

Welcome to CHIPS!

2022-2023 Information

General Information

- AM and PM Sessions offered
 - AM Session- 8:15-10:45
 - PM Session- 12:00-2:30
- Two, three, and four day options
 - Specific Days are TBD
 - If you have a day preference, please note it on the pre-registration application

Why CHIPS?

- Highly Qualified Teachers and Staff
 - Our teachers have Bachelor's Degrees (most have Master's Degrees) and are certified in early childhood education and special education. In addition, our staff includes highly qualified paraprofessionals, speech pathologists, occupational therapists, a physical therapist, a social worker, a BCBA, and a school nurse.
- Small Classes
 - Our classes have a maximum of 15 students with a teacher and at least one paraprofessional
- Integrated, Inclusive Environment
 - Inclusive preschool environments have been shown to be beneficial for both students with disabilities and typically developing children

Why CHIPS?

- Language Rich, Sensory Friendly Environment
- Developmentally Appropriate, Research Based Curriculum
 - Fundations
 - Fountas & Pinnell Classroom
 - Handwriting Without Tears
- Our Facility
 - CHIPS is housed in the former Westlands Elementary School building and has a full size gym and large recreation room for indoor gross motor activities. We also have a gorgeous, accessible, age appropriate playground.

A Look Inside Our Classrooms

Pretend/Dramatic Play



Block Center



Art Center



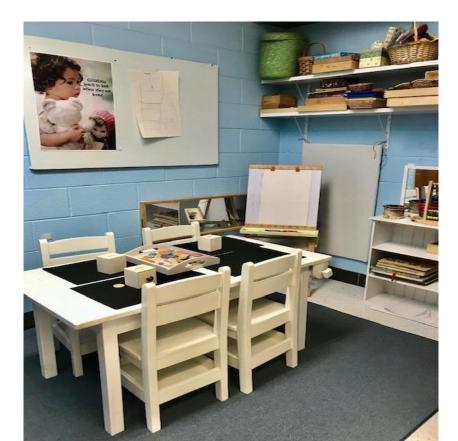
Circle Time



Cubbies



Manipulatives and Science





Quiet Play



Sensory Spa



How to register:

• Complete the <u>CHIPS Pre-registration application</u>, which can be found on our website.

• DO NOT complete the registration paperwork on the Chelmsford Public Schools student registration page at this time. You will be asked to complete this paperwork after you have been offered an accepted a spot at CHIPS.