

Registering for Preschool FAQ?

When and where do I register?

- Current 2018-19 enrolled Stepping Stones and ECFE families can register on Monday, January 14, 2019 at 8:00am. Registration takes place at the Shakopee Public Schools District Office located at 1200 Town Square Shakopee, MN 55379. This is located at the west end of the mall; next to the Dollar Store.
- Families not currently enrolled in the Stepping Stones Preschool program can register Thursday, January 17, 2019 at the Early Childhood Extravaganza (see enclosed flyer) or on Friday, January 18, 2019 at the Shakopee Public Schools District Office located at 1200 Town Square Shakopee, MN 55379. This is located at the west end of the mall; next to the Dollar Store.

How do I register?

- Choose a class (1st and 2nd choice) based on your child's age as of September 1, 2019.
- Complete one registration form for each individual child.
- All registrations must be in-person and include the non-refundable \$80 registration fee for preschool and a \$50 initial deposit for extended care. The extended care deposit will go toward your first month of tuition.
- Registrations will be processed on a first-come, first-served basis.

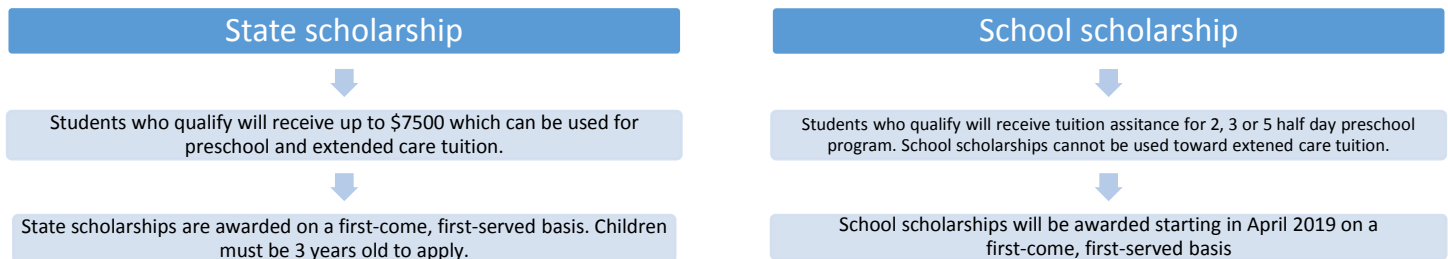
How do I pay for my class?

- Monthly payments for preschool and extended care are due the 1st of each month. You can pay online, sign up for auto pay, mail to or drop off at the Shakopee Public Schools District Office located at 1200 Shakopee Town Square, Shakopee, MN 55379.

Preschool Scholarship FAQ?

How do scholarships work?

There are two scholarships that families can apply for, one with funds coming from the state and the other, state funds that are issued by our school. Here's a quick breakdown of the two scholarships.



Who can apply for a scholarship?

To be eligible for an Early Learning scholarship, families must live in Scott County and have a child who is 3 or 4 years old by September 1 of the current school year and not yet eligible for kindergarten. A family must have an annual income at or below the income guidelines. Guidelines change from year to year. Check with our office staff for the most recent income guidelines.

I'm currently receiving a scholarship, do I have to reapply?

Yes, current three year olds enrolled in the 2018-19 Stepping Stones Preschool automatically qualify for a scholarship as a four year old in the 2019-2020 Stepping Stones Preschool. However, you **MUST** fill out a renewal application to continue receiving a scholarship for your child.

Please contact Elaine at 952-496-5054 or eberens@shakopee.k12.mn.us for specific information on how to apply for an Early Learning scholarships.

Families that are over the income guideline but are experiencing a family hardship can contact Elaine for scholarship consideration.

Apply early.