

2021-2022 Prek Application

Clarkstown, Nanuet, North Rockland, Nyack, Pearl River, South Orangetown, Suffern Central

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Universal Prekindergarten (UPK) and Statewide Full Day Prekindergarten are special early childhood programs which was established by the New York State Education Department (NYSED) and contracted by School Districts to provide an early learning experience for the children of eligible families. Eligible families are defined as: those who live in a contracted School District and have children who will be four years old by December 1, 2021 (your child must have been born between December 1, 2016 and December 1, 2017). Universal Prekindergarten and Statewide Full Day Prekindergarten are now accepting applications for the 2021-2022 school year (**pending funding approval in the NYS budget**) This is an early childhood program conducted with a qualified teacher and an assistant in every class. The children in UPK attend five (5) half days for 2½ hours each day; the children in Statewide Full Day Prekindergarten attend five (5) days a week for 5 hours each day for 180 days per school year, at no cost to you.

When you return the application, please include the following:

1. Proof of age eligibility:
 - A. A duly certified transcript of a birth certificate filed according to the law, or a duly certified transcript of a record of baptism, giving the date of birth; or, if not available
 - B. A passport showing the date of birth of the minor; or, if not available
 - C. Other documentary evidence or other recorded evidence in existence two years or more, and satisfactory to the certifying officer, except an affidavit of age.
2. Proof of residence- - 2 Documents are requested. (Documentation showing your name & address. Ex.: Mailing address on a current bank statement, tax bill, utility bill or credit card bill. **UNACCEPTABLE DOCUMENTS** as proof of residence are handwritten envelopes, magazine covers, termination notice for utility bills and income tax returns)

It is important to return the completed application by April 1, 2021 to:

CHILD CARE RESOURCES OF ROCKLAND, INC.
235 NORTH MAIN STREET, SUITE 11
SPRING VALLEY, N.Y. 10977
FAX: (845) 425-5312
ATTN: Jenine Valentino email: childcarerockland@gmail.com

If an application is received and/ or postmarked after April 1, 2021, the application will be placed into a district waiting pool unless slots are available.

STATEMENT OF METHOD FOR SELECTION OF CHILDREN Child Care Resources of Rockland, Inc. (CCRR) will oversee the registration process. CCRR will accept the applications and verify eligibility. If more requests are made than NYSED has funded, for a specific school district and/ or contracted early childhood program, a lottery will be used to select children to participate in the UPK and Statewide Full Day Prekindergarten program. Children will be considered for the lottery if the complete application, proof of age eligibility and proof of residency are on file with this office. Children will be placed according to parent choice, if possible. Parents/Guardians will be notified of the status of their child, by mail, once slots have been filled. Notification will be sent by the end of May 2021. If your child(ren) are placed into PreK this application will become the property of the school district. For further information or assistance with this application please call Jenine Valentino at (845) 425-0009 x460.

Thank you for your cooperation in providing the necessary information.

Sincerely yours,

Karen Ross

Director of Family, Community and Operations Services

Updated 8/9/2021

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CIRCLE THE APPROPRIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT WHERE YOUR FAMILY RESIDES:

CLARKSTOWN NANUET NORTH ROCKLAND NYACK PEARL RIVER SOUTH ORANGETOWN SUFFERN

For North Rockland, Nyack, South Orangetown and Suffern are you interested in full day? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Child's First Name _____

Child's Last Name _____

Date of Birth _____

Gender _____

Is the child Hispanic, Latino or of Spanish origin? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Language Spoken at Home (if other than English) _____

Ethnicity: ☐ Black ☐ American Indian/ Alaskan Native ☐ White ☐ Asian ☐ Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander

Has the child had an educational evaluation: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Custodial Parent/Guardian _____ Other (please explain) _____

Parent First Name _____ Last Name _____

Parent First Name _____ Last Name _____

Where is the student currently living? (Please check one box) ☐ In a shelter ☐ In a hotel/motel ☐ In a car, park, bus, train or campsite ☐ With another family or other person because of loss of housing or as a result of economic hardship (sometimes referred to as "doubled up") ☐ In permanent housing.

