

Prekindergarten is:

- A developmentally appropriate educational program, founded on early childhood research and practice
- Meaningful family engagement
- Community partnerships and shared ownership
- Integrated health, social services and educational supports
- Culturally responsive for all
- Mixed age groupings
- Minimum 12 hours per week
- Program runs Monday to Thursday and every other Friday, mornings or afternoons.



Information provided by *Better Beginnings, Better Futures: Effective Practices, Policy and Guidelines for Prekindergarten in Saskatchewan* (Saskatchewan Ministry of Education, 2008)

If you are Catholic and are interested in having your child/ren attend our Prekindergarten half-day program please call the school or division office (953-7500) to register.

Transportation is provided within a designated attendance area.



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PREK TO 8



**Prekindergarten
Application
2012-2013**



**Call 953-7555
for more info.**

FOR 3 AND 4 YEAR OLDS

What is Prekindergarten?

- Play-based learning opportunities
- An active experiential learning opportunity
- Family focused
- Child-centered
- Focused upon the development of the whole child—social, emotional, physical, intellectual and spiritual



- Prekindergarten welcomes children who are 3 and 4 years old by June 30, 2012



Goals of Prekindergarten

- School and life success for children
- High quality Prekindergarten programming
- Increase parent involvement and shared responsibility



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How to apply?

- An application process based on Ministry criteria helps prioritize the admission of children. Contact the school for application forms.