

Hamblen County Schools Voluntary Pre-K Application 2018-19

Today's Date _____ **Child's Name** _____

Birth Date _____ **Gender:** ___ Male ___ Female

Home Address _____ **Street Address and Apt. #**

_____ **City/State/Zip Code**

Phone Numbers: _____ **home** _____ **work** _____ **cell**

Person completing this form: ___ Mother ___ Father ___ Step-mother ___ Step-father ___ Adoptive Parent
___ Other family member (specify) _____ Other (specify) _____

Family Data Child lives with: ___ Both Parents ___ Mother ___ Father ___ Grandparents ___ Adoptive
Parent(s) ___ Other (specify) _____

Number of people in the household _____

What is the first language your child learned to speak? _____ **What language**
does your child speak most often outside of school? _____ **What language is spoken most**
often when at home? _____

Please circle any of the following items that pertain to your child:

Child receives special education services

Child is in state custody or foster care

Child attended Early Head Start or Head Start

Child/family receives food stamps (EBT) or Families First (TANF)

Child is homeless or migrant

Child has a history of abuse/neglect

Child has a military parent who is missing in action, killed in action, or a prisoner of war

Other at/risk factors: _____

Does your child receive books from the Imagination Library? Yes ___ No ___

Signature of person filling out this form: : _____

Application taken by: _____ Date: _____

Voluntary Pre-K Application Information

Welcome and thank you for your interest in the Hamblen County Schools Pre-K program! This very important preschool program is primarily funded through a grant provided by the Tennessee Department of Education along with some local funding. It is an important educational program offered to children who live in Hamblen County and who are four years old by August 15.

Voluntary Pre-K means you are requesting to enroll in the Pre-K program. Once accepted into the program, excellent attendance is expected. This is an important first step in your child's education. Students are expected to maintain attendance at 90% or risk losing enrollment in the program. Space is limited and a waiting list is maintained once all the available spaces are filled.

In accordance with Tennessee law and rules and regulations of the State Department of Education, students who meet the following qualifications will have priority for being accepted into the program:

- Child is four years old on or before August 15, 2018
- Family resides in Hamblen County (school zone does not matter)
- Military Parent is KIA, MIA, or POW
- Family meets federal income guidelines

Please complete the above form and submit it with your income verification form, two proofs of residence in Hamblen County, child's birth certificate, child's Social Security card, and parent/guardian's photo ID.