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PRESS RELEASE

East Rutherford School District Pre-Kindergarten Registration

The East Rutherford School District's Pre-Kindergarten registration will be completed online for the 2020-2021 school year. Online registration may be completed via Genesis. Please click on the following link which will take you to the registration platform (https://genesis.genesisedu.com/erboe/openReg) or visit the district's website at www.erboe.net. Children born by October 1, 2016 will be eligible to enter Pre-K 4 in September 2020. Children born by October 1, 2017 will be eligible to enter Pre-K 3 in September 2020. Please see below for cost information regarding the offerings for the 2020-2021 school year. Pending enrollment, there will be a before care and after-school program offered for the Pre-K program. It is also important to note that the Preschool program will continue to be housed at the Faust Annex.

Price Menu of Preschool Program

Program	Cost
Full Day 3 & 4 year old program (residents only)	\$5,000.00
Half Day 3 & 4 year old program (residents only)	\$2,500.00
Pay in Full/Early Bird Special: Full Day 3 & 4 year old program (residents only)	\$4,500.00
Full Day 3 & 4 year old program (non-residents)	\$6,000.00
Half Day 3 & 4 year old program (non-residents)	\$3,000.00

Payment Procedures:

A signed contract and \$200.00 dollar deposit is required by June 29, 2020 in order to secure your spot in the Pre-Kindergarten program. Please mail your check and sign a contract to the: Business office, East Rutherford Board of Education, 100 Uhland Street, East Rutherford, NJ 07073.
Equal payments will be required beginning August 1 st to May 1 st (over 10 months)
\$5,000 - \$200.00 deposit - 10 equal payments of \$480.00 per month
\$2,500 - \$200.00 deposit - 10 equal payments of \$230.00 per month
\$6,000.00 - \$200.00 deposit - 10 equal payments of \$580.00 per month
\$3,000.00 - \$200.00 deposit - 10 equal payments of \$280.00 per month

Failure to meet these deadlines may terminate your contract and your child's registration.

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All Pre-K 4 students must be potty-trained by the start of the school year. Any Pre-K 4 student who is not potty-trained will not be able to attend our program. It is our goal to embrace as many of East Rutherford's youngest learners into our Pre-K 3 and Pre-K 4 programs; however we are committed to keeping class sizes at levels most appropriate to meet their needs. For this reason, we have a fixed number of seats available in each session. Beginning in the 2020-2021 school year, all Pre-K 3 students moving to Pre-K 4 will be given top priority in securing a spot within the Pre-K 4 program. All current Pre-K 3 families will receive communication from the district to indicate your Pre-K 4 program of preference. We will make every effort to accommodate your preference. All other parents who are interested in securing a spot in the Pre-K 4 program will be selected based on a lottery system. All new Pre-K 3 registered students will be selected through our lottery system. Please see below the procedures for the District's lottery system:

- At the time of registration, each registrant will be entered into a system that will randomly select names.
- At the close of the registration period on Monday, June 1, 2020 at 8:30 AM, all applications will be placed in order according to the randomized name drawing.
- Seats will be assigned according to this drawing and based on the selected program.
- It is our hope that we can accommodate all students, and we will offer a "second" choice as an option during the online registration process.
- Parents will be notified of their child's assignment no later than mid-June.
- Should we have remaining seats following the close of registration, we will reopen registration.

Please complete the online registration (found on www.erboe.net under the Registration Tab), and upload required proofs of residency, your child's birth certificate or passport, custody documents (if applicable), and immunization records/physical. Additional required forms can be found on our website and must be uploaded at this time (i.e. Home Language Survey, Authorization for Exchange of Confidential Information, etc.).

Required documents for proof of residency are: a property deed, sewer or tax bill or rental lease. You will also need one bill from the following list: current utility bill, current phone bill or voter registration and one of the following: current financial account/bank statement, current paystub with address or current state agency document.

Other prerequisites for admission to the East Rutherford School District are a current physical examination completed by your medical provider and proof of immunization against:

- DPT: Any student entering Pre-Kindergarten requires a minimum of 4 doses.
- Polio Oral Trivalent Vaccine: 3 doses required for Pre-K.
- Measles Mumps Rubella (MMR): Any child entering Pre-Kindergarten needs a minimum of 1 dose.
- Haemophilus influenzae type B (HIB) vaccine (an anti-meningitis vaccine) 1 dose required after the 1st birthday.
- Mantoux TB Test required if a student is coming from a specific country listed on the website.
- Hepatitis B Vaccine Series: 3 doses are required for entrance.
- Varicella Vaccine: 1 dose after 1 year of age, or history of Chickenpox disease documented by a physician.
- Pneumococcal: Minimum of 1 dose required after the 1st birthday.
- Influenza: 1 dose annually given between September 1st and December 31st of each year for all Pre-Kindergarten
- Vaccines are reviewed by school nurses prior to entrance into school.