open on April 8th, alongside school-age Care programming.

3 years by 9/1/25

3¹/2-5 years by 9/1/25

StormHawks Preschool 2025/2026



StormHawks 4 Year Old Preschool

4 years by 9/1/25 & 5 years not in Kindergarten

StormHawks Preschool is dedicated to supporting the unique needs of every child. Our curriculum emphasizes social-emotional, cognitive, physical, and creative development, with a strong focus on pre-math and pre-literacy skills.

For older preschoolers, instructional time in pre-math and pre-literacy is intentionally increased to ensure readiness for Kindergarten. Our curriculum is aligned with Eastern Carver County Schools' K-12 framework, building a solid foundation for future academic success.

Classroom experiences are enriched with both on-site and off-site field trips, creating opportunities for hands-on learning and exploration. Parents are encouraged to join us for these field trips and participate in special preschool events, fostering a sense of community and collaboration.

FAMILY LEARNING CENTER Storm	nHawks Preschool		
Family Learning Center	Mon/Wed/Fri	9:30 AM - 12:00 PM	\$270/month
Family Learning Center	Monday through Friday	9:30 AM - 12:00 PM	\$450/month
Family Learning Center	Monday through Friday	1:15-3:45 PM	\$450/month

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BLUFF CREEK StormHawks Pre	school plus Wrap Around Care		
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StormHawks Preschool at Victoria requires wrap-around care participation. You will pick your days for care (3-5 per week) after enrolling in preschool.



The Pyramid Model

The Pyramid Model assists programs in their implementation of sustainable systems for supporting Social and Emotional Competencies in young children. It is supported by the Minnesota Centers of Excellence and focuses on social, emotional and behavioral outcomes of young children, reducing the use of inappropriate discipline practices, promoting family engagement, using data for decision-making, integrating early childhood mental health consultation and fostering inclusion.

Financial Assistance:

If there is a need for financial assistance, please submit the financial aid request form (along with all required documents listed on the form) to the Community Education office. Financial aid requests are reviewed when all documents are complete. Financial assistance is awarded based on need as well as the funds available to distribute. The request form can be found online. eccs.mn/preschool

Zones of Regulation Classroom teachers introduce Zones of Regulation, a socialemotional learning curriculum that is an empowering instructional tool to build safe, supportive environments that foster learning and well-being for all. Students benefit from:

- Increased self-awareness and social and emotional skills
- A common language for communication, problemsolving, and emotional understanding
- More time spent on learning instead of on behavior • management
- A healthier, more inclusive school climate

Transportation

Transportation requests are dependent on qualifying factors for eligible half-day preschool students attending the Family Learning Center only. Transportation requires an additional monthly fee. To request transportation please complete the form found online. eccs.mn/preschool

Registration opens for current StormHawks and ECFE children and their siblings on Wednesday, Jan. 8. Requests are processed in the order they are received.

New families are invited to register beginning January 22. We will begin processing new family contracts in the order they were received, as space allows.

Registration Procedure:

- □ Enroll into StormHawks Preschool online at **ce4all.org** with non-refundable \$50 enrollment fee. This fee is not refundable for a participant-initiated cancellation. If classes are full, no fee will be charged.
- □ Schedule an early childhood screening appointment: eccs.mn/screening
- Copy of records: birth certificate immunization form Deliver or email to: 110600 Village Road Chaska, MN 55318 communityed@district112.org
- U Watch for an email regarding Wrap Around Care enrollment For those at BCE, CHN, VES as required. And for those at FLC who indicate they need wrap around care

StormHawks Preschool Locations

Bluff Creek Elementary

Chanhassen Elementary 7600 Laredo Drive Chanhassen, MN 55317

Family Learning Center 110600 Village Road Chaska, MN 55318

Victoria Elementary

StormHawks Preschool is offered at buildings where classroom space is available. With the exception of the Family Learning Center, StormHawks locations may change year-to-year, dependent on K-5 enrollment.