

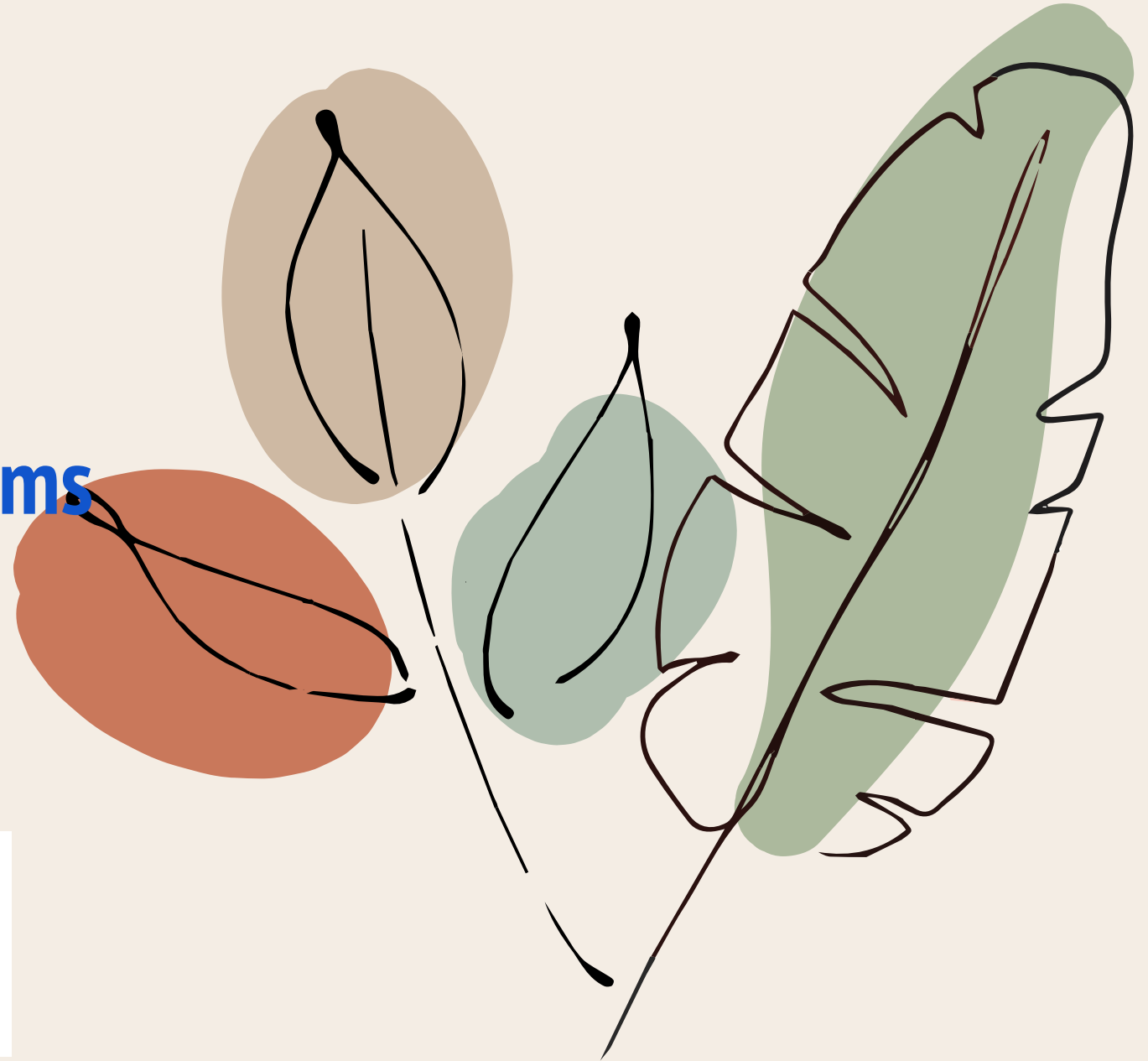
# Early Education Parent Webinar

Fullerton School District

## Preschool and TK Programs

February 6, 2024

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm



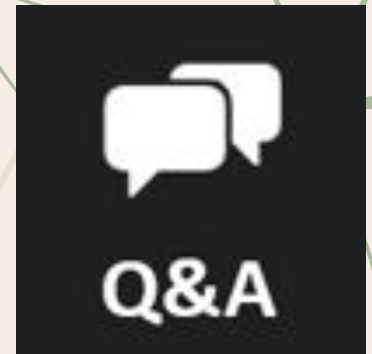
# Introductions

## Translations Available

At the bottom right of your screen, click on the globe icon for Spanish/Korean translations.



\*\*\*Please use the Q&A icon at the bottom of your screen to ask questions.



# Early Education Panel

**Emily McDougall, Director - Ed Services**

**Daniela Arbizzi, Assistant Director - Ed Services**

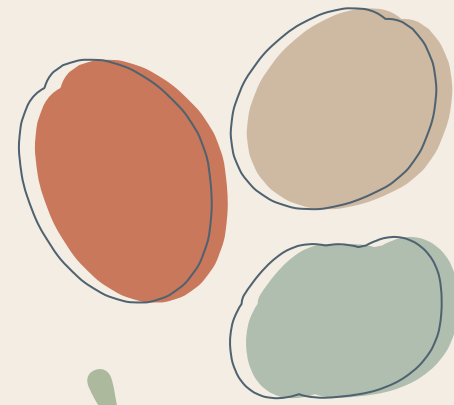
**Linda Prieto, Program Supervisor - Ed Services**

**Dr. Erlinda Soltero Ruiz, Chief Academic Officer**

# Preschool Program Offerings

## at the Fullerton School District

- Full Day/Full Year - Subsidized
- Part Day - Subsidized
- Tuition Based



# California State Preschool Program - CSPP

## Full Day/Full Year - 2024/25

**Based on a sliding scale and on family needs for children:**

- Who turn 3 years old on or before Dec. 1
  - children who turn 3 on or after Dec. 2, may be enrolled in CSPP after their 3rd birthday
- Who are 4 years old
- Who turn 5 a before Dec 2 of the current school year
- Who need of minimum of 25 hours per week





# California State Preschool Program - CSPP

## Part Day - 2024/25

### FREE for children:

- Who turn 3 years old on or before Dec. 1 of the fiscal year in which they are enrolled
