



Fonda-Fultonville CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

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2024-2025 FULL DAY PREKINDERGARTEN PROGRAM

This application must be filled out completely and correctly by a parent with custodial authority or by a legal guardian. Incomplete applications cannot be processed. Applications must be received **by 1:00 p.m., April 10, 2024**. The District is encouraging the use of our [secure portal](#) to submit applications. However, if necessary applications can be mailed or hand delivered to: Fonda-Fultonville Central School District, Attn Data Coordinator, 112 Old Johnstown Road, P.O. Box 1501, Fonda, New York 12068.

Pre-Kindergarten children must be 4 years old on or before December 1, 2024. If seat availability, tuition paid students will be considered. Students who turn 5 years old prior to December 1, 2024 are not age-eligible to attend the program in the 2024-2025 school year.

Fill out one application for each child applying. If necessary, a virtual lottery will be held on April 12th at 8:30 a.m. More information to follow if this becomes necessary.

(Please Print)

Student Name: _____
(Last name) (First name) (Middle name)

Date of Birth: _____ Age: _____ Gender: Male Female

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Home Address: _____
Street (Apt. #)

_____ City State Zip

Mailing Address: _____
(If different)

Email Address: _____

Telephone Numbers: _____
(Home) (2nd contact)

Best Time & Number to call Time: _____ Telephone Number: _____

Please Note: All sessions are 5 days per week from 8:15 a.m. – 2:05 p.m.

I hereby certify that all of the information above is accurate and true.

Parent or Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

February 12, 2024

District Office

518-853-4415 Ext. 4230
Fax: 518-853-4461
Mr. Thomas Ciaccio
Superintendent of Schools

Business Office

518-853-3732 Ext. 4207
Fax: 518-853-3534
Mrs. Jodie Rodriguez
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518-853-3182 Ext. 4238
Fax: 518-853-1239
Mr. Aaron Grady
Principal

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518-853-4747 Ext. 4246
Fax: 518-853-4498
Mr. David Zadoorian
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Mrs. Kristine Dickson
Director of SPED/Pupil Personnel

Student Registration

518-853-4747 Ext. 5008
Fax: 518-853-4498
Mrs. Amy Thum
Data Coordinator

Dear Parents and Guardians,

The Fonda-Fultonville Central School District welcomes you to complete an application for your child to attend our full-day prekindergarten program in the 2024-2025 school year. We are excited to help your child begin their educational journey and ensure they are prepared for kindergarten. We help our youngest students become lifelong learners by developing perseverance, a positive work ethic and showing respect toward themselves and one another.

There are four, full-day pre-k classes that are held Monday – Friday from 8:15 a.m. – 2:05 p.m. with 72 slots available. Each class incorporates academic, independent and play stations throughout the day.

Transportation is **NOT** available and parents will be responsible for drop off and pick up. Before and after school care will be available for the 2024-2025 school year. Students may either bring their breakfast and lunch or participate in our school meal program. All FFCS students receive free meals. However, we still strongly encourage you to fill out a free and reduced- price meal application. If you qualify it has other benefits to your family and helps with state aid to the district.

Children who reside in the Fonda-Fultonville Central School District and who will be four (4) years old on or before Dec. 1, 2024 are eligible to apply for prekindergarten during the 2024-2025 school year. If your child turns five (5) earlier than Dec. 1, 2024, they are over the age limit for pre-k and should register for kindergarten.

To apply for pre-k, please complete the application form on the reverse side of this letter. All applications must be returned to FFCS Data Coordinator, Amy Thum, in the Middle School Office no later than 1:00 p.m. on April 10, 2024.

All applications received prior to April 10th will be processed immediately. If more applications are received than available seats by that date, there will be a lottery held to determine the students who will attend. If fewer applications are received than seats available, all applicants will be admitted and additional applications will be accepted until we reach our maximum program size of 72 students.

If you have any questions or concerns about applying for pre-k, please contact Mrs. Thum at athum@ffcsd.org or (518) 853-3732, Ext. 5008.

Thank you and we look forward to welcoming your child to the FFCS family!

Sincerely,



Eric Romano
Elementary Principal

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