



2022-23 Family Information

On November 3rd, 2020 voters in Multnomah County overwhelmingly supported the “Preschool for All” ballot measure. Preschool for All (PFA) connects families in Multnomah County to free, inclusive, culturally responsive early education.

We are excited that you are considering preschool programs available through Preschool for All for your child. We know that choosing the right preschool for your child is an important decision.

When making a choice that meets your needs, keep in mind that all partnering programs use a curriculum that aligns with Oregon Early Learning and Kindergarten guidelines and employ staff who are committed to professional development and receive ongoing support. In addition, our preschool partners have agreed to:

- Create an environment of safety, trust, and belonging for all children and families, with a specific focus on the experiences of Black, Indigenous, and Families of Color
- Follow Preschool for All’s policy of no suspensions or expulsions of children
- Fully include children with disabilities and/or special health needs
- Pay staff competitive wages and provide staff benefits
- Be licensed by the State of Oregon Office of Child Care (when required)

Preschool for All will have approximately 500 preschool seats available for the 2022-23 year. PFA will grow over time, increasing the number of providers and families, until it will be available to all interested families in Multnomah County in 2030.

There are just two eligibility requirements to participate. Children must:

1. Be 3 or 4 years old by September 1, 2022 and
2. Have a parent or legal guardian living in Multnomah County.

Children who currently have the least access to high-quality early learning experiences will be prioritized for the first available slots. Children whose families experience barriers accessing preschool include:

- Black, Brown, Native American Indigenous, and all Children of Color;
- Migrant and refugee children;
- Children who speak languages other than English;
- Children with developmental delays and disabilities;
- Children of teen parents, or in military families;

- Children living in foster care;
- Children from families affected by low incomes, homelessness, incarceration, substance abuse disorder, mental health diagnoses, and domestic violence.

Choosing the preschool that is right for you in three easy steps

Every family is unique and has different needs. Before choosing a program, you may want to consider making a list of things that are important to you, such as the location of the program, whether it's near public transportation, the hours, meals served, and other program details.

Step 1: Learn more about Preschool for All Providers

We encourage you to learn more about the programs you are considering. Some providers have websites with additional information. You can also email or call providers with your specific questions. Please see [this webpage](#) for examples of questions to ask preschool programs.

Please pay close attention to program offerings, such as hours and days the facility is open to make sure it works for your schedule. Some programs may close early, have planning days off, or operate on a school year calendar.

Step 2: Choose three preschool options

Please include your top three choices of programs you'd like your child to attend. Note: If your child currently attends a PFA preschool program that you are happy with and want your child to continue to attend, please select them as your first choice.

Step 3: Complete the online application

[Apply Online Here](#)

Please apply early. Applications open mid-April 2022 for the September 2022-2023 school year. We encourage families to submit their applications as soon as possible.

If you need help completing your application, Preschool for All Family Navigators can help you submit an application. Learn how to reach a [Family Navigator](#).

Completing the application does not guarantee your child a preschool space. We encourage you to also apply for other options such as Head Start, Preschool Promise, and other programs in your area. 211 Info is a resource to help you find child care and other services for your family.

You can reach [211 Info](#) by:

Call: 211

Text: "children" or "niños" to 898211 (TXT211)

211 Hours: Monday- Friday 7am- 11pm; Saturday & Sunday 8am- 8pm

2022-23 Preschool for All Programs

Dot	Calendar Year	General Characteristics
	Full Year	12 months of care, approximately 9-10 hours per day. Preschool for All programs can offer families up to 10 hours of care per day
	School Year	Traditional 9 month school year, approximately 6 hours of care per day

Setting Type	General Characteristics (for more details about setting types, please review information after preschool listings)
School	Preschool services located inside a school building
Child Care Center	Center-based child care program with number of children determined by floor space and number of staff
Certified In-Home Provider	Home-based child care program with up to 16 children
Registered In-Home Provider	Home-based child care program with up to 10 children

Gresham

Calendar Year	ID	2022-2023 Preschool for All Providers	Additional Information	Days	Hours	Setting Type	Meals Provided	Transportation Provided
	A01	All About Kids Daycare SW 33rd St and SW Willowbrook Ave, 97080 503-750-0282 email: Shariskidscares@yahoo.com http://allaboutkidsdaycare.net/		M-F	Mon-Thurs 6:00 am- 6:00 pm, Friday 6:00 am- 4:00 pm	Certified In-Home Provider	Breakfast, AM Snack, Lunch, PM Snack, Dinner	Yes*
	A19	Family Cares Daycare - Gresham 1961 SE Elliott Place, 97080 971-404-9518 email: batesanita@yahoo.com https://www.familycaresdaycare.com/		M-F	7:00 am- 5:00 pm	Certified In-Home Provider	Breakfast, Snack, Lunch, Snack	Yes*

