



# Edina Early Learning and Family Center

School Year 2026-2027



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**Early Learning  
and Family Center**  
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## A Message from Superintendent Dr. Daniel Bittman

Dear Edina Families,

It is my great privilege to welcome you to the Early Learning and Family Center! For years, you might have known us as the Early Learning Center. Our new name reflects an important truth: families are truly at the center of our community, and our work is most meaningful when we honor that reality.

The Early Learning and Family Center supports your family's journey from your child's birth through the wonderful milestone of entering kindergarten. From the beloved Early Childhood Family Education (ECFE) program to kindergarten preparation, we offer experiences designed for every member of the family. This isn't just a place where children learn—it's a place where families belong, connect, and grow together.

Throughout my years in education, I've learned that the most powerful learning happens when schools and families work side by side. We see ourselves as partners coming alongside you in your unique parenting journey. Every family brings wisdom, strengths, and dreams for their children, and our role is to support, encourage, and walk with you as your children discover the world around them.

At the heart of everything we do is our commitment to whole child learning. Our programs are designed to honor the uniqueness of each child and their interconnected social, emotional, physical, and cognitive needs. When we encourage creativity, foster curiosity, and nurture resilience and joy alongside academic skills, we help children develop the strong foundation they need to thrive. This catalog reflects the range of experiences we've designed to support every aspect of your child's growth and development.

Thank you for entrusting us with your most precious gift—your children. We look forward to learning, growing, and building community together.

With gratitude,

Dr. Daniel Bittman  
Interim Superintendent  
Edina Public Schools

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**2026/27 ELFC School Year**  
September 2–June 4



**ELFC Open House**  
January 10, 2026 9 am–11 am

Can't make the open house? Schedule a tour! Tours are available by appointment Monday–Friday.

## Meet the ELFC Team



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## Connect with us on social media!

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Edina Early Learning and Family Center ofrece clases para niños desde el nacimiento hasta los cinco años y sus familias. Si necesita ayuda para registrarse en español llame al 952-848-3900.

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# The Early Learning and Family Center Welcomes You!

The Early Learning and Family Center educational offerings are here for your family as soon as you welcome your baby.

## The Edina Early Learning and Family Center Offers:

- Support for you and your child from day one, with classes for newborns through preschool.
- A family education program with tools and resources so you can parent with confidence
- A developmentally appropriate, play-based learning approach.
- An opportunity to connect with other families and opportunities in our community.
- A place to belong and connect with other young families and discover ways to share your talents.



“The Early Learning and Family Center creates a welcoming, inclusive environment where every child and family is valued. We provide high-quality, play-based instruction that respects individual learning styles, and promotes exploration, creativity, and growth.” **Kim Isley** | Assistant Director, Early Learning



Our programs fall into three categories, described below.

**Early Childhood Family Education (ECFE)**

- Unique to Minnesota, ECFE classes provide opportunities for children and parents to learn and grow together.
- Parent education is provided either separate from children or together, depending on age and family choice.
- ECFE classes are offered from birth to 5 years, with many options to fit your schedule.
- **NEW!** Look for a catalog specific to ECFE in your mailbox this Spring, registration opens May 19.

**Preschool**

- Preschool classes nurture and expand your child’s next step in their educational development.
- Provides children with essential social, emotional, and academic skills.

**Resources for Families**

- Early Childhood Screening
- Early Childhood Special Education
- Financial Assistance

**What Our Families Are Saying About Us!**



“Our family has loved the Edina Early Learning and Family Center—it has provided an incredible learning experience and community for our daughter, and as first time parents, the parenting classes have been invaluable in helping us navigate the unknowns while introducing us to so many amazing people.” – ELFC Parent

“The ELFC has been a special place for my family for many years; all three of my children started as toddlers in an ECFE class and continued in the preschool program until kindergarten. The teachers are excellent and the curriculum has been an amazing tool for social/emotional learning.” – ELFC Parent

“All teachers have been incredible [and] I have made a wonderful impression on my daughter! ...We’ve been so appreciative of all the photos her teacher has sent us. Above and beyond! We are incredibly happy with all aspects.” – ELFC Parent

“We love the ELFC! My children have had such a positive experience at school, and the staff knows my family and they support us.” – ELFC Parent



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# Preschool for 3-5 Year Olds

Welcome to the Early Learning and Family Center – A Place for All Learners!

