

Dearborn Virtual k-12 Kindergarten Round Up 2024-2025



What Are Parents Saying?

“I love virtual school because I enjoy knowing step by step what my child is learning and I am able to be there to help him. Plus the teachers and staff are amazing. They are always ready to help if needed and I couldn't be happier.”

“I recommend virtual learning because it is more convenient for me as I have a 3 year old that does not attend school and I work from home. I don't have to worry about dropping off and picking up from school. Virtual is the best choice for my family and I.”

“I am the mother of a virtual kindergarten student and I thank Mrs. Miller and the school for their great efforts and support. It has been an amazing year and my child has learned so much. I thank Mrs. Miller for supporting us and making everything smooth and easy.”

“You get a chance to be a hands on part of your child's education. In addition, you can take school with you wherever you go.”

Kindergarten Registration

How do I get the paperwork needed for registration?

- ★ Visit the District Website [here](#) or grab a packet from any Dearborn public school.

When does the paperwork need to be turned in?

- ★ As soon as possible

Who do I call if I need assistance with the registration process?

- ★ Student Services: [313-827-3005](tel:313-827-3005)

Information From Our District Nurses

- State of MI requires all Kindergarteners to have immunizations up-to-date. A copy of these immunizations needs to be provided for enrollment. The immunizations required are described here: [Vaccinations required for school entry.](#)
- Each child entering Kindergarten needs to have a physical exam. This is the form the physician should complete: [Health Appraisal Form.](#)





Information From Our District Nurses

- If a child requires medication at school, a [Medication Authorization Form](#) needs to be signed by the parent and physician.
- Please contact the school nurse with any medical conditions that may impact education or may require emergency medications. (for example: Asthma, Food Allergies, Type One Diabetes, Seizures, etc.) Health Forms can be found @ [Medications at School](#).
- When enrolling, please make sure all contact numbers are correct and the health information section is filled out completely.
- For more information, please visit the School Nurse Website @ [School Nurses](#) or contact Student Services at (313) 827-3005.

Kindergarten

READINESS

The logo features the word 'Kindergarten' in a colorful, multi-colored font (K: pink, i: blue, n: green, d: yellow, e: orange, r: pink, g: blue, a: green, r: orange, t: pink, e: blue, n: green). Below it, the word 'READINESS' is written in a bold, blue, sans-serif font. Two light blue handprints are positioned behind the 'READINESS' text, one on the left and one on the right, with fingers spread.

Reading & Writing

- ★ Say their first and last name
- ★ Recognize their first and last name
- ★ Write their first name
- ★ Recognize all letters of the alphabet, out of order
- ★ Know many letter sounds
- ★ Write many capital and lowercase letters

Other

- ★ Color in the lines
- ★ Cutting with scissors
- ★ Using glue
- ★ Tying own shoes
- ★ Zipping coat

Math & Numbers

- ★ Count to 10
- ★ Recognize numbers 0-10
- ★ Write numbers 0-10
- ★ Know flat shapes: circle, square, triangle, rectangle
- ★ Know colors
- ★ Know positional and directional words: up, down, around, behind, on top, next to

Why Virtual?

- ★ In person field trips & events
 - Detroit Zoo, Greenfield Village, STEM roller skating, and more!
 - “Friendsgiving”, Valentine’s Day & more in person celebrations!
- ★ Interactive virtual assemblies
- ★ All specials: music, art, P.E., media
- ★ Live teacher-remote learning
- ★ Same curriculum, but in the comfort of your own home
- ★ Ongoing communication with the teacher
- ★ Special support(s) for any child in need: speech, OT, PT, reading, special ed
- ★ ALL supplies provided by the district
 - Chromebook
 - Books
 - Math Manipulatives
 - Online curriculum supports
 - Plus more!



