

## Registration information continued ...

**Screening:** Your child must be screened before attending Bridge to School. Has your child been through early childhood screening? (check one)  
 Yes  No, I will call for an appointment – 952-431-8330

### Language

Primary language spoken in home: \_\_\_\_\_

### Preschool or child care experience

Has your child been enrolled in:  preschool  child care  
Name of preschool or child care \_\_\_\_\_  
Years in attendance \_\_\_\_\_ Number of days per week \_\_\_\_\_

### Has your child experienced any significant personal, social or family stresses?

For example, divorce, loss or separation, illness, unemployment, change of residence, drug or chemical use, incarceration, domestic disputes or abuse.  Yes  No

### Has your child been referred to Bridge to School by any of these agencies?

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Early Childhood Screening         | <input type="checkbox"/> Head Start      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Early Childhood Special Education | <input type="checkbox"/> Physician       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Family School                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Social Services |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____                      |  |

### Additional comments:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**For help completing this form, call 952-431-8334.  
Intpreeters are available for registration help.**



**Mail to:** Bridge to School, ECLC, 5800 W. 149th St., Apple Valley, MN 55124

**Fax to:** (952)431-8337  
(remember both sides)

**Program placement begins  
May 1, 2009.**

Confirmation letters will be mailed June 2009.  
Registrations will be taken until classes are filled.



School District 196  
**Bridge to School**



**Independent School District 196  
14445 Diamond Path W.  
Rosemount, MN 55068**

serving Apple Valley, Burnsville, Coates, Egan,  
Inver Grove Heights, Lakeville, Rosemount, and  
Empire and Vermillion Townships

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# Play and Learn at Preschool!



School District 196

## 2009-2010 Bridge to School

School Readiness and  
ECSE Collaborative  
Preschool Program

## Preschool for children 4 years old on or before September 1, 2009

### What is Bridge to School?

Bridge to School is a preschool program that prepares children for kindergarten. It will prepare your child by providing him or her with experiences in beginning reading and writing skills, encouraging language development, participating in a group setting, following rules and routines and getting along with other children in a group. Children must be 4-years-old on or before September 1, 2009, and live in School District 196. This program is for children who will attend kindergarten in fall 2010.

All classes are taught by licensed early childhood teachers and are well staffed to meet the needs of all children. Some of the classes are combined with the district's Early Childhood Special Education program.

Priority is given to children who are referred by Early Childhood Screening, are learning English, need financial assistance, or have other significant personal or family needs.

### When and where will the preschool program be held?

Classes are held throughout the district in designated early childhood classrooms. Some transportation is provided to some locations. Classes are scheduled mornings or afternoons, two-or three-days a week, for two and a half hours. Times vary by location. Your child will be assigned a class based on availability and convenience to home. Bridge to School runs according to the elementary school calendar, from September through mid-June 2010.

### How do I register?

If your child would benefit from a preschool experience and he or she fits the criteria mentioned above, fill out the attached registration form and mail it to the address indicated, or fax both sides to the number listed. You will be notified in early June regarding your enrollment in Bridge to School.

Learn new things!

