

## Philosophy and Mission Statement

We believe that the educational process is the shared responsibility of all members of the school community. We are committed to creating a climate of universal respect among members of our community. Within this climate, each child learns to be a responsible, life-long learner. It is our goal to provide high quality early childhood education in a warm, nurturing atmosphere. We believe that every child has unique skills and we are dedicated to helping each child develop these skills and reach his or her full potential. Our program offers the benefits of experienced staff and individualized curriculum that meets the Guidelines for Preschool Learning Experiences.

### Application

Submit application form along with a **non-refundable \$35 Registration fee** by **March 11<sup>th</sup>**. If applications exceed the number of available spaces, a lottery is held for the available spaces. Preferences are given to returning students and to siblings of already enrolled students.

### Calendar

Westford Integrated Preschool follows the District school calendar.

### Tuition

Tuition is based on 35 weeks of school and is divided into 4 payments:

#### Deposit - Due by April 1<sup>st</sup>

A 10% deposit is required to secure your child's enrollment in our program.

**Payments 2-4 are due on or before Sept. 1<sup>st</sup>, Dec. 1<sup>st</sup> & Mar. 1<sup>st</sup>.**

Notification of cancellation must be received by May 1<sup>st</sup> in order to obtain a refund of your deposit payment.

An additional \$15.00 per 15 minutes is added to tuition for late pickups.

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(Click Integrated Preschool)

## Westford Integrated Preschool



"Shaping the  
future, one child  
at a time."

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## Inclusive Education for children 3-5 years of age

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Our inclusive preschool programs include both children who require specialized instruction and children who do not have identified learning needs. Inclusive education seeks to provide meaningful learning experiences to a range of students in our communities by drawing strength from their diversity.

The curriculum is based on the Massachusetts Pre-kindergarten Common Core State Standards. We utilize the OWL Curriculum from Pearson as a framework to guide our work with the children. Lessons are taught that address social and emotional skills, play skills, self-help skills, communication skills, gross, fine and visual motor skills, and cognitive skills.

## Program Options for 2020-21 school year:

Westford Integrated Preschool offers a variety of program options for children, in order to meet the needs of each family. Our programs are fully integrated, and typically staffed by one teacher and two teaching assistants. In addition, a speech and language pathologist and an occupational therapist often spend time in the classrooms working with all students.

Children are eligible to enroll upon or the day after their third birthday. Enrollment is rolling providing a spot is available.

### Program Options

#### Classes/Annual Tuition

- ☐ Full Day (4.5 days per week) /\$6350
- ☐ 5 morning sessions per week /\$3550
- ☐ 4 afternoon sessions per week /\$2850

A.M. Sessions: 9:05-11:35am

P.M. Sessions: 12:40-3:10pm

Full Day Sessions:

9:05-3:10pm (Mon.-Thurs.)

9:05-11:35am (Fri.)

## Teaching and Therapeutic Staff

Our talented teaching and therapeutic staff members hold Massachusetts Teaching Licenses in the areas of both special and general education.

Our teaching assistants are experienced and highly trained to meet the needs of the diverse student population.

Our dedicated team of staff is committed to meeting the needs of all students.

Grey Ghosts in Training



Please visit us online at  
[www.westfordk12.us](http://www.westfordk12.us) for more  
information and the school calendar.

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