Local Guide to Preschool & Daycares



All Aboard... Learning Express

Preschool, Pre-K, Kindergarten

About

• Owner & Director: Candance Mayr

• Email: allaboardlearningexpress@yahoo.com

• Phone: (773) 202-0554

• Location: 4008 W. Rosemont, Chicago, 60646

• Website: allaboardlearningexpress.com



More Info

• Year-round programs

• Programs available for children ages 15 months -6 years old

• Open from 7:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.

NAEYC accredited

• DCFS Licensed



Brickton Montessori School

Infants, Toddlers, Children's House (Preschool), Lower and Upper Elementary, and Middle School

About

Head of School: Erica LaneEmail: info@brickton.org

• Phone: (773) 714-0646

• Location: 8622 W. Catalpa, Chicago, 60656

• Website: brickton.org

More Info

Year-round programs

• Full-day and half-day options available

• Partial week available for 3 yrs. and younger (toilet training not required)

Accredited by the American Montessori Society (AMS), the Independent Schools
 Association of the Central States (ISACS), Lake Michigan Association of
 Independent Schools (LMAIS), and is affiliated with the Association of Illinois
 Montessori Schools (AIMS).

Bright Horizons

Infants, Toddlers, Preschool, Kindergarten Prep

About

• Director: Jill Infante

• Email: Skokie@brighthorizons.com

• Phone: (847) 624-4532

• Location: 9877 Woods Drive, Skokie, 60077

Website: brighthorizons.com/skokie

More Info

• Year-round programs

• Programs available for children ages 6 weeks—6 years

• Open from 7:30 a.m.-6 p.m.

NAEYC accredited

• Eco-Healthy Child Care Program (EHCC) approved

• Offering extracurricular activities: Dance, music, art, STEM, and much more!

Cara*lot Home Child Care

Daycare for Children, Infants & Up

About

Director: Cara Dolick

• Email: caraldolick@aol.com

• Phone: (847) 476-5583

• Location: Near Golf & Shermer Roads, Glenview, 60025

Website: caralotchildcare.com

More Info

Year-round care

• Care available for children ages 0-12 years

• Open from 7:15 a.m.-5:15 p.m., with flexibility

Full-day and half-day options available

DCFS Licensed





Children's Bright Beginnings

Toddlers, Preschool

About

• Director: Patty Belmont

• Email: cbbmg1989@gmail.com

• Phone: (847) 965-1003

• Location: 8944 N. Austin Ave.

Morton Grove, 60053

• Website: childrensbright.com

Childrens Bright Beginnings

More Info

- Year-round care
- Preschool program for ages 2—5
- Open M-F from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m.
- Full-day and half-day options available, flexible days
- Open/rolling enrollment
- DCFS Licensed
- Illinois Action for Children accepted
- Serving the community for 30 years!

Children's Campus Center

Toddlers, Preschool, Pre-K

About

• Director: None listed

• Email: childrenscampuscenter@yahoo.com

• Phone: (773) 631-3632

• Location: 7250 W. Touhy Ave., Chicago, 60631

Website: childrenscampuscenter.net

- Year-round care
- Care available for children ages 15 months—5 years
- Open from 6 a.m.-6 p.m.
- Full-day and half-day options available
- Features: New security doors and fenced playground are built for your child's safety.
- Serving the community since 1956



Children's Care & Develop.m.ent Center

Infants, Toddlers, Preschool

About

Director: None listed

Email: info@ccdcpreschool.org

Phone: (847) 676-8388

Location: 3925 Lunt Ave, Lincolnwood, 60712

Website: www.ccdcpreschool.org

More Info

- Year-round care
- Care available for children ages 6 weeks—5 years
- Open from 7 a.m.-6 p.m.
- Full-time care only
- NAEYC accredited
- Awarded Gold Circle of Excellence by ExceleRate

Children's Learning World Montessori School

Infants, Toddlers, Preschool, Elementary grades 1-6

About

Director: None listed

Email: childrenslearningworld@gmail.com

Phone: (847) 470-0370

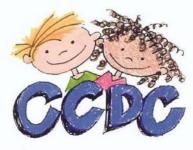
Location: 8101 Golf Road, Niles, 60714

Website: clw-montessori.com

More Info

- Year-round programs
- Programs available for children ages 6 weeks—12 years
- Open from 6:30 a.m.-6 p.m.
- Full-day and half-day options available
- Features: Gym, swim, dance, and chess
- Serving the community since 1970!





