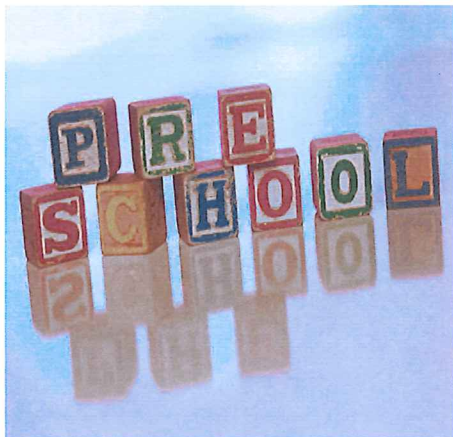


Additional Preschool Programming

Parents may also wish to consider the Head Start preschool program. For more information call 216.663.8544. Head Start is not affiliated or managed by the Garfield Heights City School District. This information is shared as another resource for parents looking to enroll their child in preschool.



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Websites

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Children with Special Needs

The Garfield Heights Preschool Program serves children with special needs. Special needs include speech impairments, autism, hearing, visual or health impairments, emotional disturbances and other delays. The program has spaces available for children with special needs. Children with special needs are identified through an evaluation process, which involves 2-3 appointments to determine if the child is eligible for preschool special education services. Go to the preschool website for more information and to complete a preschool request form. Parents can also call 216.475.8123 for more information.

Typically Developing Children

The program provides spaces for peer models, who serve as role models for children with special needs. Screenings are held once in the spring for the next school year, and there are a limited number of spaces. *Unfortunately, there are no spaces available for the 2013-14 school year for typically developing children.* To get on the waiting list and to be invited to the spring screening, complete the preschool request form, available on the preschool website.

Goals of Preschool

The most important goals of our preschool curricula are for children to get along well with others and become enthusiastic learners. We want children to become independent, self-confident, curious learners who can work well with others. We're teaching them **how** to learn, not just in preschool, but all through their lives. We do this by creating purposeful and productive learning and play experiences that help children grow in all areas.

Tuition

There is no cost for children with special needs. Peer model tuition ranges from no cost to \$100 per month (\$1,000 for the school year). See the preschool website to see the Federal Poverty Guidelines for more information.



Program Details

Hours/Days: The morning session is 8:15-10:45 a.m. and the afternoon session is 11:40-2:10 p.m. The program runs Monday-Thursday.

Classroom staff: Each classroom has two adults, one teacher with a master's degree and an educational assistant.

Program Staff: The program also has a speech therapist, occupational therapist, physical therapist and preschool psychologist on staff for special needs students who require such services.



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