  - children who turn 3 on or after Dec. 2, may be enrolled in CSPP after their 3rd birthday
- Who turn 4 years old on or before Dec. 1 of the fiscal year in which they are enrolled
- Who turn 5 before September 2, of the current year



# Eligibility Criteria for CSPP

## Eligibility Priority

- Based on income
- Families experiencing homelessness
- Children receiving services from child protective services
- Residents within specific school boundaries
  - Commonwealth, Maple, Orangethorpe, Richman, Valencia Park, or Woodcrest



# Required Documents

- **Income**
  - Proof of family income from the last 30 days:
    - Pay stubs, CalWORKs Notice of Action (cash aid), child support documentation, self-declaration, etc.
- **Family Size Verification**
  - Birth Certificates for **All** children in the family
- **Address Verification**
- **Immunization Record** of the Child Enrolling for Preschool
- **Current Physical Exam**
- **Parent/Guardian/Designated Reader: TB skin test Result, or Clearance**



# CSPP Registration Process

- **Complete the Intent to Register Form** - Available to you by scanning the QR Code below
- **Complete/ fill out the registration packet** - Which can be found on the Fullerton School District website or you can pick up a hard copy at the preschool office located at **1401 W. Valencia Dr., Fullerton, CA 92833**
- **Schedule an appointment with the Preschool Office on or After March 27, 2024**, to turn in completed registration packet.



