



# 2023-24 North Carolina Pre-Kindergarten Application

NC Pre-Kindergarten is a free, high-quality North Carolina funded program. Your four-year-old child's regular attendance will strengthen classroom, pre-literacy, math, and social skills in a child-focused learning environment.

**Child is eligible if:** Four years old on 8/31/23 and the family meets income guidelines.

See the income eligibility chart and frequently asked questions under NC Pre-K at [www.theAllianceforChildren.org](http://www.theAllianceforChildren.org).

**Include copies of all paperwork listed below with the application form (check off list as you gather documents):**

- Complete, sign, & date this application form
  - A Copy of Child's Birth Certificate
  - Two copies of Proofs of Residency with a parent name and current address (examples: recent utility bill, insurance card, driver's license or registration, lease or mortgage statement)
  - Proof of household income Options: Four consecutive recent check stubs OR If same job for all of 2022, provide a 2022 W-2 or 2022 tax return. If new job, job offer letter from employer. Include documents for: alimony, SSA, SSDI, child support, disability, unemployment for mom and dad/stepmom/stepdad. If paid cash, provide a signed, dated statement from employer listing the employee's name, hours worked and weekly income with business name, supervisor's contact name and signature and phone number for verification. If no income, initial on page two.
- Complete and return the Site Options and Eligibility Form**

**Child's Information**

*Please complete each line and print clearly*

<b>Child's First Name:</b>	<b>Middle</b>	<b>Last</b>
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<b>Address:</b>	Street	City	State	Zip Code
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<b>Age:</b> _____ <i>Child must be 4 by 8/31/23</i>	<b>Child's Birthday</b> ____ / ____ / ____ <small>Month Day Year</small>	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	<b>Language child speaks at home and with friends:</b>
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**Race:** (check ALL that apply):

Black/African American     White or Latino/Hispanic     Asian     American Indian/Alaska Native

Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander     Other Race (specify): \_\_\_\_\_ (Check One)  Hispanic/Latino     Non-Hispanic/Latino

**Does this child have a parent who is actively serving in the military or injured during military service?**     No

Yes (include military LES or documentation/child is NC Pre-K eligible regardless of family income with military paperwork and all other required documents)

**Child Lives With:**     Both parents     Mother/Stepmother     Father/Stepfather     Other \_\_\_\_\_     Foster Parent \*     Legal Guardian or Legal Custodian\*  
*(\*attach copies of legal documents)*

Did the child attend childcare at 3 years of age?     No     Yes    I receive or applied for childcare voucher at DSS     No (to apply call 704-296-4339)     Yes

Who cares for this child during the day now? List childcare site or caregiver here: \_\_\_\_\_

Does your child have a chronic health condition diagnosed by a doctor?     No     Yes\* condition \_\_\_\_\_    School Medication Plan?     No     Yes\*

Does your child have an active Individual Education Plan (IEP)?     No     Yes\*    (\* For all YES answers, include a copy of medical support plan or IEP with application packet)

Does your child receive support services now for speech, a special need or disability?     No     Yes    \_\_\_\_\_ speech    \_\_\_\_\_ OT    \_\_\_\_\_ PT    Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Where?** UCPS (list site) \_\_\_\_\_    Private provider (list company): \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a concern about your child's development (learning, speech, hearing, or behavior)?     No

Yes Concern?\* \_\_\_\_\_    Call the UCPS EC Preschool Assessment Center at 704-282-6259 to inquire about assessments for children ages 3 or 4.

**Complete this section for family members who reside with the child.**

*Print clearly please*

Child's Mother     Female Legal Guardian or Custodian

Stepmother (legally married to child's father)

Full Address: (Street, City, State, Zip Code)     Same as child    Own \_\_\_\_\_    Rent \_\_\_\_\_    Live with family member \_\_\_\_\_  
Other \_\_\_\_\_

<b>BEST</b> Phone Number	Employer	Work #
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**Print Mom's email address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Check ALL that apply:**

Employed # hours per week? \_\_\_\_\_     Unemployed     Looking for work     Attending College     Receive unemployment income

In High School/GED program     In Job Training     Other \_\_\_\_\_

<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Father</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Stepfather</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Male Legal Guardian/custodian</b> (Legally married to child's mom)	Full Name _____ Full Address: (Street, City, State, Zip Code) _____ <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Same address as child</b>
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Best Phone #: _____	Father's Email: _____	Work # _____
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Employed</b> How many hours per week? _____ Employer _____	Father/Stepfather/ Male Caregiver: Check <b>all</b> that apply: <input type="checkbox"/> Unemployed <input type="checkbox"/> Looking for work <input type="checkbox"/> Attending College <input type="checkbox"/> In Job Training <input type="checkbox"/> In High School/GED program	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Receive unemployment</b> Included as income/provide benefit letter with child's appl. packet

**List parents, step-parents, legal guardians, brothers\*, sisters\*, half-brothers\* and sisters\*, step brothers\* and sisters\* living in child's home.**

Clearly Print - First and Last Name	Relationship to the Pre-K Child	Birthdate & age	List Brother or sister's school <b>OR</b> childcare site
1.			
2.			
3.			
4.			
5.			
6.			