Learning Platform Schoology



attendance line
313-827-8405
tech support
313-827-3075



9:00-9:30	morning meeting	12:25-1:05	lunch
9:30-10:45	math	1:05-1:20	afternoon meeting
10:45-11:00	recess	1:20-2:50	ELA
11:00-11:40	math	2:55-3:10	recess
11:40-12:25	<u>STEAM w/Ms. Nouredinne</u>	3:10-3:45	whole group
		3:45-3:55	afternoon dismissal

Early release tuesday
2:25 dismissal

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Mrs. Miller 2022-2023: k-2

Wednesday



reading & writing resources



4/24-4/28 ELA

math & number resources



4/24-4/28 math kinder



enrichment special 3:05



4/24-4/28 ELA (b)



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Wednesday 4/26

eSpark assignment



[Click here and try logging in through Google if signing in through Clever is not working.](#)

Preparation During the Summer

- ★ Everyday
 - Read at least 1 story to your child
 - Play with play doh
 - Color one page in a coloring book
 - Count with your child from 1-20
- ★ Engage in language
 - [talk to your child-a lot!!](#)
- ★ Get to bed early
 - Children need approximately [10 hours of sleep](#) at this age for healthy growth & development
- ★ [Limit screen time](#)
 - Consider learning channels when watching television
 - PBS Kids, Noggin,
- ★ Free educational websites
 - Pbskids.org
 - Starfall.com
 - Abcya.com
- ★ Play!





Do Your Children Get Enough Sleep?

Kids aged
6-12 need

9 to 12

HOURS OF SLEEP A NIGHT

Teens aged
13-18 need

8 to 10

Sleep is critical to prevent:



TYPE 2
DIABETES



OBESITY



POOR MENTAL
HEALTH



INJURIES



ATTENTION OR
BEHAVIOR
PROBLEMS



Tips for Good Sleep



Set bed and wake-up times
at the same time each day,
including weekends.



Keep the bedroom quiet and
a comfortable temperature.



Remove electronic devices
from the bedroom.



Avoid large meals and
caffeine before bedtime.



Make sure kids are active
during the day so they
can fall asleep at night.



Model good sleep
behaviors for kids.



Have a bedtime routine
like taking a warm bath,
brushing teeth, and



Turn the lights out
at bedtime.

Screen Time by Age

Based on recommendations by the American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) and World Health Organization (WHO). Under the age of 18 months, experts recommend avoiding all screen time except video chatting with loved ones.

Sources: AAP at aap.org and WHO at who.int
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AGE RANGE	HOW MUCH?	WHAT KIND?	CO-VIEW?	MORE TIPS
18-24 MOS	None is ideal; less than 1 hour per day when necessary	High-quality educational content	Co-view ¹ all screen time with your child	Avoid fast-paced and violent content
2-5 YRS	No more than 1 hour per day; less is better	High-quality educational content	Co-view ¹ first time for a TV show, app, and so on, then periodically	Avoid fast-paced and violent content
6-10 YRS	Up to 1 or 1.5 hours per day	Creative or educational content that promotes healthy interactions	Co-view ¹ first time for a TV show, app, and so on, then periodically	Work together to develop your family's plan for healthy media use
11+ YRS	Up to 2 hours per day	Creative or educational content that promotes healthy interactions	Co-view ¹ first time for a TV show, app, and so on, then periodically	Work together to develop your family's plan for healthy media use

TIPS FOR ALL FAMILIES

¹**Co-view:** Join your child during screen time to boost parent-child connection and decrease negative side effects of screen time

Screen-free zones: Keep bedrooms, mealtimes, and parent-child playtime screen-free for everyone in the family

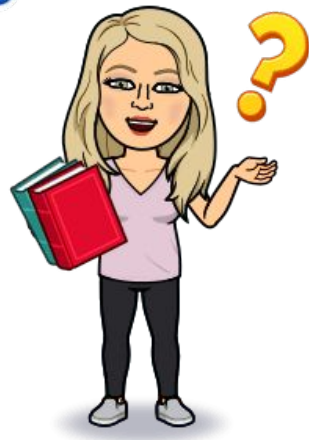
Device curfews: Stop using screens at least one hour before bedtime

Language/Communication Milestones

- Tells a story she heard or made up with at least two events. For example, a cat was stuck in a tree and a firefighter saved it 🎬
- Answers simple questions about a book or story after you read or tell it to him 🎬
- Keeps a conversation going with more than three back-and-forth exchanges 🎬
- Uses or recognizes simple rhymes (bat-cat, ball-tall) 🎬



Any Questions?



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