**Preschool Office**

**714-447-7499**

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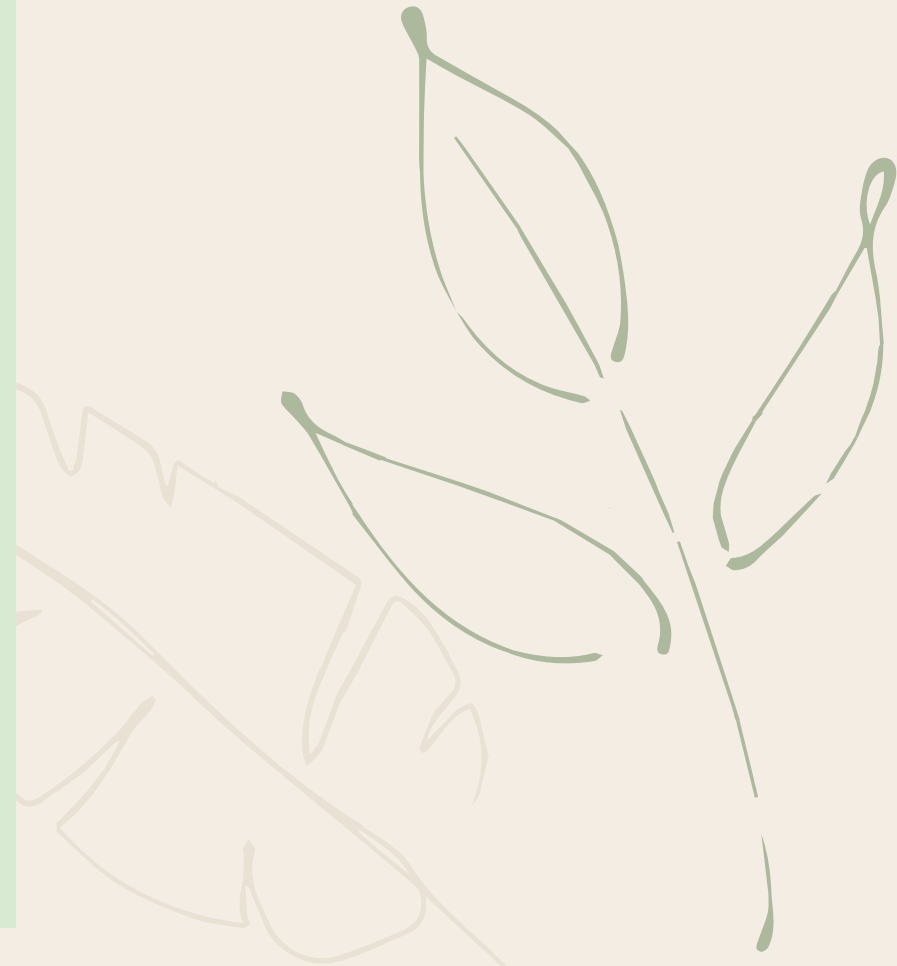
# Program Hours & Ratio

## Full Day/Full Year - CSPP

- Offered at Richman & Valencia Park Schools
- 239 days of operation
- Monday /Friday
  - 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM
- Schedule varies on family eligibility and need
- Sliding scale may apply \$\$