At the Early Learning and Family Center (ELFC), we believe that every child is unique and brings something special to our school. We welcome all learners with open arms, creating an inclusive environment where every child feels valued, supported, and inspired to grow. Our program is thoughtfully designed to meet the diverse needs of young learners, providing children with the tools they need to thrive socially, emotionally, and academically. Our students develop their emergent math and literacy skills through play based learning using The Creative Curriculum. Socially, our students learn healthy social emotional skills through our school wide positive behavior system called The Pyramid Model. Our goal at the ELFC is to support children's growth and learning so each child is ready to thrive in Edina Kindergarten.

## A Day in the Life of a Preschooler:

### Circle Time/Morning Meeting

Each day starts with attention focused on building a strong community through songs, read-alouds, stories and calendar. All staff model social and emotional skills, including creating and maintaining friendships.

### Literacy

Students begin to develop their emergent literacy skills through activities focused on building concepts about print, oral language skills, comprehension, letters and sounds and some early writing practice.

### Math

Emergent numeracy and math skills include activities that develop number sense, patterning, colors/shapes and other math concepts.

### Science

Science is all around us and students will learn how to explore, question and discover through scientific themes like nature, plants, animals, ecosystems and weather.

### Choice Time

Children can choose from a variety of themed centers derived from The Creative Curriculum such as art, science, sensory play, building blocks, and pretend play. Children are free to explore their interests, make independent choices, and engage with peers in meaningful ways. This time encourages creativity, problem-solving, and social development, helping each child learn at their own pace in a joyful environment.

### Large Motor Movement

At the Early Learning and Family Center, we understand the importance of physical activity in early childhood development. Movement can help children build strength, coordination, and confidence. At the ELFC we have 4 large motor spaces at the ELFC; two gyms, an Action Based Learning room, and a large enclosed safe playground!

### Art, Music and Theater

Learning in preschools happens through an artistic, musical lens. Students will sing, dance and act out their learning multiple times each day.







## Exceptional Staff

### Lead Teachers:

- 100% hold a four-year teaching degree in early childhood or elementary education
- Have completed 32+ hours of specialized professional development in research-backed reading instruction.

### Paraprofessionals:

- Have received 20+ hours of professional development annually to support classroom instruction.
- Have received 6 hours of specialized training in early reading support.



## A Welcoming and Inclusive Community

- An Inclusive Community where every child is valued and celebrated.
- Staff are trained in inclusive practices and responsive to diverse learning needs.
- Multilingual teacher support for all learners.



## The Power of Team Teaching

- Two highly-qualified teachers in every classroom ensure smaller adult-to-child ratios and targeted, individualized support.
- Multiple teaching styles and diverse perspectives help ensure that every child's unique learning style is recognized and nurtured.
- Seamless teacher collaboration leads to richer, more dynamic lesson plans and immediate, flexible student support.
- Over 50% of our classrooms feature a team-teaching model.



## Strong Community Partnerships

- Collaboration with Edina elementary schools to actively support your child's smooth and confident transition to kindergarten.
- Daily support from Early Learning Corps Tutors and community volunteers.
- Vibrant Parent-Teacher Organization (PTO) supports families, staff, and students, creating a strong home-school connection.

## Half Day Preschool

Our half day preschool program is designed for families seeking a balanced, enriching educational experience for their young learners within a shorter time frame. With a focus on social-emotional, emergent literacy and numeracy skills, our half day program provides children with engaging, play-based learning activities in a nurturing environment that encourages exploration, creativity, and independence. Prices listed include a daily snack and all class materials and supplies.

