

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION CHILD FIND

Child Find Information

Child Find provides free developmental assessments for young children from birth through age five. The program is a resource for families that are residents of Douglas County and are concerned about their child's development.

Assessments

A multi-disciplinary team of Early Childhood Specialists work with families to determine if a child is eligible for special education services.

Teams utilize:

- Screening
- Evaluation
- Referral

If A Child Qualifies, What Do Services Look Like?

Children who are eligible for intervention services:

- Below the age of three receive services from Developmental Pathways
- 3 – 5 years of age receive services from Douglas County School District Preschool Program



To Schedule An Appointment

- Go to DCSD website at www.dcsdk12.org
- Select Early Childhood Education
- Complete the Child Find appointment request
- After submitting, you will receive a call to set up the appointment

Child Find Information Line

720-433-0020



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For more information about the program, contact Katie Sloggett at 720.433.0020 or katie.sloggett@dcsdk12.org.

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION PRESCHOOL PROGRAM

Curriculum

- Research-based
- Developmentally-appropriate
- Aligned to Kindergarten and State Standards
- Literacy
- Social-Emotional Development
- Math
- Science
- Health and Wellness

Highly Qualified Staff

- General Education
- Special Education
- Ongoing Professional Development

Student Outcomes

- Measured by continuous progress monitoring
- DCSD preschool students score higher on 3rd grade CSAP Math and Reading assessments

DCSD Preschool Partners

- Douglas County Early Childhood Coalition
- Developmental Pathways
- Colorado Preschool Program
- University of Colorado, Denver
- University of Denver
- University of Washington
- University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill



General Information:

- 53 preschools throughout Douglas County
- Over 1,600 students enrolled
- Morning and afternoon two hour and 45 minute sessions Monday through Thursday

Preschool Information Line

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