**Ratio:** 1 adult to 8 children

**Class size:** 24 students per session



# Program Hours & Ratio

## Part Day - CSPP

### AM Schedule:

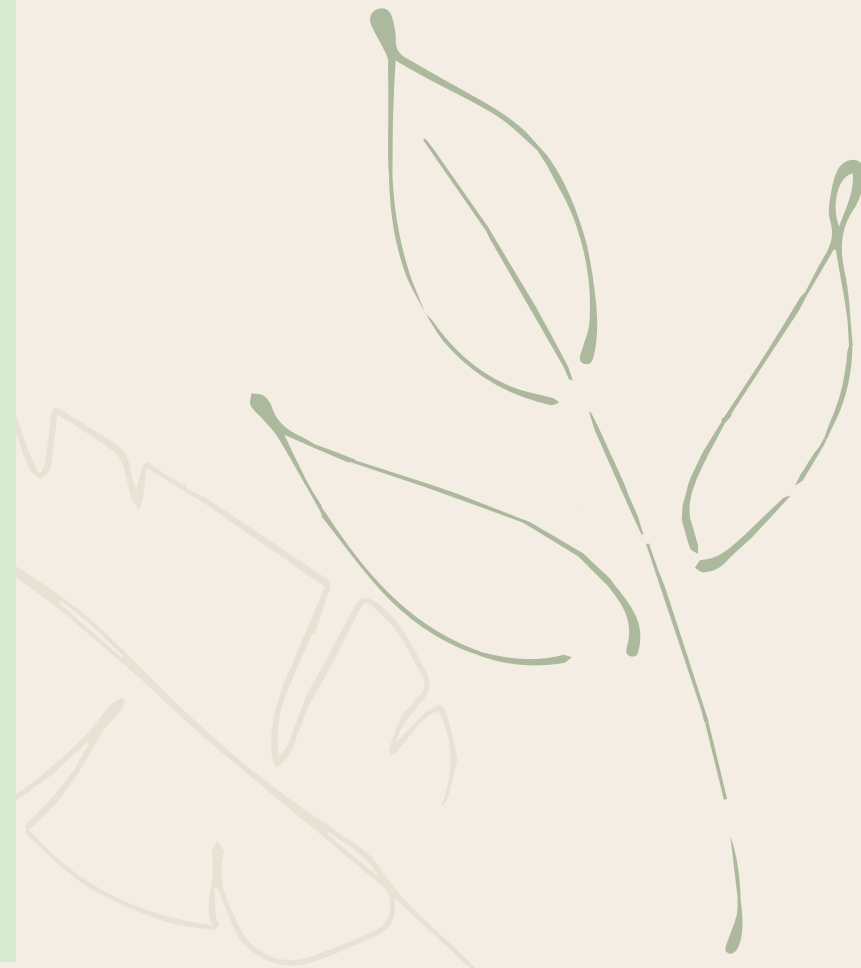
- Monday/Friday 8:00 AM to 11:00 AM
- **AM Sign-in:** 8:00 AM      **AM Sign-out:** 11:00 AM

### PM Schedule:

- Monday/Friday 12:00 PM to 3:00 PM
- **PM Sign-in:** 12:00 PM      **PM Sign-out:** 3:00 PM

\*\*start time may vary depending on school site

- **Ratio:** 1 adult to 8 children
- **Class size:** 24 students per session



# Program Philosophy - Preschool Approach Inspired by the Reggio Emilia Philosophy

The Reggio Emilia approach in early childhood is recognized as one of the best programs for children worldwide developed in Italy in the early 1960's as an early childhood educational system to serve families and children.

## “Reggio-Inspired” means

- We view every child as strong, capable, independent, curious, and full of imagination.
- We empower children to think, question, investigate, explore, and navigate the journey of learning.
- We believe children have preparedness, potential, curiosity, interest in relationships and constructing their own learning.

