FARIBAULT PUBLIC SCHOOLS

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

WINTER 2027
FAMILY EDUCATION & MORE



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Our Mission & Vision:

Faribault Early Childhood Programs partner with families to provide support, encouragement, and education.

Our vision is that all families will have access to high quality early education in collaboration with community early childhood partners.

WELCOME







Hello Faribault Families!

Our Early Childhood Family Education team is excited to share with you our winter class schedule with classes beginning in January 2027! We greatly look forward to welcoming returning families and meeting new families this winter. We are excited to bring back our morning gym time at Roosevelt and offer exciting new themed classes like cooking with kids and classic favorites like Super Saturdays and On My Own. These opportunities aim to strengthen your relationship with your child, support you as a parent, and challenge your child's learning, engagement, and curiosity.

We will see you in January!



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CLASSES AT A GLANCE

Registration for Winter sessions opens December 7th!

Faribault Public Schools invites you to join our talented team of educators with your young child(ren) for fun, hands-on classes that you and your child will love. All ECFE classes are held at the Faribault Education Center (340 9th Ave SW, Door 22). **All Gym Time** classes will be held at Roosevelt Early Childhood Center, located at 925 Parshall Street, enter at door #2.

Winter Session runs from January 4 through March 4, 2027.
No classes on: January 18, February 15.

Please visit our website for more information and to register.
https://ce.faribault.k12.mn.us/early-childhood/early-childhood-family-education

MONDAY

9 - 10 a.m. **WIGGLES & GIGGLES** (0-2 yrs)	**10:30 a.m. - 12 p.m.** **MULTI-AGE** (0-5 yrs)	**5 - 6 p.m.** **WIGGLES & GIGGLES** (0-2 yrs)	**6:15 - 7:30 p.m.** **MULTI-AGE** (0-5 yrs)

TUESDAY

9 - 10:30 a.m. **MULTI-AGE** (0-5 yrs)	**10:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.** **TEDDY BEAR PICNIC** (4 WEEKS- JANUARY) **COOKING WITH KIDS** (5 WEEKS- FEB/MAR)	**12:00 - 1:30 p.m.** **CRECIENDO JUNTOS** (FREE) Spanish facilitation or interpreter present

WEDNESDAY

9 - 11:30 a.m. **ON MY OWN** (3-4yrs)	**12 - 2:30 p.m.** **MIS PRIMEROS PASOS** (3-4yrs)	**6:00 - 7:30 p.m.** **DAD & ME** (4 weeks) January 20 - February 10	**6 - 7:15 p.m.** **ECFE EVENING GYM TIME** FREE (English and Spanish) **Roosevelt Early Learning Center** January 13 | February 17

THURSDAY

9 - 10 a.m. **ECFE GYM TIME @ RELC** (English & Spanish)	**9 - 10:00 a.m.** **BOUNCING BABIES**	**10 - 11 a.m.** **ECFE AT THE LIBRARY** January 14 | February 11 **FREE!**	**10:30 a.m. - 12 p.m.** **BABY STOP** (0-12 weeks) **FREE!**

SATURDAY

9 - 10:15 a.m. **SUPER SATURDAYS** FREE (0-5yrs) January 23 - **Let It Go! - A Family Snow Day** February 27 - **Super Saturday Gym Time** (English & Spanish)	**10:30 - 11:30 a.m.** **SATURDAYS' BABIES** FREE (ages 2 mo-12 mo) January 23 February 27 - **Toddler & baby time in the Roosevelt Gym**

What is ECFE?

Early Childhood Family Education (ECFE) is a statewide program in Minnesota that gives children and families the tools they need to thrive. Our classes and sessions are designed to help with the things that matter most:

- Individual attention time with parents/caregivers and their children to help strengthen bonds
- Playful learning time to help children with their next phase while minimizing separation anxiety
- Parenting discussion time for parents and caregivers to talk about their parenting joys, hopes and questions



Being a part of ECFE is easy. We're close to you, and our flexible sessions are built for busy families. ***GROW TOGETHER WITH ECFE***

3 WAYS TO REGISTER

Payment is required at registration

Online

with Credit Card

In-Person

Roosevelt Early Learning Center
925 Parshall Street

Faribault Education Center
340 9th Ave SW

By Phone

with Credit Card
507-333-6733

WINTER 2027 SLIDING FEE SCALE

ANNUAL INCOME	POSTED CLASS COST						
	$20	$35	$40	$42	$49	$63	$90
$40,000 +	$30	$35	$40	$42	$49	$63	$90
$30,000 – $39,999	$24	$30	$32	$34	$39	$50	$74
$20,000 – $29,999	$20	$36	$26	$28	$32	$38	$62
$10,000 – $19,999	$15	$22	$20	$21	$25	$32	$50
$9,999 and under	$10	$17	$12	$16	$15	$25	$34