Childrens Learning World, Inc

a Montessori school

Christie's Carousel of Learning

Toddlers, Preschool. Kindergarten Enrichment

About

• Director: Janice Pagone

• Email: info@christiescarousel.com

• Phone: (847) 825-4568

• Location: 1300 W. Crescent Ave., Park Ridge, 60068

• Website: christiescarousel.com

More Info

• Year-round programs

• Programs available for children ages 2 years—6 years

• Open from 7:30 a.m. -5:30 p.m.

• Full-day and half-day options available

• Other Programs Offered: Summer Program for children ages 2-9 years

Daycare Children's World

Infants, Toddlers, Preschool

About

• Director: Adriana Correa-Cherry

• Email: childrensworldparkridge@gmail.com

• Phone: (224)585-6211

Location: 652-B Northwest Highway Park Ridge, 60058

• Website: daycarechildrensworldparkridge.com

- Year-round care
- Care available for children ages 6 weeks—5 years
- Open M-F from 7 a.m.-6 p.m.
- Only all-day and full-time care available
- DCFS Licensed
- Features: Foreign language program, field trips, bilingual classrooms
- Other Programs offered: Afterschool programs, summer camp





Devonshire Montessori

Toddlers, Preschool

About

• Director: none listed

• Email: office@devonshiremontessori.com

• Phone: (847) 983-8064

• Website: devonshiremontessori.com

• Location: 4154 Dempster Street, Skokie, 60076

More Info

- Open for care from 7 a.m. 6 p.m.
- Full and partial-day programs available
- Preschool closed in the summer
- Summer Programs available
- Programs available for children ages 15 months—6 years



Toddlers, Preschool

About

Director: none listedEmail: none listed

• Phone: (773) 657-3898

• Website: discovermontessorischool.com

Location: 7225 W Touhy Ave, Chicago, 60631

- Preschool closed in the summer
- Summer Programs available
- Programs available for children ages 2 years—6 years
- Member of American Montessori Society





District 63 — East Maine First Steps Preschool Early Learning Center

Preschool

About

Director: Barb Golik

• Email: bgolik@emsd63.org

• Phone: (847) 827-4165

Website: emsd63.org/preschool

• Location: 10000 Dee Rd., Des Plaines, 60016

More Info

- Preschool closed in the summer
- Programs available for children ages 3 years—5 years
- Half-day options only
- Features: Playground, special needs classrooms, bilingual classrooms
- Screening center & referral service for special needs children
- Preschool for All serves District 63 children who are "at-risk" for school difficulties; There is no cost to attend if your child qualifies
- Must provide proof of residency to register

District 64 — Jefferson School

Preschool

About

Principal: Michele BarkleyEmail: mbarkley@d64.org

• Phone: (847) 318-5360

• Website: d64.org/jef/preschool-community-student-program

Location: 8200 Greendale, Niles, 60714

More Info

- Preschool closed in the summer
- Programs available for children ages 3 years—5 years
- Half-day options only
- Features: Indoor gym, outside playground, field trips, special needs classrooms
- Screening & referral services for special needs children
- Pediatric Therapy On-site: Speech-Language, Occupational, and Physical Therapy
- Registration for upcoming school year begins early February
- Children must be 3-years-old by September 1 to enroll
- Must provide proof of residency to register



EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER

District 67 — Hynes Elementary School

Preschool

About

Principal: Ms. Holly Harper-KellyEmail: hharperkelly@golf67.net

Phone: (847) 965-4500Website: golf67.net

• Location: 9000 Belleforte, Morton Grove, 60053



More Info

- Preschool closed in the summer
- Programs available for children ages 3 years—5 years
- Half-day only, 8:30-11:00 or 12:30-2:55 (M-F)
- Features: Indoor gym, blended preschool
- Screening & referral services for special needs children
- Pediatric Therapy On-site: Speech-Language, Occupational, and Physical Therapy
- To register, must provide proof of residency
- Children must be 3 or 4 years old by September 1st to enroll

District 71 — Clarence E Culver School

Blended Early Childhood Program

About

Director of Student Services: Laura Guarraci

• Email: lguarraci@niles71.org

• Phone: (847) 966-9280

• Website: niles71.org/parents/preschool

Location: 6901 W. Oakton St., Niles, 60714

- Preschool closed in the summer
- Programs available for children ages 3 years—5 years
- Half-day only, 8:30-11 a.m. or 12:00-2:30 (M-F)
- Features: Indoor gym, field trips, blended preschool
- Screening & referral services for special needs children
- Preschool for All serves District 71 children who are "at-risk" for school difficulties; There is no cost to attend if your child qualifies
- To register, must provide proof of residency
- Children must be at least 3 years old by September 1st to enroll



District 207 — Maine East

Lab Preschool

About

• Principal: Michelle Meyer

• Email: mmeyer@maine207.org

• Phone: (847) 692-8348

• Website: sites.google.com/maine207.org/maineeastpreschool

• Location: 2601 W Dempster St., Park Ridge, 60068

More Info

- Preschool closed in the summer
- Accepting 4 year-olds only*
- Partial week, meets 4 days a week
- Half-day mornings only, 9:20-11:40 a.m.
- Must turn 4-years-old by September 1st
- Must be toilet trained and up to date on immunizations
- To register, must provide proof of residency

*If the program has space during the summer prior to the start of the program 3 year old children will be considered.