### Half Day 3s *For students 3 years old as of Sept 1, 2026*

Class Title	Day	Time	Start Date	End Date	Price	Course #
Preschool for 3s	Mon–Fri	8:30–11:30 am	9/2/2026	6/4/2027	\$752/mo	0003-1
	Mon/Wed/Fri	8:30–11:30 am	9/2/2026	6/4/2027	\$469/mo	0003-2
	Tues/Thurs	8:30–11:30 am	9/3/2026	6/3/2027	\$314/mo	0003-3
Multi-age Preschool	Pick your days, 2-day minimum Mon–Thu	12:30–3:00 pm	9/2/2026	6/3/2027	\$33.75/day	0035-1

### Half Day 4s *For students 4+ years old as of Sept 1, 2026*

Class Title	Day	Time	Start Date	End Date	Price	Course #
PreK for 4s	Mon–Fri	8:30–11:30 am	9/2/2026	6/4/2027	\$752/mo	0045-1
Multi-age Preschool	Pick your days, 2-day minimum Mon–Thu	12:30–3:00 pm	9/2/2026	6/3/2027	\$33.75/day	0035-1

## Full Day Preschool

Our full day preschool program is designed for families seeking a balanced, enriching educational experience for their young learners for a six hour day. The full day program provides a more in depth focus on social-emotional, emergent literacy and numeracy skills, through our play based learning activities in a nurturing environment that encourages exploration, creativity, and independence. In addition, students will eat lunch and movement breaks throughout their day. Prices listed include lunch, snack, and all class materials and supplies.

### Full Day 3s *For students 3 years old as of Sept 1, 2026*

Class Title	Day	Time	Start Date	End Date	Price	Course #
Preschool for 3s	Mon-Fri	8:30am-2:30pm	9/2/2026	6/4/2027	\$1,326/mo	0003-AD

### Full Day 4s *For students 4+ years old as of Sept 1, 2026*

Class Title	Day	Time	Start Date	End Date	Price	Course #
PreK for 4s	Mon-Fri	8:30am-2:30pm	9/2/2026	6/4/2027	\$1,326/mo	0045-AD



## Taste of Preschool

Our two-year-old classrooms are vibrant spaces where young learners explore, discover, and grow! Children engage all their senses as they sing, dance, create, build, problem-solve, communicate, and socialize with their peers. Through these rich experiences, your child will gain confidence, develop trust, and build independence in a nurturing environment.

All of our two-year old preschool classes include a parenting component where caregivers join their child in the classroom. For each class's parenting day, we welcome caregivers to come as they are able.

### Half Day for Two-Year Olds

For students 24-35 months as of Sept 1, 2026

Class Title	Day	Time	Start Date	End Date	Price	Course #
ECFE Taste of Preschool	M, parenting 9-11 weekly	9-11 am	9/14/2026	5/24/2027	\$186	0002-1
ECFE Taste of Preschool	T/TH, parenting Tue 11-12 weekly	9 am-12 pm	9/3/2026	6/3/2027	\$398	0002-3
ECFE Taste of Preschool	W/F, parenting Fri 11-12 weekly	9 am-12 pm	9/2/2026	6/4/2027	\$398	0002-4

### Half Day for 2-5 Year Olds

For students 31 months+ by Sept 1, 2026

Class Title	Day	Time	Start Date	End Date	Price	Course #
ECFE Taste of Preschool 2-5	M/W/F, parenting Fri 8:30-11:30 monthly	8:30-11:30	9/2/2026	6/4/2027	\$540	0002-5