☐ Other temporary living situation (Please describe): _____

Home Address: Street _____ Apt# _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

******* Please circle best form of communication for correspondence*******

Parent Phone Number _____ Cell Phone _____

Parent Phone Number _____ Cell Phone _____

Email address for correspondence _____

Siblings (Brothers /Sisters):

Name: _____ DOB _____ Name: _____ DOB _____

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I have completed the application and submitted the required documentation. I understand that my application will not be considered for selection unless all the following documentation has been submitted and is complete:

☐ **Proof of Age Eligibility** ☐ **Proof of Residence**

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ **Date** _____

Are you eligible for Free or Reduced Lunch? _____ See Attached Chart

Please write the name of the PreK site you want your child to attend in order of preference

1st Choice _____ 2nd Choice _____ 3rd Choice _____



Child Care Providers Participating in state-funded Universal and Full Day PreKindergarten for the 2021-22 School Year

AM Session	PM Session	Choice # (1, 2 or 3)		Program Name	Address	Point of Contact and Phone Number
Blauvelt						
<u>9am-2pm</u>	<u>1-3:30pm</u>		* ***	Preschool Playhouse/Funland	557 Western Highway Blauvelt, NY 10913	Adam Fiala (845) 359-4562
<u>8:30am-11:15am</u> <u>8:30am-2pm</u>			* ***	St. Catherine's Early Education Center**	517 Western Highway Blauvelt, NY 10913	Barbara Feeney (845) 359-4330
**St. Catherine's will only serve children in Clarkstown, Nanuet, Pearl River and South Orangetown						
Garnerville						
<u>8am-10:30am</u> <u>8am-2:40pm</u>	<u>12:10pm-2:40pm</u>		* ***	St. Gregory	26 Cinder Road Garnerville, NY 10923	Dana Spicer (845) 947-1330
Haverstraw						
<u>10:45am-1:15pm</u> <u>9:30am-2:40pm</u>	<u>1:30pm-4pm</u>		* ***	Haverstraw Day Care	212 Route 9W Haverstraw, NY 10927	Gabriella Armas (845) 429-2323
<u>9am-11:30am</u> <u>8:30am-11am</u>				Haverstraw Head Start**	138-146 Maple Avenue Haverstraw, NY 10927	Tanya Soto (845) 429-2225
**Must also meet Head Start eligibility requirements						
<u>9am-11:30am</u> <u>8am-1pm</u>	<u>12:30-3pm</u>		* ***	Benim Academy of Haverstraw	21 Ridge Street Haverstraw, NY 10927	Lana Benim (845) 472-3292
Nanuet						
<u>8:30am-11am</u>	<u>12-2:30pm</u>		*	George Miller School**	50 Blauvelt Road Nanuet, NY 10954	Rose Ann Mercado (845) 627-4889
**This program at George Miller will be operated by the Nanuet Family Resource Center and will accept Nanuet School District Children only						
New City						
<u>8am-1pm</u>	<u>12:30-3pm</u>		*	Benim Scholastic Academy	114 South Main Street	Lana Benim



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			***		New City, NY 10956	(845) 521-7055
<u>8am-11am</u> <u>8am-3pm</u>	<u>12pm-3pm</u>		* ***	Cornerstone Christian School	384 New Hempstead Road New City, NY 10956	Jeanette Rosa-Sanchez (845) 637-3439
<u>8:30am-11am</u>	<u>12-2:30pm</u>			Busy Bee Playschool	39 Germonds Road New City, NY 10956	Ric Rabinowitz (845) 623-0849
<u>9am-11:30am</u>	<u>1-3:30pm</u>		*	Jawonio	160 Little Tor Road New City, NY 10956	Heidi McCarthy (845) 708-2000 x3255
	<u>12-2:30pm</u>		*	New City Jewish Center	47 Schoolhouse Road New City, NY 10956	Jacalyn Binstock (845) 638-9600 x117
<u>9:15am-11:45am</u>			*	Sonshine Community Nursery & Day Care	384 New Hempstead Road New City, NY 10956	Donisia DeCicco (845) 634-2163
<u>9am-11:30am</u>			*	Tutor Time – New City	227 North Main Street New City, NY 10956	Karen Wizeman (845) 708-8270
Nyack						
<u>8:30am-11am</u> <u>8:30am-1:30pm</u>	<u>12:30-3pm</u>		* ***	Montessori Center of Nyack	85 Marion Street Nyack, NY 10960	Girish Narasimhan (845) 358-9209
<u>8:30am-11am</u>				Nyack Head Start**	85 Depew Avenue Nyack, NY 10960	Kira Davenport (845) 358-2234
**Must also meet Head Start eligibility requirements						



