

UNIVERSAL PRE-K PROGRAM

Kenmore-Town of Tonawanda UFSD



UPK Registration Begins March 4-8, 2019

The Ken-Ton School District is proud to offer its Universal Pre-Kindergarten Program which will provide your child with a literacy-rich curriculum aligned with the New York State Standards. The program is fully-funded by the NYS Universal Pre-Kindergarten Grant and is contingent upon the continuance of this allocation in the 2019-2020 NYS Budget. The program is staffed and managed by the Ken-Ton Family YMCA with oversight provided by district personnel.

REQUIREMENTS

- Your child is required to be a Ken-Ton resident.
- Your child is required to be 4 years old between the dates of December 2, 2018 and December 1, 2019. Your child may not turn 5 years of age on or before December 1, 2019.
- Children who are enrolled must meet NYS health and immunization requirements. Current immunization and health exam documentation must be completed and submitted to the school health office by August 31, 2019.
- A commitment is required to the full program, which is 2.5 hours per day, 5 days per week for the duration of the program. Your child will be placed in a morning or an afternoon session. Session times are specific to location assignments.
- Children will be taught by certified teachers and will be assisted by a classroom aide. The class size will be limited to 18 children.
- Parents are required to provide ALL transportation. BUSING IS NOT PROVIDED.

HOW TO APPLY

- Please fill out the New Student Registration Packet.
- Please call Central Registration at 871-2090 to set up an appointment to process the registration. An appointment is necessary before your child can be enrolled.
- Be sure to bring 2 proofs of residency and your child's original birth certificate/baptismal certificate.

ACCEPTANCE/PLACEMENT PROCESS

- You will be notified by mail of your child's acceptance into the program in mid-June.
- The Pre-Kindergarten Program is housed at Franklin and Holmes Elementary and at the Ken-Ton Pre-K Center which is located on the first floor of the former Kenmore Middle School building.
- Children who will be attending Kindergarten at Franklin and Holmes Elementary will be given preference at those sites pending space availability.
- Once registration is complete, please contact our UPK Coordinator, Caitlin Evans, at 874-5051 with any further questions regarding the UPK Program.
- Prior to registration, please feel free to contact the Ken-Ton Central Registration Office at 871-2090.