



# PRESCHOOL P R O M I S E

**FREE QUALITY PRESCHOOL for children 3 to 5 years old**



**Children eligible to participate in Preschool Promise must be:**

- 3 or 4 years old by 9/1/2019
- Income eligible based on the household/family size
- Reside in Jackson or Josephine County

For more information about early learning resources, please contact the Early Learning Hub.

<http://southernoregonearlylearninghub.org>



# of Persons in Family/Home	Monthly Family Income (up to)	Annual Family Income Level
2	\$2,818	\$33,820
3	\$3,555	\$42,660
4	\$4,291	\$51,500
5	\$5,028	\$60,340
6	\$5,765	\$69,180
7	\$6,501	\$78,020
8	\$7,238	\$86,860
+1	Add \$737	Add \$8,840

*If you have questions, please contact 541-245-4632.*

**Prepare your child for kindergarten and *beyond!***

## 2019-2020 PRESCHOOL PROMISE ELIGIBILITY FORM

### CHILD INFORMATION

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

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender:  Male  Female  X \_\_\_\_\_

#### Child's Language, Race and Ethnicity

What is your child's Primary Language?  English  Spanish  Russian  Vietnamese  Chinese  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

How do you identify your child's race, ethnicity, tribal affiliation, country of origin, or ancestry? \_\_\_\_\_

Which of the following describes your child's racial or ethnic identity? Please check **ALL** that apply.

#### American Indian or Alaska Native

- American Indian
- Alaska Native
- Canadian Inuit, Metis, or First Nation
- Indigenous Mexican, Central American, or South America

#### Asian

- Asian Indian
- Chinese
- Filipino/a
- Hmong
- Japanese
- Korean
- Laotian
- South Asian
- Vietnamese
- Other Asian

#### Black or African American

- African American
- African (Black)
- Caribbean (Black)
- Other Black

#### Hispanic or Latino/a

- Hispanic or Latino/a Central American
- Hispanic or Latino/a Mexican
- Hispanic or Latino/a South American
- Other Hispanic or Latino/a

#### Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander

- Guamanian or Chamorro
- Micronesian
- Native Hawaiian
- Samoan
- Tongan
- Other Pacific Islander

#### Middle Eastern/Northern African

- Northern African
- Middle Eastern

#### White

- Eastern European
- Slavic
- Western European
- White/Caucasian
- Other White

#### Other Categories

- Other (Please List) \_\_\_\_\_
- Don't know/Unknown
- Decline/Don't want to answer

Have you enrolled your child in/or applied for Head Start or Oregon PreKindergarten (OPK) program?  Yes  No

Does your family have an Individual Family Service Plan (IFSP) to support your child's development?  Yes  No

If yes, list any health partners or providers you would like us to know about: \_\_\_\_\_

### PARENT / GUARDIAN INFORMATION

#### PARENT / GUARDIAN 1

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to child:  Parent  Legal Guardian  Foster Parent  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Child resides with Parent/Guardian what percentage of time:  0 - 25%  26 - 50%  51 - 74%  75 - 100%

#### PARENT / GUARDIAN 1 CONTACT INFORMATION

Primary Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Secondary Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Physical Address (if different): \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

How do you prefer to be contacted?  Primary Phone  Secondary Phone  Email  Standard Mail

#### PARENT / GUARDIAN 1 LANGUAGE

What is your Primary Language?  English  Spanish  Russian  Vietnamese  Chinese  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

What language do you speak at home?  English  Spanish  Russian  Vietnamese  Chinese  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

#### In what language do you prefer to receive

Written Communication?  English  Spanish  Russian  Vietnamese  Chinese  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Verbal Communication?  English  Spanish  Russian  Vietnamese  Chinese  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Please Note: Not all Preschool Promise materials are available in all languages

#### PARENT / GUARDIAN 1 - EMPLOYMENT STATUS

Check all that apply:  Currently Employed  Student  Unemployed  Business Owner  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