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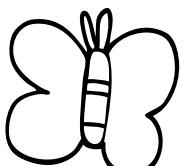
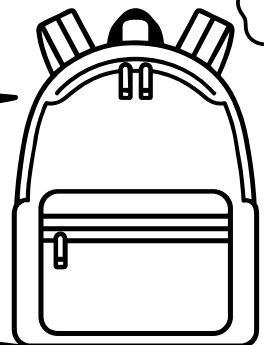
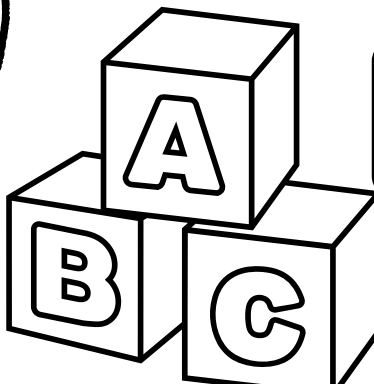
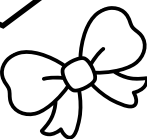
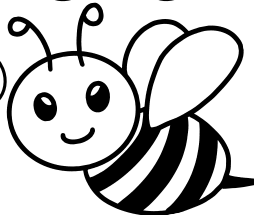
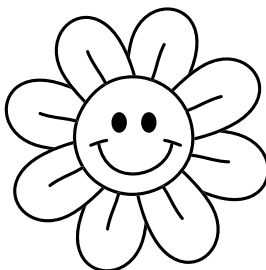
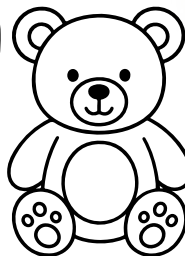
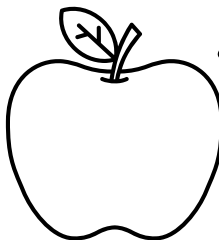
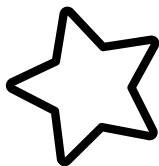
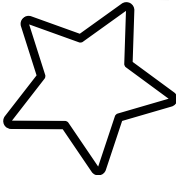
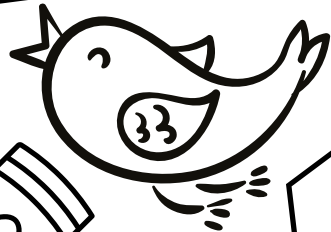
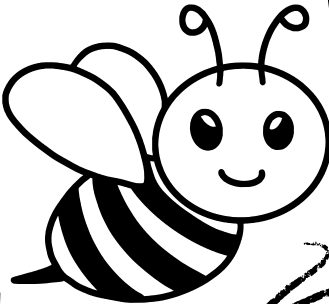
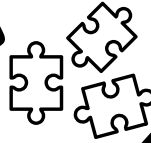
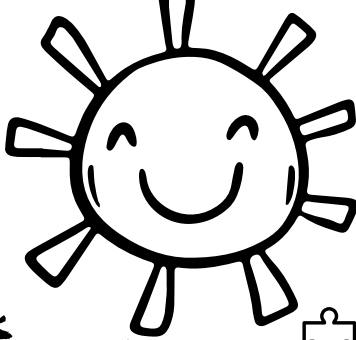
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# Little Kids Club: Childcare for Preschoolers



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## Looking to extend your child’s time at school?

Little Kids Club complements the preschool day by offering extended hours for care along with engaging activities that provide a seamless transition between structured learning and flexible play. Designed for busy families, we ensure your child is in a safe, nurturing environment before and after preschool hours. During that time, they will enjoy activities that promote social skills, spark creativity, and allow time for relaxation. With age-appropriate games, arts and crafts, outdoor play, STEM projects, and even quiet time for rest or reading, our balanced program supports your child’s well-being and development.

Children must be registered for an Early Learning and Family Center preschool class to be eligible. Little Kids Club follows the Early Learning and Family Center calendar, so when school is not in session, Little Kids Club is closed.

Contracts are offered on a space-available basis.

There is a monthly tuition cap for our full-day preschool families. Affordable childcare options are available with tuition that **will not exceed \$1,720 per month per student** (combined preschool and childcare fees). Families can choose the childcare schedule that works best for them while staying within their budget.

Register for the childcare schedule that meets your family needs. After registration, our office will adjust your account to apply the monthly cap.

## Childcare blocks available Monday–Friday

Block	Time	Rate	Notes
1	7:30–8:30 am	\$10.45/day	Breakfast provided before 8 am
2	8:30 am–12:30 pm	\$41.80/day	Lunch provided
3	11:30 am–3 pm	\$36.55/day	Lunch provided
4	3–5:30 pm	\$26.10/day	
5	2:30–4 pm	\$15.70/day	Full Day Preschool students only
6	2:30–5:30 pm	\$31.35/day	Full Day Preschool students only

## Non School Days:

Sept 7, 21  
Oct 15, 16  
Nov 3, 25-27  
Dec 21-31  
Jan 1, 18, 22  
Feb 15, 16  
March 12, 29-31  
April 1, 2, 30  
May 31