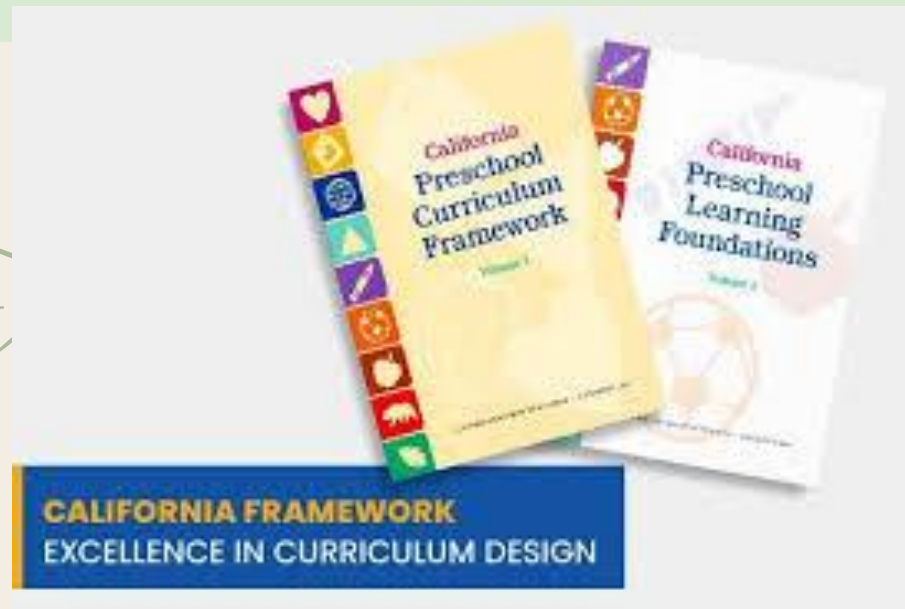




# Preschool Framework

## California Preschool TK Learning Foundation - Curriculum Framework

The California Preschool Learning Foundations describe competencies—knowledge and skills—that most children can be expected to exhibit in a high-quality program before entering kindergarten. As companion volumes to the foundations, the California Preschool Curriculum Frameworks present strategies for early childhood educators that enrich learning and development opportunities for all California preschool children.



# Preschool Assessment Tool

## Desired Results Developmental Profile (DRDP)

- The DRDP (2015) is a formative assessment instrument developed by the California Department of Education for young children and their families to be used to inform instruction and program development.
- Designed for teachers to observe, document, and reflect on the learning, development, and progress of children.
- Fall and Spring
- Parent Conferences



**DRDP (2015)**

An Early Childhood Developmental Continuum

**Preschool Comprehensive View**



for use with preschool-age children



# Desired Results Developmental Profile (DRDP)

## Focus on 8 Developmental Domains

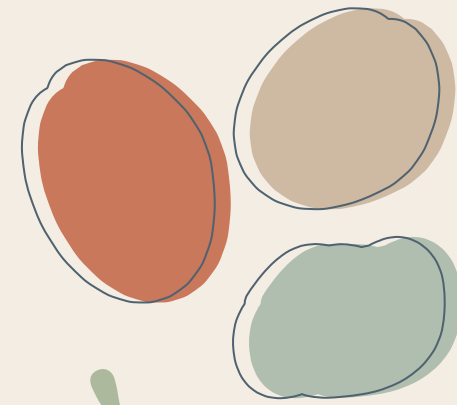
The focus of each domain is on the acquisition of knowledge, skills, or behaviors that reflect each domain's developmental components.

- Approaches to Learning–Self-Regulation
- Social and Emotional Development
- Language and Literacy Development
- English-Language Development
- Cognition, Including Math and Science
- Physical Development–Health (PD-HLTH)
- History-Social Science (HSS)
- Visual and Performing Arts





# Tuition Based Preschool





# Tuition Based Preschool

**Tuition Based at the FSD is offered at Beechwood and Sunset Lane Elementary**

**Our Beechwood Preschool Program has been in existence since 2005 this preschool program is solely supported by tuition based fees.**

**The need of the community grew which led to the opening of Sunset Lane Preschool in 2011.**



# Tuition Based Preschool

**Locations: Beechwood & Sunset Lane**

**Age Eligible:** Children age 3-5 years old (Minimum age 3 by December 1, 2024)

**Class size: 24 students per session**

**Ratio: 1 adult to 8 children**

**Program Options for 2024-2025:**

- 4 hour - 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. (proposed pending Board approval)
- 5 day - M/F
- 3 day - M/W/F
- 2 day - T/Th