Dreamers Child Care & Preschool

Infants, Toddlers, Preschool



About

- Director: Oksana Klishch
- Email: dreamerschildcare@gmail.com
- Phone:
 - Glenview- (224) 616-3333
 - Palatine- (847) 496-4631
- Website: https://www.childcaredreamers.com/
- Locations:
 - 2682 Golf Rd., Glenview, 60025
 - 345 N Quentin Rd., Palatine, 60067

- Year-round care
- Programs available for children ages 6 weeks—6 years
- Open from 7 a.m.-6 p.m.
- Part-time or full-time care available
- Multilingual staff (English, Russian, and Ukrainian)
- DCFS Licensed



Embers Academy

Preschool

About

Director: Christopher GoffosEmail: info@embersacademy.org

• Phone: (847) 518-1185

Website: embersacademy.org/academics/pre-k
Location: 8340 N. Greenwood, Niles, 60714

More Info

- Preschool closed in the summer
- Programs available for children ages 3—5 years old
- Full-day and half-day options available
- Full-week or partial-week options available
- Features: Afterschool programs, outdoor playground, & field trips
- Awarded Illinois School of Character and National School of Character Award

Emily Oaks Nature Center — Growing Sprouts

Nature-based Preschool

About

• Director: Alison Robbins

• Email: AVRobbins@skokieparks.org

• Phone: 847-674-1500, ext. 2500

• Website: skokieparks.org/emily-oaks-nature-center/

Location: 4650 Brummel St., Skokie, 60076

- Programs available for children ages 3½ -5 years old
- Full-day and half-day options available
- Partial-week only, Monday/Wednesday/Friday or Tuesday/Thursday.
- Children must be toilet trained
- Other programs offered: Nature classes for preschool-aged children and summer camps





First Congregational Preschool

Preschool

About

Director: Elizabeth Liston

Email: fccdp-preschool@fccdp.org

Phone: (847) 299-5561

Website: fccdp.org/preschool.html

Location: 766 Graceland, Des Plaines, 60016

More Info

Preschool closed in the summer

Programs available for children ages 3-4 years old

Half-day only, 9:15-11:45 a.m.

Extended day option 8 a.m.-3 p.m.

Partial and full-week options

Other programs offered: Summer camp, music, & gym classes

Glenview New Church School

Preschool & Kindergarten

About

Director of Admissions: Kendra Paraskevopoulos

Email: Admissions@glenviewnewchurch.org

Phone: (847) 724-0057

Website: glenviewnewchurchschool.org

Location: 74 Park Drive, Glenview, 60025

More Info

Preschool closed in the summer

Programs available for children ages 3-5 years old

Full & half-Day options

Partial & full-week options

Open for care from 7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Other programs offered: Before & after school care, after school enrichment, summer camp, field trips, music, art, STEM, Spanish



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Immaculate Conception School

Preschool

About

Principal: Sue CanzoneriEmail: info@iccowboys.net

Phone: (773) 775-0545Website: iccowboys.net

• Location: 7263 W. Talcott, Chicago, 60631

More Info

• Preschool closed in the summer

• Programs available for children ages 3-4 years old

• Both all day or half day options

• Partial and full-week options

• Before care available: 6:45 a.m.-8:00 a.m.

• After care available 3 p.m.-6 p.m.

• Other programs offered: Spanish, gym, music, library, & art

Infant-Toddlers (IT) Day Care Center

Infant, Toddlers, Preschool

I-T Day Care Center Reliable and Affordable Child Care in Des Plaines

About

Director: Chung Lyu

• Email: none

• Phone: (847) 299-8687

• Website: none

• Location: 1637 S. Oakton Place, Des Plaines, 60018

More Info

• Year-round care

Programs available for children ages 6 weeks-6 years old

• Full & half-day options, 6 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