## Sample Schedules:

### Sample Schedule 1

**7:30–8:30 am**  
Childcare Block 1  
**8:30–11:30 am**  
Half Day Preschool  
**11:30 am–3 pm**  
Childcare Block 3

### Sample Schedule 2

**8:30–11:30 am**  
Half Day Preschool  
**11:30 am–5:30 pm**  
Childcare Blocks 3 & 4

### Sample Schedule 3

**12:30–3:00 pm**  
Half Day Preschool  
**3:00–5:30 pm**  
Childcare Block 4

### Sample Schedule 4

**7:30–8:30 am**  
Childcare Block 1  
**8:30 am–2:30 pm**  
Full Day Preschool  
**2:30–4:00 pm**  
Childcare Block 5

# Summer Little Kids Club

New for Summer 2026, join us for all day childcare for three and four-year olds (33 months as of 6/1/2026) at the Early Learning and Family Center.

Little Kids Club provides a safe, nurturing environment where kids will enjoy activities that promote social skills, spark creativity, and allow time for relaxation.

## Program Dates:

June 8 - August 14

Care will not be provided on June 19, July 2-3.

## Program Hours:

7:30 am–5:30 pm

## Contract Info:

3 days/week, 6 week minimum

## Location:

Early Learning and Family Center  
5701 Normandale Road  
Edina, MN 55424

## Fees:

\$68 daily tuition

\$100 onsite field trip fee

\$50 registration fee

## Contact information:



952-848-3908

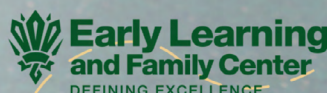


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Look for more details in our summer catalog, available online at [edinacommunityed.com](http://edinacommunityed.com) mid-January. Space is limited. Registration opens February 10.





# Painting With Fall Colors

## Materials Needed:

- Shaving Cream
- Paint (preferably in fall colors)
- Tray or baking sheet
- Squirt bottles
- Spoon or other item to mix paint and shaving cream with

## Instructions:

1. Put the paint in the squirt bottles
2. Put the shaving cream on the trays
3. Direct children to squirt the paint on the shaving cream or to “paint” with the squirt bottles
4. Mix the colors with the spoons or other items if wanted



Ask your child these questions along the way:

### Before Starting:

What happens in the fall? When leaves fall to the ground what colors do they turn? What colors do we have sitting in front of us?

### During Painting Process:

What colors are the leaves changing outside of our home? What colors are the leaves outside the windows? What colors are the paints turning now that the colors are mixing?

# Early Childhood Family Education

Don't wait till fall—join us this Spring for ECFE Classes.

## Classes for Babies (0-12 months)

ECFE classes for the very youngest children have the parent education component within the classroom. Babies and caregivers learn, discover, and play together in a supportive environment.

Class Title	Day	Time	Start Date	End Date	Price	Course #
Baby & Me Sampler	Second Monday each month	11:45 am–12:45 pm	Ongoing	5/11/2026	Free	

## Classes for Two-Year Olds (24-35 months)

Our two-year-old classrooms are designed to allow children to engage all of their senses as they sing, dance, create, build, problem-solve, communicate and socialize. Children gain confidence, trust and independence as their caregivers separate for a facilitator-led parenting discussion. Families can build a customized schedule for their child by adding the drop-off class to once- or twice-weekly ECFE Taste of Preschool options, or enrolling in it as an independent offering.

Class Title	Day	Time	Start Date	End Date	Price	Course #
ECFE Taste of Preschool	Tue/Thu, parent education day is Tue	9-11 am	Ongoing	5/28/2026	\$353/month	0002-3

## Classes for Two to Five-Year Olds (31 months by 9/1/25)

Families continue or begin their ECFE journey as children enter the Preschool years with our classes for older children. Caregivers build connections with others by sharing experiences while children spend time developing relationships through play and building emergent literacy and numeracy skills.