No one is turned away, please call today for assistance 507-333-6733

2027 ECFE CLASS SESSIONS

Winter

Starts: January 4
Ends: March 4

MONDAY CLASSES

ECFE JANUARY - MARCH 2027

CLASSES AT FARIBAULT EDUCATION CENTER

WINTER SESSION BEGINS JANUARY 4

WIGGLES AND GIGGLES

Ages 0 months- 2 years

An inviting baby and toddler class in a child-friendly playspace where little ones can explore, learn, and play. Our class supports age-appropriate discovery: children observe one another, practice new skills, and build confidence through fun activities. Caregivers connect with others navigating the same stages, sharing tips, encouragement, and community. Families and children remain together throughout the class for a relaxed, secure experience.

MORNING
Winter Session (7 Sessions): **9:00 -10:00 AM** | Cost: **$35**

EVENING
Winter Session (7 Sessions): **5:00 - 6:00 PM** | Cost: **$35**

MULTI-AGE



Ages 0- 5 years

Join us weekly for playful, hands-on time with your child in our inviting early-childhood classroom. Each session includes:

- Parent–child play with toys, art, and sensory activities
- Lively circle time with music and movement
- Small-group time where children stay with early-childhood teachers while caregivers meet separately for an encouraging parent discussion

Parent time covers practical topics like responding to challenging behavior, sleep, feeding, and more — all in a supportive, judgment-free space. Build meaningful connections with other families while your child enjoys fun, educational experiences.

MORNING
Winter Session (7 Sessions): **10:30 AM - 12 PM** | Cost: **$49**

EVENING
Winter Session (7 Sessions): **6:15 - 7:30 PM** | Cost: **$42**

TUESDAY CLASSES

ECFE JANUARY - MARCH 2027

WINTER SESSION BEGINS JANUARY 5

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MORNING

Winter Session (9 Sessions): **9:00 -10:30 AM** | Cost: **$63**

TEDDY BEAR PICNIC **(4 WEEKS- JANUARY)**

Bring your favorite teddy bear for four weeks of playful adventures with your child! Each class features a new bear-themed activity—from setting off on a bear hunt to discovering how bears hibernate. Parents and children will enjoy time together, with a short separation each week while parents join a discussion. We'll finish the series with a special teddy bear picnic!

Winter Session (4 Sessions): **10:45 AM - 11:45 AM** | Cost: **$20**

COOKING WITH KIDS **(5 WEEKS- FEB/MAR)**

Come stir up some fun in our new non-separating cooking class where parents and children learn and create side by side! Each week brings playful exploration in the classroom and hands-on cooking in the kitchen, all designed to spark curiosity, build confidence, and strengthen your bond. We'll wrap up each class by savoring everything we made together.

Witner Session (5 Sessions): **10:45 AM - 11:45 AM** | Cost: **$40**

CRECIENDO JUNTOS **12:00 -1:30 PM**

Cost: **FREE** Spanish interpreter present or facilitation in Spanish

Enjoy hands-on activities with your child, including sensory play, art, toys, music, movement, and stories. During the second half of class, parents meet separately with a parent educator to learn about child development, positive parenting strategies, sleep and nutrition, and effective behavior guidance.

WEDNESDAY CLASSES

ECFE JANUARY - MARCH 2027

WINTER SESSION BEGINS JANUARY 6



ON MY OWN **Ages 3- 4 years**

Must be 3 years of age to enroll in class.
A child-only class that combines learning and play while building social, language, literacy, and motor skills. Children gain independence, learn classroom routines, and prepare for Preschool.
Winter Session (9 Sessions): **9 -11:30 AM |** Cost: **$90**

MIS PRIMEROS PASOS

A weekly child-only class where children play, discover, and learn in a Spanish-English environment.
Winter Session (9 Sessions): **12 -2:30 PM** | Cost: **$90**

DAD & ME

Designed specifically for dads and father figures, this class celebrates the vital role you play in your child's early years. Create a strong foundation in a warm, judgment-free environment where you can learn and develop alongside your little one. Enjoy quality time through play, songs, and engaging activities. Together, we'll explore parenting skills including positive discipline, consistent routines, and guiding your child through big feelings—giving you the tools and confidence to thrive.
Winter Session (4 Sessions): January 20 - Feruary 10
6:00 -7:30 PM | Cost: **$40 per Family**

ECFE EVENING GYM TIME

Ages 2 months- 5 years | English and Spanish



Roosevelt Early Learning Center (enter at door #2)
A fun-filled gym class where children can run, balance, crawl, and jump with friends! Babies have a special play area, and each session ends with movement songs and games led by ECFE teachers.
January 13 and February 17 | 6 - 7:15 PM
Cost: **FREE**



Welcome Baby!