• Partial & full-week options

Accepts government-subsidized cases

DCFS Licensed



Jeran Day School + Learning Center

Infant, Toddlers, Preschool

About

• Director: Cassandra O'Reilly

• Email: jerandayschool@gmail.com

• Phone: (312) 206-3664

• Website: jerandayschool.com

Location: 5897 N. Elston Ave Chicago, 60646

More Info

- Year-round care
- Programs available for children ages 6 weeks—5 years old
- Full day only, 7 a.m.-5:30 p.m.
- Partial & full-week options
- Features: Organic lunch, bilingual classrooms, music class
- Illinois Action for Children accepted
- DCFS Licensed

Jerusalem Lutheran Precious Child Early Learning Center

Preschool

About

• Principal: Chiseon Kim

• Email: secretary@jerusalemlutheran.org

• Phone: (847) 965-7340

• Website: Jerusalemlutheran.org

Location: 6218 Capulina, Morton Grove, 60053

- Year-round care
- Programs available for children 3—12 years old
- Full & half-day options, 7 a.m.-5 p.m.
- Partial & full-week options
- Features: Field trips, bilingual classrooms, before and afterschool programs
- Other programs offered: Summer camp, foreign language program
- Accreditations: WELSSA, NCPSA
- Children must be 3-years-old by September 1 to enroll
- Children must be potty trained to enroll





Kensington School

Infants, Toddlers, Preschool, Kindergarten

About

Director: None listed

Email: admissions@kensingtonschool.com

Phone: (630) 990-8000

Website: kensingtonschool.com

Locations:

2160 Chestnut Ave, Glenview, 60026 805 N Northwest Hwy, Park Ridge, IL 60068 (Opening Spring 2022)

More Info

Year-round care

- Programs available for children ages 6 weeks—5 years old
- Full & half-day options, 7 a.m.-6 p.m.
- Partial day Preschool for 2, 3 and 4 year-olds
- Partial & full-week options
- Summer camp offered for children up to 3rd grade

Kid's Academy

Infants, Toddlers, Preschool, Kindergarten

About

Director: Kellie Andersen

Email: Kellie@kidsacademy.love

Phone: (847) 966-9007

Website: kids-academy.info

Location: 9233 Shermer Rd, Morton Grove, 60053

More Info

- Programs available for children ages 6 weeks—5 years old
- Full & half-day options, 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.
- Partial & full-week options
- Partial day Preschool for 2, 3 and 4 year-olds
- Before & afterschool care available
- ExceleRate Silver Circle
- DCFS Licensed





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Kiddie Academy of Park Ridge

Infant, Toddlers, Preschool

About

• Director: None listed

• Email: parkridge@kiddieacademy.net

• Phone:

Park Ridge: (847) 692-5000 Glenview: (847) 729-6200

Website: kiddieacademy.com/academies/park-ridge

• Locations:

109 S Washington Ave., Park Ridge, IL 60068 662 Waukegan Rd, Glenview, IL 60025

More Info

• Year-round care

• Programs available for children ages 6 weeks—12 years old

• Full & half-day options, 6:30 a.m.-6:30 p.m.

• Partial & full-week options

• After school programs offered

• Other programs offered: Foreign language program, summer camp offered for children up to 12 years old

• Features: Organic Lunch, indoor gym, field trips

• DCFS Licensed

Kiddie Garden

Infants, Toddlers, Preschool, Kindergarten

About

• Director: None listed

• Email: kiddiegard@yahoo.com

• Phone: (847) 699-8585

• Website: kiddiegardenniles.com

Location: 9130 Golf Road, Niles, 60714

More Info

Year-round care

• Programs available for children ages 6 weeks—6 years old

• Full & half-day options, 6:30 a.m.-6 p.m.

Partial & full-week options





Kindercare of Des Plaines

Infants, Toddlers, Preschool, Kindergarten

About

Director: Darci Rozner

Email: desplaines@kindercare.com

Phone: (847) 803-9929 Website: kindercare.com

Location: 8650 W Ballard Road, Des Plaines, 60016



Knowledge Beginnings[®]

Child Development Centers

More Info

- Year-round care
- Programs available for children ages 6 weeks—5 years old
- Full & half-day options, 6:30 a.m.-6 p.m.
- Partial & full-week options
- Features: Before & aftercare programs
- Summer camp programs for kids 5-12
- DCFS Licensed; NAEYC Accredited
- Excelerate Gold Circle
- Illinois Child Care Assistance Progra.m. accepted

Knowledge Beginnings of Glenview

Infants, Toddlers, Preschool, Kindergarten

About

Director: None listed

Email: desplaines@kindercare.com

• Phone: (847) 729-0204

Website: knowledgebeginnings.com

Location: 2401 Compass Road, Glenview, 60026

- Year-round care
- Programs available for children ages 6 weeks—5 years old
- Full & half-day options, 6:30 a.m.-6 p.m.
- Partial & full-week options
- Before & aftercare programs offered
- Spring Break & Summer camp programs for kids 5-12
- DCFS Licensed; NAEYC Accredited



Little Nest Care

Infants, Toddlers

About

• Director: Jessie Potrawski

• Email: info@littlenestcare.com

• Phone: (708) 831-4447

• Website: littlenestcare.com

• Location: 5426 W. Devon, Chicago, 60646

More Info

Year-round care

• Programs available for children ages 6 weeks—3 years (36 mo.)

