

Rainier Preschool Scheduling

Preschool Overview

This document outlines the scheduling and core purposes for our preschool programs. Schedules are designed based on age and individualized educational needs to maximize student development.

General Education Schedules

AM Preschool (Ages 3–4)

- Purpose: Introduce young learners to school routines and social-emotional development.
- Days: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday
- Time: 8:30 AM – 11:00 AM
- Cost: Prorated to **\$240** a month for general education students.
- Wednesday: No school for general education students.

PM Preschool (Ages 4–5)

- Purpose: Prepare older students for the academic and behavioral expectations of Kindergarten.
- Days: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday
- Time: 12:15 PM – 2:45 PM (*Note: Maintained standard 2.5-hour preschool block matching the AM session length*).
- Cost: **\$300** a month for general education students.

Special Education (IEP) Schedules

Schedule Purpose

Special education scheduling allows for smaller group settings. This environment helps staff focus directly on meeting individualized IEP goals.

Weekly Attendance Options

Special Education students in the AM program will be assigned to one of the following weekly session blocks:

- **Session Option A:** Monday, Wednesday, Thursday (8:30 AM – 11:00 AM)
- **Session Option B:** Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday (8:30 AM – 11:00 AM)

Wednesday Policy

- **AM Wednesday:** Reserved strictly for students with an IEP.
- Impact: No general education students attend the morning session on this day.

Quick-Reference Schedule Matrix

Program / Age [1]	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Gen Ed AM (3–4 yrs) 8:30–11:00 AM	Class	Class	No Class	Class	Class
Gen Ed PM (4–5 yrs) 12:15–2:45 PM	Class	Class	Class	Class	Class
Special Ed AM (Option A) 8:30–11:00 AM	Class	No Class	Class	Class	No Class
Special Ed AM (Option B) 8:30–11:00 AM	No Class	Class	Class	No Class	Class