

Pre-Kindergarten Schools

All Classes are Full Day (6 hours per day)

Classes available in **Hmong, Spanish, French**

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| Adams Spanish Immersion | 651-298-1595 |
| American Indian Magnet | 651-778-3100 |
| Battle Creek Elementary | 651-744-4130 |
| Benjamin E. Mays IB World School | 651-325-2400 |
| Bruce Vento Elementary | 651-293-8685 |
| Cherokee Heights Elementary | 651-293-8610 |
| Como Park Elementary | 651-293-8820 |
| Crossroads Elementary Science | 651-767-8540 |
| Dayton's Bluff Achievement Plus | 651-293-8915 |
| Early Childhood Hub East | 651-293-5461 |
| Early Childhood Hub West | 651-293-5200 |
| Eastern Heights Elementary | 651-744-6610 |
| EXPO for Excellence Elementary | 651-290-8384 |
| Farnsworth Aerospace (Lower) | 651-293-8675 |
| Four Seasons A+ Elementary | 651-290-7595 |
| Frost Lake Elementary | 651-293-8930 |
| Global Arts Plus (Lower) | 651-293-6606 |
| Groveland Park Elementary | 651-293-8760 |
| Hamline Elementary | 651-293-8715 |
| Hazel Park Preparatory Academy | 651-293-8970 |
| Highland Park Elementary | 651-293-8770 |
| Highwood Hills Elementary | 651-744-3290 |
| L'Etoile du Nord French Immersion | 651-744-1050 |
| Maxfield Elementary | 651-293-8680 |
| Mississippi Creative Arts School | 651-293-8840 |
| Paul & Sheila Wellstone Elementary | 651-290-8354 |
| Phalen Lake Hmong Studies | 651-293-8935 |
| Riverview West Side School of Excellence | 651-293-8665 |
| Saint Paul Music Academy | 651-293-8795 |
| The Heights Community School | 651-293-8815 |

Montessori schools also offer programming for 4-year-olds.

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| Crossroads Montessori | 651-767-8540 |
| J.J. Hill Montessori | 651-293-8720 |
| Nokomis Montessori North | 651-744-7440 |
| Nokomis Montessori South | 651-744-5500 |

We strive to ensure lasting achievement for all early learners.

Saint Paul Public Schools Pre-Kindergarten prepares each child and family for Kindergarten by providing an academically rigorous early childhood education aligned with the district's K-12 standards-based instructional model.

For more information, call the school you are interested in attending.

To apply, call the Student Placement Center at 651-632-3760 or apply online at apply.spps.org.

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PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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**Classes for children
the year before
Kindergarten**



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Pre-Kindergarten provides preschool education for children the year before Kindergarten to prepare them for school success.

Pre-Kindergarten is open to children who are 4-years-old by September 1 and live in St. Paul

Admission priority is given to children who are:

- eligible for free or reduced-price meals, or
- English language learners, or
- enrolled in *Early Childhood Special Education*.

Classes focus on teaching children to:

see themselves as capable learners,

develop reading, writing and math skills,

work well with other children and adults.



Through Early Childhood Screening parents learn more about the health and development of their children.

Screening is free of charge and is required when enrolling.

Screenings include:

- Vision check
- Hearing check
- Immunization review
- Height and weight measurement
- Developmental/speech screening
- Screening interview



School bus transportation is provided on K-6 or Early Childhood Special Education buses where available.

20 children are enrolled in each class with a licensed teacher and a teaching assistant.

Children are enrolled for a full school year, 6 hours a day.



Caregiver Engagement and Education

The Office of Early Learning provides:

- multilingual family engagement and education opportunities to support the transition into Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten,
- home-to-school strategies to support anytime, anywhere learning,
- connections to elementary school family opportunities,
- connections to community resources, and
- child development information.