

To whom it may concern,

I do not like the idea of preschool in the school setting. School was supposed to start in 1st grade, then they decided they needed to get the kids ready for 1st grade, so they started Kindergarten, now you want to add another prep course to the pre course?? This is insanity. Some of these kids can't even put a sock on yet, or blow their nose, or use a toilet, or talk in complete sentences, or share, or stay awake, or stop crying.....LET THEM BE LITTLE!!!

If you add preschool programs to the school you will put home daycares out of business. We can only take 1 or 2 infants depending on our license, most of our enrollments are preschool. The home daycares will close and then there will be nowhere for infants and toddlers to go. This will MAJORLY impact businesses, as parents will have to quit their jobs to stay home, or single parents will have to get on government programs.

This is not needed and a lose-lose for all involved.

Please vote no on this bill.

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