Congratulations on your new baby!

join us weekly for

Baby Stop

Faribault Education Center
340 9th Ave SW
Door 22

who: Parents with babies 0-12 weeks

what: Join other parents to share in the joys and challenges of this new little human in your life! This class is free and co-led by a teacher and a public health nurse to help answer all of your questions.

where: Faribault Education Center

when: Thursdays from 10:30 am -12 pm

FREE Sibling Care. Register when you arrive



Public Health
Prevent. Promote. Protect.
Rice County Public Health

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PLUS
weekly weigh-ins for babies

Faribault Public Schools provides ASL interpreting and other communication accommodations for individuals who are deaf or hard of hearing. To request services, please contact your student's school's main office with 3 weeks notice or as much advance notice as possible.

THURSDAY CLASSES

ECFE JANUARY - MARCH 2027

WINTER SESSION BEGINS JANUARY 7

BOUNCING BABIES 3 -12 months

The parent-baby class provides a place for connecting with your baby in a supportive environment, sharing experiences with other parents, and learning about early parenting topics. *Sib Care Available.

Winter Session (9 Sessions): **9 -10 AM** | Cost: **$45/ Family**

*enrolling with a sibling 12 mo. - 5 years needing sib care is an additional $10 fee/session

MORNING GYM TIME (SPANISH & ENGLISH)

Roosevelt Early Learning Center (925 Parshall Street) Join us to get your wiggles out! In this weekly class, kids practice new friend making skills, build tall towers, chase balls, crawl, run and build gross motor skills! We've got a special spot for babies to play and explore, too. ECFE teachers lead big movement songs and games at the end of playtime.

Winter Session (9 Sessions): **9 -10 AM** | Cost: **$63**

ONCE-A-MONTH EVENTS

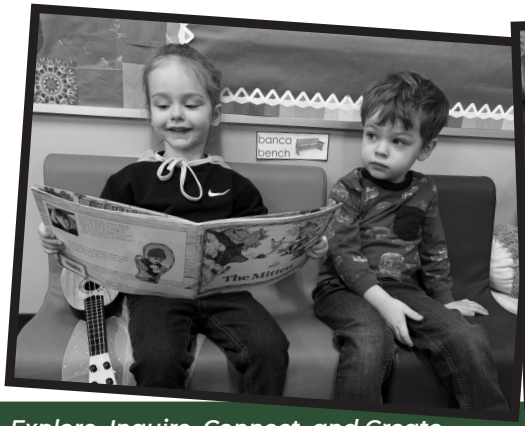
ECFE JANUARY - MARCH 2027

ECFE at the LIBRARY

10:00 AM: Storytime with Ms. Deni | **10:30-11:00 AM**: Activity with ECFE staff

FREE | Buckham Memorial Library

Thursdays | January 14 | February 11





EVENTS AT FARIBAULT EDUCATION CENTER

SATURDAY CLASSES

ECFE JANUARY - MARCH 2027

SUPER SATURDAY **Ages 0- 5 years**

9-10:15 AM

A special event for moms, dads or grandparents and kids to play, create and learn together without the distractions of home. No sign-up required! Grab a friend and join us for a family-friendly free morning. Adults remain with children for the entire class.

Register when you arrive | Cost: **FREE**

January 23: Let It Go! - A Family Snow Day (super saturday at FEC)
February 27: Super Saturday Gym Time
english and spanish (super saturday at RELC)

SATURDAYS' BABY **Ages 2 mo- 12 mo**

10:30 - 11:30 AM

A relaxed playgroup that includes parent–baby play with age-appropriate toys and sensory activities, a short circle time to support bonding and early development and opportunities to connect with other parents in a supportive community. Come in comfortable clothes and bring anything your baby needs. Perfect for new parents looking for low-stress social time and helpful parenting conversation.

Register when you arrive | Cost: **FREE**

January 23 @ FEC
February 27 Toddler & baby time in the Roosevelt Gym



Mark calendars for January 21



Roosevelt Early Learning Center

Preschool and Kindergarten Registration Event

PREPARING FOR LABOR FOR EXPECTANT PARENTS

Session with Q & A

Gather with other expectant parents for a session with Hannah Stimson from Rice County Public Health to learn about early labor, stages of labor, parent support and baby development. Bring your partner, friend or family member to learn about labor. Time for all your questions at the end.

January 23 | 10-11:30 AM | Faribault Education Center | Free

ONE ON ONE PARENT COACHING

WITH ANNA RUNESTAD *Parent Educator*
arunestad@faribault.k12.mn.us

Reach out through email or use the QR Code to fill out the Google Form and Anna will get back to you.



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