

*Dumont Board of Education*

**DUMONT**

2021

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**Preschool Inclusion Program**

*at Selzer School*



**Dumont Public School District**  
Early Childhood Development Education

February 2021

Dear Parents/Guardians:

The Dumont Public School District is extremely proud of our *Dumont Preschool Inclusion Program* for three and four-year-old children. As parents and educators, we know how important quality early childhood educational programs are for the youngest members of our community. This innovative program will provide our children with a child-centered environment in addition to the supports and services needed to achieve valuable learning outcomes as well as to form and maintain productive social relationships with other children.

Our board of education believes that supportive partnerships around a child provide the kind of environment in which families, schools, and community work together to achieve and sustain shared goals for children. We are looking forward to working with your child in this first step of their educational journey.

Our program will be housed at Selzer School and will feature three sessions, one in the morning and two in the afternoon.

For the 2021-2022 school year, the program will only be available to three-year-olds unless some of our four-year-old students do not return. In order to be eligible, children must be three on or before October 1, 2021.

Sincerely,



Emanuele Triggiano  
Superintendent of Schools



## **OUR DUMONT PRESCHOOL INCLUSION PROGRAM**

- ❖ Each class will consist of a New Jersey State Certified teacher and a minimum of two teacher aides.
- ❖ The curriculum will follow The Creative Curriculum for Preschool®, which is aligned with the NJ Preschool Teaching and Learning Expectations: Standards of Quality.
- ❖ The program will be offered in three sessions: one in the morning and two in the afternoon.
  - **Morning Session 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.**
  - **Afternoon Session 12:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.**
- ❖ Three and four-year-olds will be grouped together in a multi-age setting.
- ❖ Special needs children will be included in the program upon the recommendation of the Dumont Child Study Team.
- ❖ The Preschool Program will be located in the Selzer School.
- ❖ The District will attempt to balance the classes by age and gender. If more students apply for the program than available openings, a lottery will be conducted. Class size is limited to 16 students.
- ❖ Open to children who are three and four years old. Children must be three on or before October 1, 2021. **All children must be toilet trained.**

### **Tuition Costs**

Five days per week for either the Morning or Afternoon Session

**\$2,575.00 per year**

**(snacks are included in the price of tuition)**



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