# WHAT DOES A DAY LOOK LIKE?

Breakfast Circle Time Calendar Morning Message Language Arts - Read Aloud Language Arts - Mini Lesson Language Arts - Workstations Recess Lunch Math Read Aloud Math Mini Lesson Math Workstations Enrichment **Reflection Time** Science or Social Studies - Read Aloud Science or Social Studies - Whole Group Activity Journals Music and Movement **Reflections/ Closing Circle** Prepare for Dismissal Dismissal

# WHAT SCHOOLS ARE AVAILABLE?

**Cloverleaf Elementary** 

Houston, Texas 77015 832-386-3240

**Green Valley Elementary** 

**Jacinto City Elementary** 

Normandy Crossing Elementary

12500 Normandy Crossing

**Purple Sage Elementary** 

Sam Houston Elementary

Houston, Texas 77015

Williamson Elementary

6720 New Forest Pkwy.

Houston, Texas 77049

4101 E. Sam Houston Pkwy. N.

13350 Woodforest Blvd.

Houston, Texas 77015

Houston, Texas 77290

Houston, Texas 77015

1035 Frankie

832-386-4390

10910 Wiggins

832-386-4600

832-386-1600

832-386-3100

832-386-4430

832-386-4000

6500 Purple Sage Houston, Texas 77049

Cimarron Elementary 816 Cimarron Houston, Texas 77015 832-386-3240

Galena Park Elementary 401 N. Main Galena Park, Texas 77547 832-386-1670

Havard Elementary 15150 Wallisville Rd. Houston, Texas 77049 832-386-3710

MacArthur Elementary 1801 N. Main Galena Park, Texas 77547 832-386-4630

North Shore Elementary 14310 Duncannon Houston, Texas 77015 832-386-4660

Pyburn Elementary 12302 Coulson Houston, Texas 77015 832-386-3150

Tice Elementary 14120 Wallisville Rd. Houston, Texas 77049 832-386-4050

Woodland Acres Elementary 12936 Sarahs Lane Houston, Texas 77015 832-386-2220



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# Galena Park

**Independent School District** 



# BUILDING SKILLS FOR OUR



# READY FOR THE FUTURE

The preschool years are a critical time in a student's education. The learning experiences during these years provide a foundation that guide children academically, socially, and emotionally. The Galena Park Independent School District's Early Childhood Department is committed to creating meaningful experiences for all Pre-Kindergarten students.

To increase your child's readiness for kindergarten, Galena Park I.S.D. will begin to offer a full day Pre-Kindergarten program for 4 year-old students at all campuses. A half day program is also offered for 3 yearold students at select campuses.

This outstanding opportunity to prepare your child for success includes an interactive learning community with targeted instruction by a state certified teacher. All students will also be provided free breakfast and lunch daily.

The Pre-Kindergarten program provides a focus on:

- Responsive listening
- Using language to learn
- Problem-solving
- Critical thinking
- · Social, emotional and collaborative skills

#### TEACHER AND PARAPROFESSIONAL IN EVERY CLASSROOM





# BENEFITS FOR STUDENTS WHO ATTEND PRE-K

- Increased kindergarten readiness
- Students score higher on standardized tests
- Pre-K students are more likely to graduate from high school
- Students learn how to problem solve, regulate their behavior and make friends



# ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

To be eligible for enrollment a child must:

- be 4 years of age on or before September 1 of the current school year
- be a resident of Galena Park I.S.D.
- meet immunization requirements
- be toilet trained and also meet at least one of the following state eligibility requirements:
  - is unable to speak and comprehend the English language; or
  - is educationally disadvantaged (which means a student eligible to participate in the national free or reduced-price lunch program); or
  - is homeless, as defined by 42 U.S.C. Section 1143a, regardless of the residence of the child, of either parent of the child, or of the child's guardian or other person having lawful control of the child; or
  - is the child of an active duty member of the armed forces of the United States, including the state military forces or a reserve component of the armed forces, who is ordered to active duty by proper authority; or
  - is the child of a member of the armed forces of the United States, including the state military forces or a reserve component of the armed forces, who was injured or killed while serving on active duty; or
  - is or ever has been in the conservatorship of the Department of Family and Protective Services (foster care) following an adversary hearing held as provided by Section 262.201, Family Code; or
  - is the child of a person eligible for the Star of Texas Award as: a peace officer under Section 3106.002, Government Code; a firefighter under Section 3106.003, Government Code; or an emergency medical first responder under Section 3106.004, Government Code.

Note: Pre-Kindergarten eligibility is determined by the Texas Education Agency

### REQUIRED ENROLLMENT DOCUMENTS

- Child's Birth Certificate
- Child's Social Security Card
- Parent/Guardian's Driver's License or other form of identification (State ID or Military ID, Passport, Permanent Residence Card, Home Country Registration Card)
- Proof of Residency (Current electric, gas or water bill or copy of mortgage or lease agreement)
- Child's Immunization Records (must be current on all required immunizations)
- Limited English Proficient child must be present to be tested
  with oral language assessment
- Economically disadvantaged must provide proof of household income in one of the following forms: current paycheck stub, current SNAP, or TANF case number for free meals
- · Military military identification or appropriate letter will be verified
- Foster Care letter from Department of Family and Protective Service

## HOW TO REGISTER

Parents with children who will be 4 years of age on or before September 1, and meet eligibility requirements will complete the registration process in person at the their child's zoned campus. To locate your zoned campus visit:

https://bit.ly/32LA1kt