	A12	Goodman Family Childcare & Preschool 1241 SE 212th Ave, 97030 503-349-4262 email: davecky@msn.com www.greshamoregonchildcare.com		M-F	6:30 am- 4:30 pm	Certified In-Home Provider	Breakfast, AM Snack, Lunch, PM Snack	Yes*
	A20	Leap Pad Day Care 204 NE 182nd Place, 97230 503-560-6505 email: leappaddaycare@gmail.com		M-F	5:00 am- 6:30 pm	Certified In-Home Provider	Breakfast, AM Snack, Lunch, PM Snack, Dinner, Evening Snack	Yes*
	A31	Learning Days 4 4346 SE 1st Terrace, 97080 971-344-7502 email: rashin2001q@yahoo.com www.learningdaysdaycare.com		M-F	7:00 am- 5:30 pm	Certified In-Home Provider	Breakfast, Lunch, PM Snack	No
	A24	Paty's Nest 22522 SE Morrison Ct., 97030 415-299-0052 email: Rpaty93@yahoo.com www.patysnestnewborncare.com	Additional Languages Spoken: Spanish	M-F Sat Sun	24 hour care	Certified In-Home Provider	Breakfast, AM Snack, Lunch, PM Snack, Dinner, Evening Snack	No

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Northeast Portland

Calendar Year	ID	2022-2023 Preschool for All Providers	Additional Information	Days	Hours	Setting Type	Meals Provided	Transportation Provided
	A16	CAIRO (Center for African Immigrants and Refugees) Academy at Vestal Elementary 161 NE 82nd Ave, 97220 503-922-3456 email: cairo.academy@cairopdx.org www.cairopdx.org		M-F	8:45 am- 2:45 pm	School	Breakfast, Lunch, PM Snack	Yes*
	A34	Discovery Gardens: Columbia Knoll 8212 NE Sandy Blvd, 97220 971-400-8880 email: Sheila@discoverygardenschildcare.com https://discoverygardenschildcare.com/		M-F	7:00 am- 5:30 pm	Child Care Center	Breakfast, Lunch, PM Snack	No
	A35	Early Learning Kingdom 8340 NE Broadway Suite D, 97220 503 254-4355 email: earlylearningkingdom@yahoo.com		M-F	7:00 am- 5:30 pm	Child Care Center	Breakfast, AM Snack, Lunch, PM Snack	No

	A27	Ladybugs Academy 3380 NE Martin Luther King Jr Blvd, 97212 503-754-3409 email: abenson@ladybugacademy.com www.ladybugacademy.com		M-F, Sat	6:00 am- 6:00 pm	Child Care Center	Breakfast, AM Snack, Lunch, PM Snack	No
	A09	Ladybugs Childcare 112 NE 108th Ave, 97220 503-754-3409 email: angelabenson2002@yahoo.com www.ladybugacademy.com		M-F	7:00 am- 5:00 pm	Certified In-Home Provider	Breakfast, AM Snack, Lunch, PM Snack	Yes*
	A32	Pequeñitos Day Care 4927 NE 55th Ave, 97218 503-901-6807 email: pequenitosdaycare2@gmail.com	Additional Languages Spoken: Spanish	M-F,Sat	Mon-Fri 5:00 am- 10:00 pm, Sat 7:00am- 5:00pm	Child Care Center	Breakfast, AM Snack, Lunch, PM Snack, Dinner, Evening Snack	Yes*
	A37	Pequeños Exploradores Spanish Immersion Daycare LLC 8500 NE Brazee Street, 97220 503-750-3730 email: exploradores9@gmail.com	Additional Languages Spoken: Spanish	M-F	7:00 am- 5:00 pm	Certified In-Home Provider	Breakfast, AM Snack, Lunch, PM Snack	No
	A13	Pioneer Preschool 12420 NE Halsey, 97230 503-545-4094 email: nicole@pioneerpre-school.com www.pioneerpre-school.com		M-F	6:00 am- 6:00 pm	Child Care Center	Breakfast, AM snack, Lunch	No
	A04	Prescott Elementary: Parkrose School District 10410 NE Prescott St, 97220 503-408-2150 email: chelsea_lopez@parkrose.k12.or.us https://pr.parkrose.k12.or.us/	Parent/ Guardian must reside in Parkrose School District	M-F	8:00 am- 2:00 pm	School	Breakfast, Lunch, Snack	Yes*
	A28	Royal Owl Academy 4110 NE 9th Ave, 97211 971-245-2048 email: royalowacademy@gmail.com https://royalowacademy.wixsite.com/royalowacademy/about		M-F	7:00 am- 5:00 pm	Certified In-Home Provider	Breakfast, AM Snack, Lunch, PM Snack	No
	A10	Sacramento Elementary: Parkrose School District 11400 NE Sacramento St, 97220 503-408-2800 email: lizabeth_alvarez@parkrose.k12.or.us https://sa.parkrose.k12.or.us/	Parent/ Guardian must reside in Parkrose School District	M-F	8:00 am- 2:00 pm	School	Breakfast, Lunch, Snack	Yes*
	A30	The Finch Academy 4222 NE 12th Ave, 97211 971-544-7291 email: delorie.finch@thefinchacademy.org thefinchacademy.org		M-F	9:00 am - 3:30 pm	Child Care Center	AM Snack, Lunch, PM Snack	No