# How to Register

- **Complete the Registration Form - Available to you by scanning the QR Code below**
  - **Opens February 26, 2024 at 10:00 am**
- **Office Staff will contact you to submit Registration Fee of \$90.00.**
  - ***Enrollment is based on a lottery until we meet capacity***
- **Receive a Registration Packet**
  - Option #1 Via email***
  - Option #2 Pick-up - at the Preschool Office***  
**1401 W. Valencia Drive, Fullerton, CA 92833**
- **After your registration packet is complete Call 714-447-7499 to schedule an enrollment appointment**

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# Program Hours & Monthly Tuition

(proposed pending Board approval)

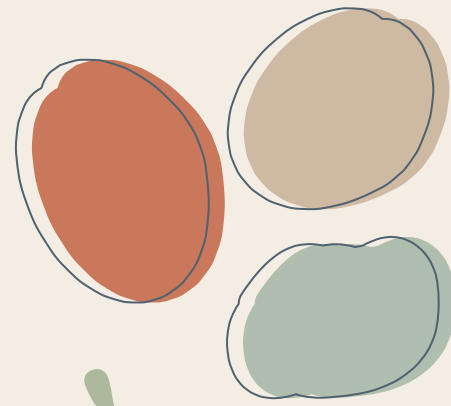
<b>8:00 - 12:00 p.m. 4 hour Program Tuition Rates</b>	
Registration Fee is \$90.00 & Per family \$165.00	
<b>5 days (Monday through Friday)</b>	<b>\$620 mo.</b>
<b>3 days (Monday/Wednesday/Friday)</b>	<b>\$345 mo.</b>
<b>2 Days (Tuesday/Thursday)</b>	<b>\$251 mo.</b>



# Transitional Kindergarten

## at the Fullerton School District

- All elementary sites
- Full day programming
- Universal TK by 2025-2026





# Universal Transitional Kindergarten

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## Transitional Kindergarten

- 2024 -2025 School Year
  - 5th birthday between September 2, 2024- June 2, 2025
- 2025-2026 School Year
  - 4th birthday by September 1, 2025

# Transitional Kindergarten and Kindergarten Enrollment



# Transitional Kindergarten Requirements

- Enrollment is voluntary
- Districts are required to offer TK to any age-eligible child
- TK classes must be taught by a credentialed teacher
- Districts have the flexibility to create and adopt curricula which align with

Preschool Transitional Kindergarten Learning Foundations





# Transitional Kindergarten vs Kindergarten

- TK is guided by Preschool Transitional Kindergarten Learning Foundations
- Pacing
- Expectations
- Learning through play
- [www.tkcalifornia.org](http://www.tkcalifornia.org)



## Transitional Kindergarten IMPLEMENTATION GUIDE

A Resource for California Public School District  
Administrators and Teachers

Governor's State Advisory Council on Early Learning and Care  
Sacramento • 2013

# Transitional Kindergarten

## CURRICULUM

### Heggerty

### World of Wonders for ELA (English Language Arts)

- California English Language Arts and English Language Development Framework [www.cde.ca.gov](http://www.cde.ca.gov)

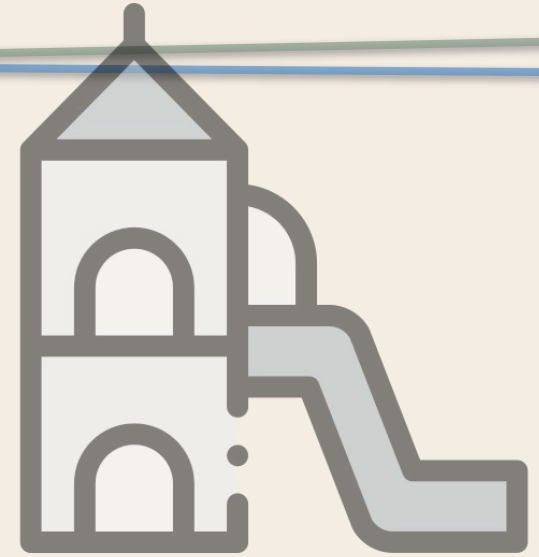
### Discovery Education for Science

### All the Arts for All the Kids



# Classroom Environment

- Student to Adult Ratio 12:1
- 24 students per class
- Learning centers conducive to exploration
- Cooperative play
- Small and whole group activities
- Reggio-inspired spaces





## Social-Emotional Development

Students' social and emotional growth and development is a primary focus in the classroom. Students learn how to interact with others in positive ways.