• Full day only, 7 a.m. - 5 p.m.

• Partial & full-week options available

• DCFS Licensed

• Features: Whole foods lunch, eco-friendly environment

• Enrichment Programs: Music, cooking, and language

Logos Christian Academy

Preschool, Kindergarten

About

• Principal: Larry Murg

• Email: info@mylogos.org

Phone: (847) 647-9456Website: mylogos.org

• Location: 7280 Caldwell, Niles, 60714

More Info

• Preschool closed in the summer

• Programs available for children ages 3—6 years old

• Full and half-day options available

• Partial and full-week options available

• Afterschool care available



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Mersiha's Family Daycare

Infants, Toddlers, Preschool

About

• Director: Mersiha Drenjanin

• Email: msulic0605@yahoo.com

• Phone: (773)885-3780

• Website: mersihadaycare.com

• Location: 5426 W. Devon, Chicago, 60646

Mersiha's Family Daycare

More Info

- Year-round care
- Programs available for children ages 6 weeks—3 years (36 mo.)
- Full & partial day options available, 7:30 a.m.-6 p.m.
- IDCFS Licensed
- Enrichment Programs: Art, music, language learning

Mary Seat of Wisdom School

Preschool

About

• Principal: Julie Due

• Email: communications@maryseatofwisdom.org

Phone: (847) 825-2500Website: mswschool.org

Location: 1352 S. Cumberland, Park Ridge, 60068

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- Preschool closed in the summer
- Programs available for children ages 3—4 years old
- Full & half-day options
- Partial & full-week options
- Half-day program hours: 8:00 a.m.- 11:30 a.m.
- Full-day program hours: 8:00 a.m. 3:05 p.m. (Wed. dismissal 2:00 p.m.)
- Extended day options available

Messiah Lutheran Child Care Center

Preschool, Kindergarten

About

• Director: Miss April

• Email: office@messiahchildcare.org

• Phone: (847) 825-3767

• Website: messiahchildcare.com

• Location: 1605 Vernon Ave., Park Ridge, 60068

More Info

- Year-round care
- Programs available for children ages 2—5 years old
- Full & half-day options
- Extended care hours available, 6:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.
- Partial & full-week Options
- Other programs available: Summer programs
- Features: Spanish classrooms and field trips

Montessori Academy of Morton Grove

Infants, Toddlers, Preschool



About

- Head of School: None listed
- Email: info@montessoriacademymg.com
- Phone: (847) 423-2145
- Website: MontessoriAcademyMG.com
- Location: 9320 Waukegan Road, Morton Grove, 60053

- Year-round care
- Programs available for children ages 6 weeks—6 years
- Full & half-day options, 7:30 a.m.-6 p.m.
- Partial & full-week options available
- Features: Organic lunch, Montessori program, classroom observations,
- Enrichment programs: Spanish, music, and art
- DCFS Licensed
- AMS Accreditation



Montessori Learning Center of Edison Park

Toddlers, Preschool, Kindergarten

About

Director: Soossan Nimrouzi
Email: mlcep@aol.com
Phone: (773) 774-1969

• Website: mlcedisonpark.com

Location: 6740 N. Oliphant Ave., Chicago, 60631

More Info

- Preschool closed in the summer
- Summer program available
- Programs available for children ages 2—6 years old
- Full & half-day options, 6:30 a.m.-6 p.m.
- Partial and full-week options



Morton Grove Park District Ouality Parks & Recreation

Morton Grove Park District

Preschool

About

Recreation Supervisor: Sarah LindahlEmail: slindahl@mgparks.com

• Phone: (847)965-1200

• Website: mortongroveparks.com

• Location: 6834 Dempster Street, Morton Grove, 60053

- Preschool closed in summer
- Preschool available for 2—4 year olds
- Full & half-day options
- Partial & full-week options
- Other programs: Summer programs, dance, before & after school programs, and parent-tot class available for 2 year olds
- Financial aid options available
- Residency requirements: Must be 2, 3, or 4 by Sept. 1



Mosaic Early Childhood Montessori

Infants, Toddlers, Preschool, Kindergarten



About

• Head of School: None listed

• Email: info@mosaicearlychildhood.com

• Phone: Dempster- (847) 675-7030

• Oakton- (847)213-0899

• Website: mosaicearlychildhood.com

• Locations: 4023 Dempster & 4700 Oakton, Skokie, 60076

More Info

Year-round care

• Programs available for children ages 6 weeks—6 years

• Full & half-day options, 7 a.m.-6 p.m.