Class Title	Day	Time	Start Date	End Date	Price	Course #
ECFE Taste of Preschool 2-3 Year Olds	Mon/Wed/Fri, parent education is Fri	8:30–11:30 am	Ongoing	5/27/2026	\$450/month	0002-5

## Drop and Play (2–5 years)

Drop & Play classes are two hours of complete fun for your toddler or preschooler! The first 90 minutes of class are drop-off time—opportunities for your child to play, create, and socialize with other children while you have time for yourself. During the last 30 minutes of class, come join your child for a circle time led by one of our early childhood educators. Purchase a season pass and come as often as your schedule allows.

Class Title	Day	Time	Start Date	End Date	Price	Course #
Baby/Toddler Play Time, no parent education	Fri	12-2 pm	Ongoing	5/29/2026	\$150	0025-WinSpr





ECFE class will open on May 19th—be on the lookout for our 2026-2027 ECFE class listings in the ECFE mailer this spring.

### Stay and Play (non-separating)

Come play and discover with your child! Caregivers and their children enjoy special time together, playing in early childhood classrooms designed to support child-led play and parent-child interaction. *Note: Parent education is part of the class unless indicated with an asterisk.*

Class Title	Day	Time	Start Date	End Date	Price	Course #
<b>Baby/Toddler Play Time, no parent education</b> (6–18 months)	Tue	12:30–1:30 pm	Ongoing	5/26/2026	\$65	Play-WinSpr1
	Thu	12:30–1:30 pm	Ongoing	5/26/2026	\$65	Play-WinSpr2
<b>Toddler Together</b> (12–14 months)	Wed	11 am–12:15 pm	Ongoing	4/1/2026	\$176	1223-4
	Wed	11 am–12:15 pm	Ongoing	5/13/2026	\$176	1223-5
<b>Saturday Toddlin’ Tykes</b> (12–14 months)	Sat	9–10 am	Ongoing	5/9/2026	\$130	1223-S4
<b>Saturday Songs and Stories</b> (6 months–5 years)	Sat	10:30–11:30 am	Ongoing	5/9/2026	\$130	0065-S3
<b>ECFE: Celebrate the Seasons</b> (6 months–5 years)	Sat	9:30–11:00 am	5/16/2026	–	\$40/fam	0065-Spr2

### Fun Topics

Class Title	Day	Time	Start Date	End Date	Price	Course #
<b>Stay and Play with Grandparents</b> (Birth–5 yrs)	Thu	11:45–12:45 pm	1/8/2026	5/28/2026	\$65	GPlay-WinSpr
<b>ECFE in Nature</b> (Birth–5 yrs)	Wed	11:30 am–12:30 pm	4/8/2026	5/13/2026	\$104	Nature-Spr
<b>Full STEAM Ahead</b> (2–5 yrs)	Wed	6–7:30 pm	4/8/2026	5/13/2026	\$156	0025-4
	Sat	9–10:30 am	4/11/2026	5/9/2026	\$156	0025-7
<b>Jumpstart to Kindergarten</b> (4–5 yrs)	Thu	4:30–5:30 pm	4/30/2026	5/14/2026	\$96	Kinder-2025

### Parent Education

Parent Education aims to enhance the ability of all caregivers to provide the best possible environment for their child’s learning and growth. It is a place where all families find others to walk beside them and support them on their parenting journey. Classes are for caregivers only.

Class Title	Day	Time	Start Date	End Date	Price	Course #
<b>Full STEAM Ahead</b>	Wed	6–7:30 pm	4/8/2026	5/13/2026	\$156	0025-4
	Sat	9–10:30 am	4/11/2026	5/9/2026	\$156	0025-7
<b>Jumpstart to Kindergarten</b>	Thu	4:30–5:30 pm	4/30/2026	5/14/2026	\$96	Kinder-2025

# Resources for Families

## Early Childhood Screening

Early childhood years from birth to the start of kindergarten are an important time of rapid growth. Early Childhood Screening is a quick and simple check of how your child is growing and developing. It is required by the state of Minnesota to be completed before starting kindergarten, and it is a **FREE** service that usually takes about an hour to complete. Children should complete screening as soon as they are three-years old.