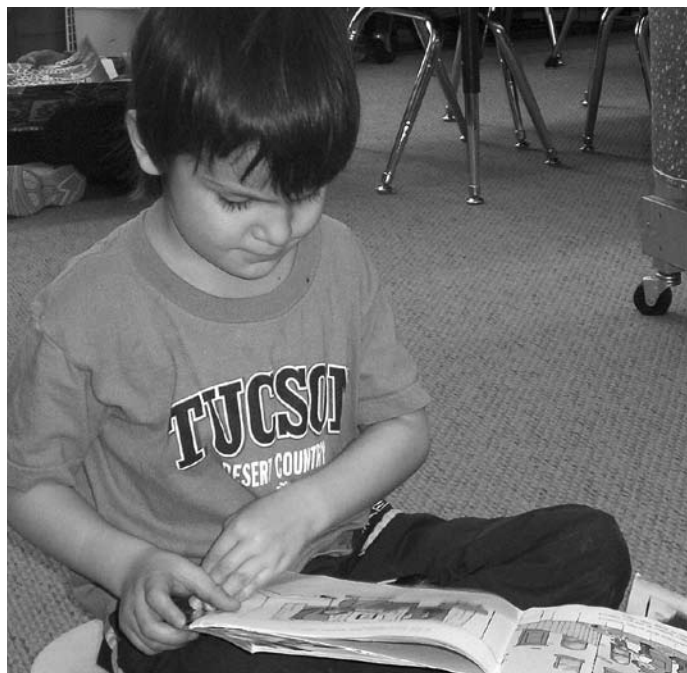


### What is the cost for this preschool program?

Full tuition for a two-day per week program is \$100 per month. The three-day per week program is \$140 per month.

Limited tuition assistance is available. Reduced monthly tuition is available based on family size and "total yearly household income." Use the scale below to determine your monthly tuition. Call 952-431-8334 if you have any questions.

Play with other children!



### Sliding Fee Scale for Tuition Assistance

- 1) Find your family size.
- 2) Move right to your Total Yearly Household Income.
- 3) Move down to Monthly Tuition (shaded area) to find your monthly tuition payment amount.

FAMILY SIZE	TOTAL YEARLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME					
	\$0-11,900	\$12,000-15,500	\$15,600-21,500	\$21,600-27,500	\$27,600-33,400	\$33,500 & over
2	\$0-11,900	\$12,000-15,500	\$15,600-21,500	\$21,600-27,500	\$27,600-33,400	\$33,500 & over
3	\$0-15,000	\$15,100-19,500	\$19,600-27,000	\$27,100-34,500	\$34,600-42,000	\$42,100 & over
4	\$0-18,100	\$18,200-23,500	\$23,600-32,600	\$32,700-41,600	\$41,700-50,700	\$50,800 & over
5	\$0-21,200	\$21,300-27,500	\$27,600-38,100	\$38,200-48,700	\$48,800-59,300	\$59,400 & over
6	\$0-24,300	\$24,400-31,500	\$31,600-43,700	\$43,800-55,800	\$55,900-68,000	\$68,100 & over
7	\$0-27,300	\$27,400-35,500	\$35,600-49,200	\$49,300-63,000	\$63,100-76,600	\$76,700 & over
8	\$0-30,400	\$30,500-39,500	\$39,600-54,800	\$54,900-70,000	\$70,100-85,200	\$85,300 & over
MONTHLY TUITION						
2-day class	\$0	\$25	\$40	\$60	\$80	\$100
3-day class	\$0	\$35	\$56	\$84	\$112	\$140

## Bridge to School Registration Form

September 2009–June 2010

Registration Deadline is April 30, 2009.  
Placement begins May 1, 2009.

All of the following information is needed to help place a child in Bridge to School. Priority is given to children who are referred by screening, are learning English, need financial assistance, or have other significant personal or family needs. All information is confidential.

Please print  
**Child's Name:**

Last \_\_\_\_\_ First \_\_\_\_\_ Middle \_\_\_\_\_  
 Boy/Girl \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
 (circle one)

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

What school will your child attend for kindergarten? \_\_\_\_\_

### Parent Information:

Parent's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
 Parent's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

### Transportation

I am willing to drive my child to the following location(s) - check all that apply:  
(Locations subject to change)

- Early Childhood Learning Center, Apple Valley - afternoon class
- Grace Lutheran Church, Apple Valley - afternoon class
- Deerwood Elementary School, Eagan - morning or afternoon class
- Thomas Lake Elementary School, Eagan - morning or afternoon class
- Woodland Elementary School, Eagan - afternoon class

Bus transportation is available on a very **limited** basis. Families unable to drive their child are eligible for transportation.

- My child can **ONLY** attend with transportation services.

Explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

### Tuition Information

Do not submit payment with this form. You will be billed later. (check one)

- I am able to pay full tuition (two-day, \$100 per month/three-day, \$140/month)
- I will need tuition assistance. (Please check the sliding fee scale and answer the following 3 questions.)
  1. Number of people in household? \_\_\_\_\_
  2. Approximate annual family income? \_\_\_\_\_
  3. Payment amount based on fee scale? \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE FILL OUT BOTH SIDES OF REGISTRATION FORM