• Partial & full-week options

• Enrichment programs: Foreign language programs, Spanish, ASL

• Financial Aid: AFC, free lunch, PI, Preschool for All

• Academic summer camp for children 6 years—12 years

• ExceleRate Gold Circle and NAEYC accredited

A Mother's Touch Learning Academy

Infants, Toddlers, Preschool, Kindergarten

About

Directors: Rachael and Lexi

Email: director-desplaines@amotherstouch.us

Phone: (847) 813-5039 Website: amotherstouch.us

Location: 1666 Rand Rd., Des Plaines, 60016

More Info

• Year-round programs and childcare

• Programs for children ages 6 weeks—6 years

• Full & half-day options, 7:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Partial & full-week options

ExceleRate and NECPA Accredited

• Features: Digital learning portfolios, executive functioning curriculum and school partnership with Rush University



MCC (Muslim Community Center) Academy

Preschool

About

Principal: Salma Ahmed

• Email: info@mccacademy.org

• Phone: (224) 534-7638

Website: mccacademy.org

• Location: 9601 N. Gross Point Road, Skokie, 60076

More Info:

- Full time preschool-10th grade Islamic school
- Preschool program for children ages 3—5
- Full-day or half-day options available, 8:10am-3:30p.m.
- · Accredited full time school by Cognia
- Curriculum aligned with ISBE proposed standards
- Features: Foreign language program, field trips, indoor gym

Niles Park District Bright Beginnings Preschool

Preschool

About

Recreation Program Supervisor: Robin Brey

• Email: robin@niles-parks.org

Phone: (847) 967-6633Website: niles-parks.org

• Location: 6676 W Howard Street, Niles, 60714

- Preschool closed in summer
- Preschool available for 3—5 year olds
- Half-day option only
- Partial & full-week options available
- Summer program available
- Financial aid options available
- Residency requirements
- DCFS Licensed





North Shore Montessori: Glenview Montessori School

Infants, Toddlers, Preschool

About

Director: Debbie SongEmail: none listedPhone: (847) 945-8661

• Website: montessori-schools.com

• Location: 305 Waukegan Road, Northfield, 60093

More Info

• Programs available for 3 months—6 years old

• Summer programs available for all ages

• Partial & full-week options

American Montessori Society Accredited Member School

• Enrichment programs: Music, reading, science, physical education, and outdoor education.

Oakton Community College Early Childhood Center

Preschool

About

Site Coordinator: Monique Hudson
 Email: mhudson@oakton.edu

• Phone: (847) 635-1441

• Website: oakton.edu/ececenter

Location: 7701 N Lincoln Ave, Skokie, 60077

- Preschool closed in summer
- Preschool program available for children ages 3—5
- Full & half-day options, 7 a.m.-6 p.m.
- Partial & full-week options
- Summer camp available
- Awards: Excelerate Gold Circle, DCFS Licensed, NAEYC Accreditation, Eco-Healthy Child Care Endorsement
- Financial Aid: Day Care Action, Student/employee discount, SGA, Child Care Assistance Program





Open Arms Christian Child Development Center

Infants, Toddlers, Preschool, Kindergarten

About

• Director: Jessy Dinkelman

• Email: oadirector@openarmsglenview.org

• Phone: (847) 724-6092

• Website: www.openarmsglenview.org

• Location: 1850 Chestnut Ave, Glenview, 60025



More Info

• Year-round care

- Programs available for children 6 weeks—6 years
- Partial & full-week options, open 7 a.m.-6 p.m.
- Summer camp available for children 6-10 years
- Features: Spacious rooms, playground, large indoor gym, library, catered meals
- Enrichment programs: Spanish, art, music, social-emotional learning
- Additional programs: Soccer Shots and KidoKinetics

Our Lady of Perpetual Help School

Preschool, Kindergarten

About

Principal: Dr. Amy MillsEmail: amills@olph-il.org

• Phone: (847) 724-6990 ext. 18

Website: olph-il.org

• Location: 1123 Church St., Glenview, 60025

- Preschool closed in summer
- Preschool program available for children ages 3—5
- Partial & full-week options
- Half-day only
- Before & afterschool care options available, 7 a.m.-6 p.m.
- Summer camp available
- Features: Foreign language program, outdoor playground, indoor gym, field trips, Spanish class, physical education, music education, Big Buddies

Park Ridge Park District

Preschool

About

Director: Brooke PlofskyEmail: bplofsky@prparks.org

Phone: (847) 685-4400Website: prparks.org

• Location: 733 N Prospect Ave, Park Ridge, 60068

More Info

- Preschool closed in summer
- Preschool program available for children ages 2—5
- Partial & full-week options, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.
- Half-day only
- Before & afterschool care options available
- Summer camp available
- Certified by Illinois Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS)
- Must be age appropriate by September 1st

Partyland Day Care Inc.