At your child's first screening, a trained professional will check on the following:

- Vision and hearing
- Height and weight
- Immunization review
- Large and small muscles/motor skills
- Thinking, language, and communication skills
- Social and emotional development



To schedule your free screening, visit [earlylearning.edinaschools.org/learning/developmental-screening](https://earlylearning.edinaschools.org/learning/developmental-screening).

Questions? Contact our Program Specialist, Affey Sigat, at [affey.sigat@edinaschools.org](mailto:affey.sigat@edinaschools.org) or 952-848-3985.

## Early Childhood Special Education

Early Childhood Special Education (ECSE) is an Edina Public Schools program that provides intervention to young children, from birth to kindergarten, who show developmental delay in the general areas of speech and language, large and fine motor skills, social and emotional behavior, cognitive and/or adaptive skills, or have vision or hearing losses.

For more information, contact our ECSE Facilitator, Kaitlin Senn at [kaitlin.senn@edinaschools.org](mailto:kaitlin.senn@edinaschools.org) or 952-848-3046.







### Help Me Connect

Are you looking for resources for your family? Pregnant and parenting families with children from birth to 8 years of age now have a new tool to connect to services in their local communities that support healthy child development and family well-being.

Help Me Connect is a website designed to help Minnesota’s families navigate local community, county, and state resources. Families and those that support families, such as preschool teachers, child care providers, and pediatricians, can use Help Me Connect to find services such as:

- Healthy development and screening
- Developmental and behavior concerns
- Disability services and resources
- Early learning and child care
- Family well-being and mental health
- Tribal and American Indian resources
- Dental care
- Basic needs
- Legal services

Learn more at: [helpmeconnectmn.org](http://helpmeconnectmn.org)



### Help Me Grow

Help me Grow offers information and resources for parents of newborns to 5-year-olds. Their online referral form connects you to early childhood intervention and special education resources in your home school district.

Learn more at: [helpmegrowmn.org](http://helpmegrowmn.org)



### Financial Assistance

#### Preschool Classes – Scholarship

For classes without a parenting component, financial assistance is available in the form of a preschool scholarship for qualifying families.

For more information, please visit [earlylearning.edinaschools.org/register](http://earlylearning.edinaschools.org/register) and select “Financial Assistance” at the top menu. You can also contact our Outreach Specialist, Affey Sigat, at 952-848-3985 or [affey.sigat@edinaschools.org](mailto:affey.sigat@edinaschools.org) for more information.

#### ECFE Classes – Sliding Fee Scale

For classes with a parent education (ECFE) component, tuition is charged on a sliding fee scale based on family household income. The price shown in the catalog is the most a family would pay.

Annual Household Income	Participant Pays
\$0 - \$24,999	10% of listed price
\$25,000 - \$44,999	25% of listed price
\$45,000 - \$59,999	50% of listed price
\$60,000 - \$74,999	75% of listed price
\$75,000+	100% of listed price

For all billing information and policies, visit [earlylearning.edinaschools.org/register](http://earlylearning.edinaschools.org/register)

# Get Involved!

## Get involved to support our school!

The ELFC Parent Teacher Organization is a non-profit group open to all parents/caregivers of the Early Learning and Family Center. There is no cost to join.

The ELFC PTO exists to provide opportunities to engage with and support the ELFC's mission of enhancing the quality of family life through early childhood and family education.

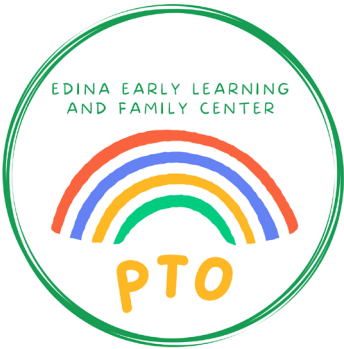
We do this through:

- Community Building and Engagement
- Teacher Appreciation
- Fundraising
- Advocacy

Not only does the PTO support our school, but it also provides a way to meet and connect with other caregivers in our school community.

Please consider sharing your time and talents with the PTO! Learn more about how to get involved: [earlylearning.edinaschools.org/get-involved/pto](http://earlylearning.edinaschools.org/get-involved/pto) or e-mail [edinaelfcpto@gmail.com](mailto:edinaelfcpto@gmail.com).