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North & Northwest Portland

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	A07	ABC University Preschool at Linnton Community Center 10614 NW St. Helens Rd., 97231 503-286-4990 email: abcuniversitypreschool@gmail.com Linntoncommunitycenter.org		M-F	7:00 am - 6:00 pm	Child Care Center	AM Snack, Lunch, PM Snack	No
	A36	Discovery Gardens: Kenton 8418 N Brandon Ave, 97217 971-400-8880 email: Sheila@discoverygardenschildcare.com https://discoverygardenschildcare.com/		M-F	7:00 am- 5:30 pm	Child Care Center	Breakfast, Lunch, PM Snack	No
	A03	Discovery Gardens: Lombard 1030 N Lombard St Suite D, 97217 971-400-8880 email: Sheila@discoverygardenschildcare.com https://discoverygardenschildcare.com/		M-F	7:00 am- 5:30 pm	Child Care Center	Breakfast, Lunch, PM Snack	No
	A17	Friendly House 1737 NW 26th Ave, 97210 503-228-4391 email: preschool@fhpd.org www.fhpd.org		M-F	8:00 am- 6:00 pm	Child Care Center	Breakfast, Lunch, PM Snack	No
	A22	Sheila's Tinee Totz 2120 N Dekum St, 97217 503-285-7678 email: sheilastineetotz@gmail.com		M-F	6:00 am- 6:00 pm	Certified In-Home Provider	Breakfast, AM Snack, Lunch, PM Snack, Light Dinner	No

Southeast Portland

Calendar Year	ID	2022-2023 Preschool for All Providers	Additional Information	Days	Hours	Setting Type	Meals Provided	Transportation Provided
	A06	Childsworld Learning Center 10525 SE Cherry Blossom Drive, 97216 503-234-3611 email: marybeth@childsworld.org www.childsworld.org		M-F	8:30 am- 3:00 pm	Child Care Center	No	No
	A08	Escuela Viva SE 1111 SE Pine, 97214 503-282-2091 email: escuelavivadirector@gmail.com https://www.escuela-viva.com/	Additional Languages Spoken: Spanish	M-F	8:00 am- 5:30 pm	Child Care Center	AM and PM Snack	No
	A41	Family Cares Daycare 3ee 3425 SE 157th Ave, 97236 971-279-4394 email: batesanita@yahoo.com https://www.familycaresdaycare.com/		M-F	7:00 am- 5:00 pm	Certified In-Home Provider	Breakfast, AM Snack, Lunch, PM Snack	Yes*