In-Home Day Care Infants, Toddlers, Preschool, Kindergarten

About

Owner: Amanda Lopez

Email: apoh83@sbcglobal.net

Phone: (773) 297-0797

Website: n/a

Location: Niles, IL 60714 (near the corner of Oconto & Oakton)

- Year-round care
- Programs available for children 6 weeks—12 years
- Full & half-day options, 6:00 a.m.-5:30 p.m.
- Partial & full-week options
- Features: Spanish speaking staff, music class, art class, potty-training assistance
- Financial Aid: Illinois Action for Children (CCAP)



Poko Loko

Infants, Toddlers, Preschool

About

Email:

MortonGrove@pokolokochildcare.com Glenview@pokolokochildcare.com

• Phone: Morton Grove- (847) 966-8131 Glenview- (847)729-4433

Website: PokoLokoChildcare.com

• Locations:

5645 Dempster St., Morton Grove, 60053 300 Waukegan Rd, Glenview, IL 60025

More Info

- Year-round care
- Programs available for children 6 weeks—5 years
- Full & half-day options, 6:40 a.m.-6 p.m.
- Partial & full-week options available
- Summer camp available
- Features: Field Trips, Spanish instruction, music, art, indoor playground
- Financial Aid Offered: Illinois Action for Children (CCAP), YWCA

St. Andrews Lutheran School

Preschool

About

• Admission Director: Kristin Johnson

• Email: admissions@standrewslutheranschool.org

• Phone: (847) 823-9308 x200

Website: standrewspr.org

• Location: 260 N. Northwest Hwy, Park Ridge, 60068

- Summer programs available
- Preschool program available for children ages 3—5
- Full and half day options available
- Partial & full-week options available
- Child must be potty trained
- Features: Weekly chapel, music, art, physical education, excellent student to teacher ratio, before & after school care available



St. Catherine Laboure School

Preschool

About

Principal: John Blumenshine

Email: admin@sclschool-glenview.org

Phone: (847) 724-2240

Website: sclschool-glenview.org

Location: 3425 Thornwood Ave., Glenview, IL 60026

More Info

- Preschool closed in summer
- Preschool program available for children ages 3—5
- Partial & full-week options
- Full & half-day options available
- Before & aftercare available
- Summer program available

St. Haralambos **Greek Orthodox Church Aristotle Day School**

Preschool, Kindergarten

About

Director: Magda Kelesidi

Email: magda@aristotlegreekschools.com

Phone: (847) 647-8880

Website: aristotlegreekschools.com

Location: 7373 Caldwell, Niles, 60714

More Info

- Preschool closed in summer
- Programs available for children ages 3—6
- Partial & full-week options
- Half-day only, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.
- Extended Day Enrichment Program, 1 p.m. 2:30 p.m.
- Bilingual Greek-English teachers
- Features: Afternoon and Saturday Greek school, dance classes



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NILES, ILLINOIS



St. John Brebeuf School

Preschool

About

• Principal: Adam Taylor

• Email: office@sjbschool.org

Phone: (847) 966-3266Website: sjbschool.org

• Location: 8301 N. Harlem Ave. Niles, 60714

More Info

- Preschool closed in summer
- Preschool program available for children ages 3—4
- Partial & full-week options
- Full & half-day options available
- Before & aftercare available, 6:30 a.m.-6 p.m.
- Summer program available
- Features: Indoor gym, field trips
- Enrichment programs: Foreign language program, PE, Spanish, music, art
- Financial aid is available
- Child must be potty trained
- Child must be of age by September 1st

St. Juliana School

Preschool

About

Principal: Catherine Scotkovsky

Email: office@stjuliana.org

Phone: (773) 631-2256Website: stjuliana.org

• Location: 7400 W. Touhy Ave., Chicago, 60631

- Preschool closed in summer
- Preschool program available for children ages 3—4
- Partial & full-week options
- Full & half-day options available
- Before & aftercare available, 7 a.m.-6 p.m.