#### PARENT / GUARDIAN 2

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to child:  Parent  Legal Guardian  Foster Parent  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Child resides with Parent/Guardian what percentage of time:  0 - 25%  26 - 50%  51 - 74%  75 - 100%

**PARENT / GUARDIAN 2 CONTACT INFORMATION**

Primary Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Secondary Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Physical Address (if different): \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

How do you prefer to be contacted?  Primary Phone  Secondary Phone  Email  Standard Mail

**PARENT / GUARDIAN 2 LANGUAGE**

What is your Primary Language?  English  Spanish  Russian  Vietnamese  Chinese  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

What language do you speak at home?  English  Spanish  Russian  Vietnamese  Chinese  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**In what language do you prefer to receive:**

Written Communication?  English  Spanish  Russian  Vietnamese  Chinese  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Verbal Communication?  English  Spanish  Russian  Vietnamese  Chinese  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

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**PARENT / GUARDIAN 2 - EMPLOYMENT STATUS**

Check all that apply:  Currently Employed  Student  Unemployed  Business Owner  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**FAMILY & INCOME INFORMATION**

**Household Size**

# of Adults: \_\_\_\_\_ + # of Children \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_ (Total household size)

**Documents presented for income verification (check all that apply):**

- Child Support Statements  FSRN printout from DHS
- Income Tax Form 1040 or 1040A  Paystubs (12 Months)
- Placement Letter from DHS child welfare  Social Security Letter / Statement
- Unemployment Statements  W2

**Does your family receive or qualify for any of the following services or forms of financial assistance?**

- DHS Employment Related Daycare (ERDC)  Yes  No
- Free or Reduced Lunch Program  Yes  No
- Head Start Program  Yes  No
- Supplemental Security Income (SSI)  Yes  No
- Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)  Yes  No
- Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC)  Yes  No

Do you consider your family to be homeless? (Lack a fixed, regular, and adequate residence and/or moving between home of relatives or friends. Living in motels, hotels, camping grounds, shelters, substandard housing, bus or train stations, vehicles and/or similar settings.)  Yes  No

2019 Federal Poverty Level (FPL) Chart			
Household Size	100% FPL	130% FPL	200% FPL
2	\$16,910	21,983	33,820
3	\$21,330	27,729	42,660
4	\$25,750	33,475	51,500
5	\$30,170	39,221	60,340
6	\$34,590	44,967	69,180
7	\$39,010	50,713	78,020
8	\$43,430	56,459	86,860

Families whose annual income is 200% or less of the Federal Poverty Level may be able to enroll their children in Preschool Promise for free. This chart, will help us with this determination.

**PARENT SIGNATURE**

By signing this application, I confirm that I have given true and complete information and I understand that the Oregon Department of Education and its Early Learning Division may verify the information on this form. I understand that making false statements or intentionally omitting information may subject me to state and federal penalties. I understand Preschool Promise is a state funded program and preschool services provided under the Preschool Promise program may end if funds are no longer available.

I understand and agree that the information provided in this form may be shared with entities and individuals involved in the administration and monitoring of the Preschool Promise program including but not limited to Providers and their staff, Enrollment Committees, Early Learning Hubs, Education Service Districts, and the Oregon Department of Education and its Early Learning Division.

I understand that my child and I will not be personally identified by the Oregon Department of Education and its Early Learning Division in any external publication shared for research purposes or required by law.

I understand that by submitting this form, I am applying for my child to participate in the Preschool Promise program. I understand that I am not required to sign or submit this application but that I must submit a signed copy of this application for my child to be considered for eligibility in the Preschool Promise program.

