

Pre-K Registration Begins April 1

www.PREKDALLAS.org



BY REGISTERING YOUR CHILD IN DALLAS ISD PRE-K, YOU GIVE THEM THE GIFT OF A BRIGHTER FUTURE.

WHEN



Beginning April 1 for the 2025-2026 school year

WHO



Eligible 3-and 4-year-olds

3-year-olds
attend half or full-day

4-year-olds
attend full-day

FREE PRE-K



To be eligible, a child must be 3-or-4-years-old on or before Sept. 1 and must meet at least one of the criteria listed below:

- Eligible for free/reduced lunch (NSLP)
- Unable to speak and comprehend the English language
- Homeless
- Foster care (currently or formerly)
- Child of an active duty member of the armed forces or a member of the armed forces killed/injured during active duty
- Child of a Star of Texas Award recipient

WHERE



www.PREKDALLAS.org

For assistance visit your legacy school or a Pre-K Partnership Center site

SCHOLARSHIP PRE-K



Students that do not qualify based on the criteria listed above, may still qualify for free Pre-K through the Pre-K Scholarship:

- Student groups with historical academic needs as identified in district data (currently identified as African American students)
- Expanded income
- Native English speaker unable to speak and comprehend the English language. Parents should request their child be evaluated for English language proficiency

HOW



1. www.PREKDALLAS.org
2. Parent completes the Pre-K registration online
3. Dallas ISD staff determines whether students qualify for free Pre-K, Pre-K Scholarship or Tuition-based Pre-K

DOCUMENTATION



Items will need to be uploaded via online registration:

- Birth certificate
- Parent/Guardian picture ID
- Parent income
- Medicaid benefits letter *
- SNAP/TANF benefits letter *
- Foster care documentation *
- Military service documentation #
- Star of Texas Award documentation #
- Proof of address
- Immunizations
- Social security card *

* if applicable *optional

TUITION PRE-K



Students who don't meet eligibility for free Pre-K or for the Pre-K Scholarship can enroll in tuition-based Pre-K. Tuition-based Pre-K is available at all elementary schools where Pre-K is offered.

- Tuition students may register beginning April 1, but will not be approved until May.
- Tuition students will be approved only if there is space available after students who qualify for free Pre-K have been approved.