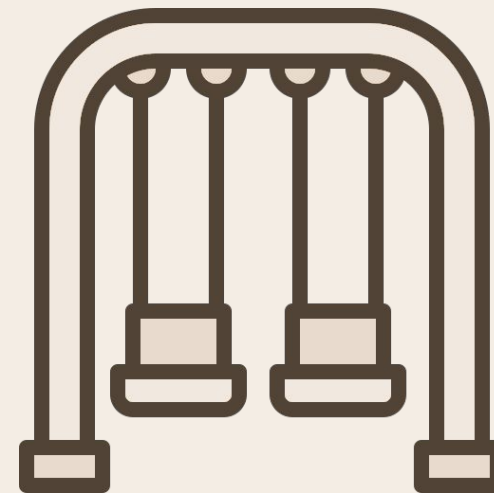
# TK Through the Arts

- Music
- Dance
- Visual Arts
- Theater



# TK Offered at ALL Fullerton Elementary/K-8 sites

- Full-Day at All Sites
- TK or TK/K Combination
- Hours will be the same as Kindergarten
- FSD Dual Language Academy - TK Option at Pacific Dr.
- Encore TheLAB and Encore ASES will offer before and after school care, based on sites, if space is available
  - <https://www.fullertonsd.org/basp>
  - April 1st, 2024 Interest List will be updated



# FSD Dual Language Academy- TK Option



- 90/10 Spanish Program
- TK class @ Pacific Drive
- K-6 Pathway @ Pac Drive & Raymond
- Complete “Intent Form” on website
- Questions & Info: ruth\_gaer@myfsd.org

Spanish DLA  
Intent Form  
TK-8

<https://bit.ly/3SKm4Ao>



Korean DLA  
Intent Form  
K-2

<https://bit.ly/42uQ7zp>



# TK Registration

- Registration information will be posted on the [www.fullertonsd.org](http://www.fullertonsd.org) in February 2024.
- TK Registration will be available on **February 26, 2024.**
- Documentation below must be provided upon registration:
  - Birth Certificate
  - Proof of Residency
  - Immunizations





# Open Enrollment - Transfers TK Eligible Students

Open Enrollment information for **both** Intra and Inter District Transfers is posted on the [www.fullertonsd.org](http://www.fullertonsd.org) website. **Open Enrollment will be available from January 16th - February 16th, 2024.**

## Intradistrict Transfers:

- Complete an intradistrict transfer form from [Child Welfare and Attendance](#) website.
- You may only choose one school and the grade for which you are eligible.
- Families will be notified by the requested school site after March 15, 2024.

# Open Enrollment - Transfers

## TK Eligible Students

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### Inter-District Transfers:

- Parents who reside outside of the Fullerton School District boundary must request an Interdistrict transfer at their district of residence.
- Transfer Requests will be sent to [FSD Child Welfare and Attendance](#).
- You may only choose one school.
- Families will be notified by the requested school site in March 2024.

# TK Wait List

- **Kinder-Age Eligible** students who turn five between June 1, 2024 - September 1, 2024 may be placed on a waiting list for Transitional Kindergarten. Parents will be notified in **August, 2024** of placement.
- Form will be available on the registration website on February 26, 2024.
- No school site will maintain a waitlist. All kindergarten-age eligible requests will be centralized at District.

# Q&A





Thank  
you

Do you have any questions?

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