We look forward to meeting you!





# Registration



Register online!  
[edinacommunityed.com/register](https://edinacommunityed.com/register)

## Preschool contract request window:

**January 20 (8 am) – February 2 (11:59 pm)**

Our preschool classes fill up quickly. Registration is done on a lottery basis with priority given in the following order.

1. District Employees
2. Edina Attendance Boundary Residents
3. Fee Assistance Candidates
4. Current ELFC Student or sibling of a current student
5. All other students

A \$65 per-contract, non-refundable registration fee will be charged at the time of acceptance.

## Set up your account

Set up an account prior to registration.

Then, when registration opens, log on, select your classes and complete the process. Keep in mind to explore classes based on your child's age as of 9/1/2026.

## To create an account:

Create an account at [edinacommunityed.com/register](https://edinacommunityed.com/register) or log in to verify or update your information.

## Have questions? We're here to help!

Email: [early.learning@edinaschools.org](mailto:early.learning@edinaschools.org)

Phone: (952) 848-3908

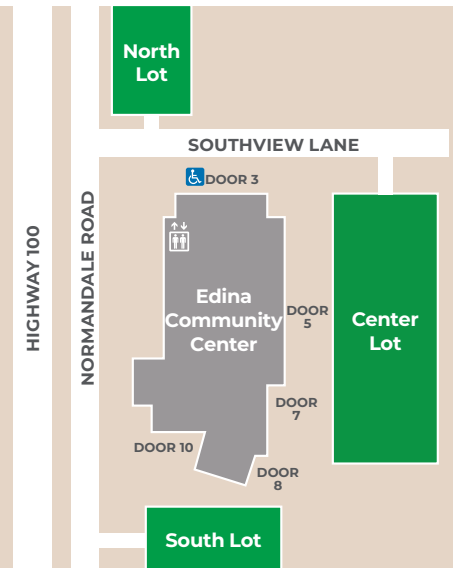
**In Person:** M–F, 8am–4pm at the Early Learning and Family Center

## We are in the Edina Community Center:

Edina Community Center  
5701 Normandale Road  
Edina, MN 55424

## Entrance and parking information:

Park in the Center Lot and enter Door 5



## Cancellation and Refund Policy

We hate to do it, but sometimes Edina Early Learning Center has to cancel a class due to weather, low enrollment, or other evolving situations. And sometimes you need to cancel a class. We understand. Schedules and priorities change. Please visit our website at [earlylearning.edinaschools.org](https://earlylearning.edinaschools.org) and click on "Register" to learn more about cancellation timelines, refunds and fees for all of our programs, in addition to information about weather related cancellations, late pick-up fees and more.

## Photo Consent

Unless you notify Edina Early Learning Center, photos taken within Early Learning Center classes/programs/activities may be included in Early Learning Center publications.

## Data Privacy

Your privacy is important to us. The registration information you provide to Edina Early Learning Center is considered private data

under state and federal law. We use the information you provide for the purposes of administering the activity and to contact you about upcoming activities. While you may choose to withhold this information, there may be consequences that could limit the distribution of information to the participant (e.g., no team roster or class confirmation). Access to contact information is limited to individuals involved in the activity.

## Satisfaction Guaranteed

If for any reason you are not happy with the quality of one of our education programs, classes or activities, we want to know about it. We work hard to offer high quality programming that meets the needs of learners of all ages, stages, abilities and interests and to recruit dynamic, enthusiastic teachers who care about learning for life and connecting community. Please call us at (952) 848-3908 to offer your constructive feedback, and we will be glad to work with you to make things right.



**Learn more at our Open House—  
we'd love to meet you!**



## **Early Learning and Family Center Open House**

**January 10, 2026 | 9:00-11:00 am**

### **Can't make the open house?**

Schedule a tour! Tours are available by appointment Monday-Friday.

### **Edina Community Center**

5701 Normandale Road, Edina  
Park in the Center Lot on the east side  
of ECC Enter Door 5

### **Connect with us on social media!**



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