	A33	Happy Angel's Daycare 705 SE 155th Ave, 97233 503-490-0623 email: 503angelsdaycare@gmail.com		M-F	6:00 am- 6:00 pm	Certified In-Home Provider	Breakfast, AM Snack, Lunch, PM Snack	No
	A18	Harmony Montessori 17630 SE Main St, 97233 503-255-5337 email: harmony.enrollment@harmony-montessori.com www.Harmony-Montessori.com	This program includes summer care from 6/26/23- 8/18/23	M-F	7:30 am- 5:30 pm	Child Care Center	Breakfast, Lunch, PM Snack	No
	A38	Hortencias Daycare 9845 SE Hult St, 97266 971-270-7149 email: Hceniceros58@gmail.com	Additional Languages Spoken: Spanish	M-F	6:00 am- 6:00 pm	Registered In-Home Provider	Breakfast, AM Snack, Lunch, PM Snack, Dinner	Yes*
	A11	Juniper Berry Playground 12026 SE Foster Rd, 97210 415-583-2163 email: juniperberryplaygarden@gmail.com https://www.juniperberryplaygarden.org		M-F	8:30 am- 2:30 pm	Certified In-Home Provider	Breakfast, AM Snack, Lunch Snack	No
	A21	Melody's Munchkins-SE 145th 2045 SE 145th Ave, 97233 503-334-9949 email: melodysmunchkins@gmail.com http://www.melodysmunchkins.com		M-F	7:00 am- 6:00 pm	Certified In-Home Provider	Breakfast, Lunch, PM Snack, Dinner	No
	A02	Melody's Munchkins- Little Blossoms-Holgate 10201 SE Holgate Blvd, 97266 503-334-9949 email: melodysmunchkins@gmail.com http://www.melodysmunchkins.com		M-F	7:00 am- 5:30 pm	Certified In-Home Provider	Breakfast, Lunch, PM Snack	No
	A15	Melody's Munchkins-Little Blooms-Mill 14124 SE Mill St., 97233 503-334-9949 email: melodysmunchkins@gmail.com http://www.melodysmunchkins.com		M-F	7:00 am- 5:30 pm	Certified In-Home Provider	Breakfast, Lunch, PM Snack	No
	A05	Mentes Creativas Child Care 10431 SE Schiller St, 97266 503-734-9075 email: Mentesc2006@yahoo.com	Additional Languages Spoken: Spanish	M-F	5:00 am- 5:00 pm	Certified In-Home Provider	Breakfast, AM Snack, Lunch, PM Snack	No
	A39	Olivia Learning Center: 102C SE 122nd Ave and Holgate, 97236 971-227-5916 email: olivialearningcenter2020@gmail.com https://www.olivialearningcenter.com/		M-F	6:30am- 5:30pm	Registered In-Home Provider	Breakfast, Lunch, Snack, Dinner	No
	A26	Pixie Child Care 2740 SE 174th Ave, 97236 503-761-4341 email: pixiechildcare@gmail.com www.pixiechildcare.net		M-F	5:00 am- 5:30 pm	Child Care Center	Breakfast, Lunch, PM Snack	Yes*
	A40	Pixie Plus SE 164th and Powell, 97236 503-761-4341 email: pixiechildcare@gmail.com www.pixiechildcare.net		M-F	7:00 am- 5:00 pm	Certified In-Home Provider	Breakfast, Lunch, PM Snack	No

	A25	Richmond Learning Academy 2645 SE 154th Ave, 97236 503-960-0987 email: richmondlearningacademy@gmail.com https://www.richmondlearningacademy.com/		M-F Sat	4:00 am- 5:30 pm	Registered In-Home Provider	Breakfast, Snack and Lunch	No
	A29	Santa's Little Cloud 4121 SE 112th Ave, 97266 503-752-7531 email: santabp27@gmail.com http://santaslittlecloud.com/	Additional Languages Spoken: Spanish	M-F	24 hour care	Certified In-Home Provider	Breakfast, AM Snack, Lunch, PM Snack, Dinner, Evening Snack	No
	A14	Shannon's Child Care and Preschool 12900 SE Powell, 97236 503-760-6783 email: Shanchldcare@aol.com www.shannonschildcare.com		M-F	7:00 am- 5:00 pm	Certified In-Home Provider	Breakfast, AM Snack, Lunch, PM Snack	No
	A23	Tender Loving Childcare 2246 SE 152nd Ave, 97233 503 762-6415 email: john.schooley6181@gmail.com		M-F	6:30 am- 5:30 pm	Certified In-Home Provider	Breakfast, AM Snack, Lunch, PM Snack	No
	A42	Wild Lilac 3829 SE 74th Ave, 97206 503 236-3240 email: enrollment@wildlilac.org www.wildlilac.org		M-F	7:30 am- 5:30 pm	Child Care Center	AM Snack, Lunch, PM Snack	No

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Preschool Setting Types

All PFA partners will meet basic program standards that align to the State of Oregon Office of Child Care licensing requirements for health and safety, staffing, and programming. Preschool for All requires home based and child care center providers to be licensed. The State does not require that school district preschools are licensed.

For more information regarding licensing and unlicensed program requirements you may contact the [Oregon Department of Education, Office of Child Care](#).

Home-Based

Families choose home-based providers for different reasons:

- The home-like environment is appealing to many families.
- Family child care providers care for fewer children at one time than child care centers.
- Siblings can be together because most family child care homes have different ages of children enrolled.

- There are fewer adults that may care for your child on a daily basis.
- Family child care homes may be more flexible with their hours of operation compared to other types of care.

Center-Based

Some families prefer a center environment for their child. Families choose centers for different reasons:

- A larger setting in a commercial space is preferred.
- Children are in the same classroom with their peers.
- There are more adults/staff on site to provide oversight.
- There are a variety of teachers with various teaching styles.
- Some centers have larger outdoor play areas.

Schools and like settings

Other families choose a school setting for their children. Some reasons may include:

- Families may have older children who are enrolled in the same school.
- Preschool children become familiar with the school and when entering kindergarten, transition may be easier.
- Families like the wrap-around services and other support some schools offer.
- There are more adults/staff on site to provide oversight.
- The school is in their neighborhood.

There are many things to consider when choosing a preschool for your child and we wish you the best in finding the right program for your child.

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For general questions, please contact us by sending an email to: preschoolforall@multco.us.