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Palisades						
<u>9am-2pm</u>			***	Red Owl Academy, LLC	680 Oak Tree Road Palisades, NY 10964	Liana Sargsyan-Quinn (845) 848-2407
Pearl River						
<u>9am-11:30am</u> <u>9am-2:30pm</u>	<u>12-2:30pm</u>		* ***	Children's Corner	1 Blue Hill Plaza Pearl River, NY 10965	Sari Altabet (845) 620-1669
<u>9am-11:30am</u>	<u>12-2:30pm</u>			Good Shepherd	112 North Main Street Pearl River, NY 10965	Renee Bucci (845) 735-2737
<u>9am-11:30am</u>	<u>12-2:30pm</u>			Nauraushaun Nursery School	51 Sickletown Road Pearl River, NY 10965	Tara DiRocco (845) 735-4787
Pomona						
<u>9:30am-12pm</u> <u>9:30am-3pm</u>	<u>12:30-3pm</u>		* ***	Rockland Worksite Day Care	50 Sanatorium Road, Bldg. R Pomona, NY 10970	Maria Lane (845) 364-2697
Sloatsburg						
<u>9:15am-11:45am</u>				Y's Beginnings – Sloatsburg	11 Second Street Sloatsburg, NY 10974	Suzette Venner (845) 357-3223
Stony Point						
<u>9am-11:30am</u> <u>9am-2pm</u>			* ***	Children of America	21 South Liberty Drive Stony Point, NY 10980	Amanda Munderville (845) 429-4621
<u>8am-10:30am</u>			*	The Magic Garden Child Care	103 Filors Lane Stony Point, NY 10980	Denise Forsberg (845) 942-8149



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Suffern						
<u>9am-11:30am</u> <u>9am-2pm</u>			* ***	Kindercare	36 Route 59 Suffern, NY 10901	Renata Hackert (845) 357-4048
<u>Full Day Times</u> <u>TBD</u>			***	Cherry Lane Elementary School	1 Heather Drive Airmont, NY 10901	Alexis Fibble (845) 357-7783 x232
**The Cherry Lane Elementary School program will accept Suffern Central Children Only						
<u>UPK Times TBD</u>				Viola Elementary School	557 Route 202 Montebello, NY 10901	Alexis Fibble (845) 357-7783 x232
**The Viola Elementary School program will accept Suffern Central Children Only						
<u>9am-11:30am</u>	<u>12:30-3pm</u>			Y's Beginnings Suffern	18 Parkside Drive Suffern, NY 10901	Suzette Venner (845) 357-3223
Valley Cottage						
<u>8am-10:30am</u> <u>8am-1pm</u>	<u>12-2:30pm</u>		* ***	St. Paul's Pre-K	365 Kings Highway Valley Cottage, NY 10989	Jessica Perez (845) 268-6506
West Haverstraw						
<u>9am-11:30am</u>	<u>12-2:30pm</u>		*	The Jan and Niles Davies Learning Center	Bldg. 40 Route 9W Helen Hayes Hospital West Haverstraw, NY 10993	Lindsay Smyth
PLEASE NOTE *Programs that offer extended hours for a fee ***Programs that offer Statewide Full Day Pre-Kindergarten						