If more, attach list with application Total number of family members listed above (include Pre-K student) \_\_\_\_\_

**Emergency Contact Information      List a family member for contact if parents cannot be reached in an emergency**

Emergency Contact: _____	Relationship to Child: _____
Home Phone: _____	Mobile Phone: _____
Work Phone: _____	

**Home Language Survey** Your child will be assessed in the language you list below\*. Please answer with this in mind

Language the child learned to speak?	Second language?	Most often? *
Primary language of the <b>Mother</b> ?	Second language?	Primary/ <b>Father</b> ?      Second language?

- o I give my permission for NC Pre-K staff, UCPS EC or Title 1, NC Pre-K teachers and/or classroom support staff to share documents, discuss my child's progress and needs for classroom or outside support to best serve my child.
- o I understand that this application is for possible enrollment following Title 1 and/or NC Pre-K eligibility guidelines.
- o I give permission for my child to be photographed and/or videotaped for display, scrapbook, newspaper articles, and/or posting to social media, Facebook or websites.
- o I agree that my child will attend Pre-K on time and on a regular basis. I will work as a team with my child's teachers and staff.

**My signature below certifies that all information on this application and the documents I provided is accurate, true, and completed correctly.**

Mother/Caregiver Signature: X \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ I receive no income of any kind \_\_\_\_\_ Initial here

Father/Caregiver Signature: X \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ I receive no income of any kind \_\_\_\_\_ Initial here

Complete application packets may be mailed, faxed, or returned to:



2661 W. Roosevelt Blvd., Suite A ~ Monroe NC 28110  
 Anytime: Drop slot at office front door

Phone: 704-226-1407, ext. 23 or 30      Fax: 704-226-1369

**Read the "Frequently Asked Questions" under NC Pre-K at: <https://theallianceforchildren.org/>**

**Prepare now:**

North Carolina law requires a child's up to date immunization (shot) records and a physical/dental exam form completed by a physician be provided by the parent to the site upon enrollment.

**Health and dental screening forms at [www.theAllianceforChildren.org](http://www.theAllianceforChildren.org) under NC Pre-K.**

**Tip:**

Save a copy of these documents for kindergarten registration in Feb. 2024.

**Child's Name:** First \_\_\_\_\_ Last \_\_\_\_\_

1. List three site options close to your home, work, or other child's school. Families drop off and pick up children.
2. Consider current and future work schedule and transportation when listing options.
3. NC Pre-K offers a high-quality learning environment with a maximum of 18 students per classroom.
4. Licensed teachers utilize the Creative Curriculum<sup>®</sup> to guide child-based developmentally appropriate learning.

**NC Pre-Kindergarten – Alliance for Children - Child's NC Pre-K class hours are FREE, there is no charge to families. Eligible families are contacted by the site after the child is placed. Applications for wait list are welcomed all year.**

*To be eligible, families must meet income guidelines. Example: A family of four is eligible for NC Pre-K with income less than \$74,393. Information (FAQ) and Income Eligibility Table: [www.theallianceforchildren.org](http://www.theallianceforchildren.org) under NC Pre-K.*

NC Pre-K sites **(A)** offer limited extended care *before and/or after NC Pre-K hours* for a fee. You arrange with the director of the site before school begins. Parents pay the site for all time before or after the NC Pre-K Day.

To apply for an income-based childcare voucher, call 704-296-4339 and leave a message.

SITE	ADDRESS	PROGRAM	Class Hours
A Plus Childcare & Learning Center (A)	109 Camelia Dr, Monroe	NC Pre-K	7:30-2:00
Childcare Network 121 (A)	780 Sutton Place, Monroe	NC Pre-K	7:30-2:00
ChildTime Indian Trail (A)	120 Business Park Dr, Monroe	NC Pre-K	7:30-2:00
ChildTime Monroe (A)	1714 N. Charlotte Ave, Monroe	NC Pre-K	7:30-2:00
Indian Trail Elementary (NO BUS)	200 Education Rd, Indian Trail	NC Pre-K	7:00-1:45
Kids R Kids (A)	5549 Potter Rd, Matthews	NC Pre-K	7:30-2:00
Oakboro Kid's Club (Union/Stanly) (A)	206 N. Main St, Oakboro	NC Pre-K	8:00-2:30
S.T.E.P.'s Developmental Academy, Inc.	108 Indian Trail Road S., Indian Trail	NC Pre-K	7:30-2:00
Walter Bickett Education Center (Bus available in limited areas in Monroe)	501 Lancaster Ave, Monroe	NC Pre-K	7:00-1:30
Waxhaw Elementary (NO BUS)	1101 Old Providence Rd, Waxhaw	NC Pre-K	7:00-1:50
Weekday Children's Ministries (Bus- \$7/wk spaces and area served is limited)	801 S. Hayne St, Monroe	NC Pre-K	7:30-2:00
Wingate Baptist (A)	109 E. Elm St, Wingate	NC Pre-K	7:30-2:00

*Class hours and site listings are subject to change or adjustment.*

*NC Pre-K follow the UCPS traditional calendar and include workdays, breaks and holidays.  
Take a picture of this form and/or make a copy for your records please.*

**Three sites close to my home or work are:**

<b>1.</b>	<b>2.</b>	<b>3.</b>
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*\*Please note, site options are not guaranteed. Child's eligibility and available site/classroom space are factors in placement.*

**NC Pre-K questions? Contact the NC Pre-K office at Alliance for Children: 704-226-1407, ext. 30 or Español, ext. 23.**