St. Mary of the Woods School

Preschool

About

Principal: Linda FoleyEmail: None listedPhone: (773) 763-7577

• Website: smowschool.org

• Location: 6959 N Hiawatha Ave, Chicago, IL 60646

More Info

• Preschool closed in summer

• Preschool program available for children ages 3—4

• Partial & full-week options

• Full & half-day options available

• Before & aftercare available, 7 a.m.-6 p.m.



St. Philip Lutheran Church & School

Preschool, Kindergarten

About

• Principal: Donna Tennis

• Email: dtennis@stphiliplutheran.com

• Phone: (773) 561-9830

• Website: stphiliplutheran.com

• Location: 2500 W. Bryn Mawr, Chicago, 60659

- Year-round care
- Preschool program available for children ages 2.5 years—6 years
- Open for care 7 a.m.-6 p.m.
- Partial & full-week options
- Full & half-day options available
- Before & aftercare available, 7:30 a.m.– 6 p.m.
- Summer program available
- NLSA accredited school
- Children must be 2 by March 1st to enroll
- Children must be potty trained before attending



Science Academy of Chicago

Preschool

About

• Principal: Brianna Bartucci

Email: info@saoc.orgPhone: (847) 258-5254

Website: saoc.org

• Location: 501 Midway Drive, Mt. Prospect, 60056

More Info

- Preschool closed in summer
- Preschool program available for children ages 3—4
- Full & half-day options
- Partial & full-week options
- Before & afterschool programs available, 7 a.m.-6 p.m.
- Features: STEAM focused school, music, art, Spanish & PE, and free weekly after school clubs & activities
- Children must be potty trained before attending

Science & Arts Academy

Preschool-8th grade

About

• Director of Enrollment: Mindy Hildebrandt

• Email: info@scienceandartsacademy.org

• Phone: (847) 827-7880

Website: scienceandartsacademy.org

• Location: 1825 Miner St, Des Plaines, 60016

- Full & half-day preschool options
- Extended daycare 7:30 a.m.—6 p.m.
- ISACS accreditation
- Differentiated instruction
- Enrichment programs: Athletics, Mandarin, private music/voice lessons, math, science, cooking, and Scouts
- Summer program available
- Scholarships available
- Child must be 4 by September 1st to enroll





See Me Grow & Learn Infant & Child Develop.m.ent Center

Infants, Toddlers, Preschool

About

• Director: None listed

• Email: seemegrowandlearn@gmail.com

• Phone: (847) 813-6892

• Website: seemegrowandlearn.com

• Location: 1345 E. Golf Rd., Des Plaines, 60016



More Info

- Year-round care
- Programs available for children ages 6 weeks—6 years
- Full & half-day options, 6:30 a.m.-6 p.m.
- Partial & full-week options available

Skokie Montessori School

Toddlers, Preschool, Kindergarten-6th grade

About

• Director: Joji A. Escanilla

• Email: staff@skokiemontessori.com

• Phone: (847) 679-4614

• Website: skokiemontessori.com

• Location: 8401 North Karlov Avenue, Skokie, 60076

- Year-round care
- Programs available for children ages 18 months—12 years
- Full & half-day options available
- Extended day program offered, 7:30 a.m.-6 p.m.
- Partial & full-week options available
- Other programs offered: Art, music, Spanish, yoga, and cooking classes
- Summer camp available
- Accredited by AMS
- On AMS Pathway Step 6 (All of its lead teachers hold Montessori credentials and it fully incorporates all 5 core components of quality Montessori education)



Stock Elementary School Chicago Public Schools

STOCK SCHOOL

Preschool

About

Principal: Ann McNally
Email: almcnally@cps.edu
Phone: (773) 534-1215

• Website: stock.cps.edu

• Location: 7507 W. Birchwood, Chicago, 60646

More Info

• Preschool closed in the summer

• Preschool program available for children ages 3—4 years

• Half-day only, 2.5 hours/day, a.m. and p.m.

• Full-week only, 5 days

• Features: Certified Gen Ed/Special Ed staff, OT, PT, SW, speech, nurse

Accreditations: DCFS Licensed, NAEYC, Excelerate

Sugar Plum Tree Preschool, Inc.

Toddlers, Preschool

About

• Director: Maryellen Waters

Email: None listedPhone: (847) 823-1978

• Website: sugarplumtree.net

• Location: 1006 Gillick, Park Ridge, 60068

- Year-round care
- Programs available for children ages 18 months-5 years
- Full & Half-Day Options, 7 a.m. 5:30 p.m.
- Partial & Full-week Options
- Features: Hot Organic Lunch, indoor gym, field trips
- DCFS Licensed
- Excelerate Silver Circle



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