

Preschool Options

Side-by-Side Preschool

provides children ages three to five year old an environment to develop a positive self-image, independence and social skills to become successful learners. Preschool offers an opportunity to make friends with other children including children with special needs and their families. Children attend preschool two or three times a week in New Brighton or Shoreview. Parent involvement includes parent education opportunities, parent-child activity days, and parent-teacher conferences.

The goals of Side-by-Side Preschool are:

- to help children develop a positive attitude about learning
- to prepare children and parents for the transition to kindergarten.
- to strengthen families by promoting partnership between parents and school.

Side-by-Side Preschool Lunch Bunch

Following morning preschool, families may select the Lunch Bunch option for their child. Children eat bag lunches from home, enjoy extra gym and activity time and will be dismissed at one p.m.

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This preschool option is offered by Mounds View Community Education and includes a three afternoons/week preschool experience and a five days/week daycare component provided by the Northwest YMCA.

School Readiness Preschool

helps children to become enthusiastic learners and to prepare them for kindergarten. Rich play experiences provide a foundation for intellectual development which helps the child to be successful in school. School Readiness Preschool offers tuition assistance and transportation to qualifying families.



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