

# **Pre-Kindergarten Program** North Little Rock School District

The North Little Rock School District offers Pre-K at six sites: Amboy Elementary School, Boone Park Elementary School, Glenview Elementary School, Meadow Park Elementary, Pike View Early Childhood Center, and Seventh Street Elementary School.

Each Pre-K school site has highly-qualified early childhood certified teachers and instructional assistants. These éducators are devoted to developing scholars who will grow up to be world class leaders.

### **Benefits of Early Childhood Education**

There are many benefits to your students who attend Pre-K.

- It prepares children for early foundational literacy and math skills.
- Students gain social and emotional skills to make friends and to control their
- Students develop oral language skills, which will increase vocabulary and communication skills.
- Pre-K students have a higher advantage on learning to read and are more prepared for kindergarten than their peers who did not attend Pre-K.

#### **Pre-K Registration Procedures**

The North Little Rock School District welcomes families who meet eligibility requirements to enroll their students into our Pre-K Program. Children who are 3 years of age by August 1, 2023, OR 4 years of age by August 1, 2023, are eligible to apply for the NLRSD Pre-K Program.

#### **Pre-K Eligibility Factors**

Families interested in the NLRSD Pre-K Program must meet one of the following eligibility factors:

- Income Guidelines
- Teenage Parent Household (<18 years of age)
- Parent Education Level (did not complete high school)
- Low Birth Weight (5 pounds, 9 ounces)
- Special Needs (IEP documentation)
- Parent Actively Deployed
- Convicted/Drug Offense
- Living with Someone Other Than Biological Parent
- Non-English Speaking/LEP
- Substance Abuse/Addiction
- **Incarcerated Parent**
- **Foster Child**
- **Developmental Delay**

# **Contact Information**

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## **School Times**

Start Time: 7:30 a.m., Dismissal: 2:00 p.m.-2:30

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