Submission of this eligibility form is not a guarantee of admission into the Preschool Promise program. **Parent/Guardian Signature and Date Required**

Print Name

Signature

Date

**CERTIFICATION OF ELIGIBILITY - FOR ENROLLMENT COMMITTEE USE ONLY**

Hub Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Provider Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**STEP 1 - Complete the following information:**

Household Size: \_\_\_\_\_ Annual Income: \_\_\_\_\_

Family Income is:

- At or Below 100% FPL
- 101 - 130% FPL
- 131-200% FPL

Is the Family Income Eligible?  Yes  No

Age\* of the child: \_\_\_\_\_

Is the child age eligible?  Yes  No

**STEP 2 - Staff Certification and signature:**

**INTAKE STAFF** - I have examined documents and information presented by the parent(s)/guardian(s) and to the best of my knowledge the family is:

- Eligible** for Preschool Promise services
- Not Eligible** for Preschool Promise services

Staff Signature

Staff Printed Name

Date

\*For the 2019 - 2020 academic program year child must be 3 or 4 by 9/1/2019 (Salem-Kelzer School District 09/10/2019)

## Southern Oregon Early Learning Services Hub Preschool Promise Providers for 2019-2020

Provider Name	Contact	City	Proposed Schedule	Transportation Available
Child Care Resource Network- Latino Cohort of Family Childcare Providers	Martha Ibarra 541-842-2595	Central Point Eagle Point Medford White City	Monday-Friday 8:00am-1:00pm	Not available
Family Nurturing Center	Wendy Nelson 541-499-2025 <a href="mailto:preschoolpromise@rvfnc.org">preschoolpromise@rvfnc.org</a>	Medford Phoenix	Monday-Thursday 8:00am-2:00pm	Yes
Imagine That...Creative Children's Center	Michelle Gallas, Director or Chelsea Hocker, Education Coordinator 541-507-1955 <a href="mailto:Imaginethatjp@gmail.com">Imaginethatjp@gmail.com</a>	Grants Pass	Monday-Friday 8:30-1:30pm	Not Available
Head Start Preschool Promise-Grants Pass	Enrollment 541-734-5150	Grants Pass	Monday-Thursday 8:30-3:00pm	Not Available
Head Start Preschool Promise- Lorna Byrne		Cave Junction	Monday-Thursday 8:30-3:00pm	Not Available
Roots and Wings Community Preschool	Rebecca Tree, Director Or Johanna Swanson, Office Manager <a href="mailto:info@rootsandwingspreschool.org">info@rootsandwingspreschool.org</a> 541-779-3544	Medford	Monday-Thursday 8:30am-3:30pm	Not available
The Learning Loft @ Kid Time	Britt Zimmerman 541-494-0323 <a href="mailto:Britt@kid-time.org">Britt@kid-time.org</a>	Medford	Monday –Thursday 8:30am-3:30pm or Monday-Friday 8:00-1:30	Not available

## QUALITY INDICATORS: WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN AN EARLY LEARNING PROGRAM

We encourage you to visit multiple programs before making your final selection. Bring your child with you to help with the decision! Here are some indicators to look for in an early learning program.

The staff...	Provider 1	Provider 2	Provider 3
Are friendly and smiles easily with children in their care			
Are calm and patient when guiding children's behavior			
Help children resolve conflicts			
Allow children to make choices throughout the day			
Encourage language development through conversations			
Help build their confidence by being encouraging			
The environment...	Provider 1	Provider 2	Provider 3
Offers a variety of materials that are visible, organized and within the child's reach			
Displays children's projects and art at their eye level			
Has materials reflect different cultures and genders			
Has safety equipment available including first-aid kits, fire alarms, etc.			
The program...	Provider 1	Provider 2	Provider 3
Offers planned activities that focus on all areas of development (physical, social, cognitive, language)			
Daily schedule is posted and is flexible to meet the needs of the children			
Has a parent handbook explaining policies and expectations			
Shares information about their child's day through conversations and family gatherings			
Values parent input and participation in the program			

For more information about quality childcare, please visit, <http://triwou.org/projects/qris/families>