

Belding Early Childhood Center

1975 Orchard Street
Belding, Michigan 48809
(616) 794-4713

Angela L. Bush, Director

Dear Parent:

Belding Preschool is currently accepting applications. Our Three-Year Old Preschool sessions will meet from 9:00 - 11:15 a.m., the afternoon session will be from 12:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Our Four-Year Old sessions will meet from 9:00 - 11:30 a.m., and the afternoon session will meet from 12:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

HOW WILL MY CHILD BENEFIT?

Your child will benefit by development in the following areas:

- a) Development of sense of self-worth.
- b) Awareness of and appreciation of the world around him/her.
- c) Develop basic skills for using creative materials - paints, crayons, scissors, etc.
- d) Ability to interact positively with other children and adults.
- e) Increase of attention span through listening to stories, discussions, and directions.
- f) Enjoyment of music, stories, poems, and games.
- g) Vocabulary improvement, auditory and visual discrimination, develop number and reading readiness.
- h) Improve coordination - large and small muscle
- i) Develop and improve sharing with other children.
- j) Development of self-control and group participation.

MORE ABOUT WHAT WE OFFER

A positive preschool experience can pave the way to future successful school years for a child. Here at Belding Early Childhood Center, we try to provide that positive atmosphere which allows for the maximum development of the preschool student.

Through the planned activities, readiness skills in pre-math, pre-reading, science, and language arts are developed. Growth in creativity is also stressed in art projects, music, and dramatic movement.

By participating in supervised free play with peers, the preschool child developed social skills such as receiving acceptance, independence, willingness to share, and acquiring a positive self-concept.

Belding Early Childhood Center is administered by Belding Area Schools. Scheduled vacation days will be the same as those listed on the Belding Area Schools calendar.

The staff will consist of a Program Instructor/Supervisor and an assistant teacher trained in the care of preschool children. Class size is limited to a maximum of 18 students per session, with one teacher and one assistant teacher.

If you are interested in Belding Preschool for your child, please complete the attached registration form and mail to:

Mrs. Angela Bush
Belding Early Childhood Center
1975 Orchard Street
Belding, Michigan 48809

Classes are filled on a first come, first serve basis. There is a \$25.00 non-refundable registration fee that is due with the attached registration form for all students. Preschool tuition for September will be due on the first day your child attends in September. Please let your friends know about our program if you think they might be interested in our services.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at 616-794-4713.

Sincerely,

Angela L. Bush, Director
Belding Early Childhood Center

BELDING EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER
Application for Tuition-Based Preschool Enrollment

Child's Name _____ Date of Birth ____/____/____

Street Address _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Home Telephone _____ Work Telephone _____

Names of Parents/Guardians _____

Preschool tuition is based on \$8.00 per session. Stated amounts may vary somewhat depending on the number of days that falls in each month. Payment is due on the 1st of each month for that month of preschool. Tuition is as follows:

2 days per week - approx. \$64.00/month
3 days per week - approx. \$88.00/month

*Included in the price is a daily nutritional snack.

I would like my child to attend the: (Check One)

___ Afternoon Three-Year Old Preschool
Monday and Wednesday from 12:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

___ Afternoon Four-Year Old Preschool
Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 12:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Morning Four-Year Old Preschool
Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Morning Three-Year Old Preschool
Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:00 a.m. to 11:15 a.m.

Parents Signature _____ Date ____/____/____

We will contact you when your child's enrollment packet is ready to be picked up.

Print your child's name as you would like it to appear on his/her nametag. (This will be the name he/she will learn to read and write.) _____