



**Penn PALS Community Preschool**  
P-H-M Exceptional Education Division  
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### **Overview**

Imagine, explore and engage! Penn Harris Madison Schools is thrilled to offer the Penn PALS (Promoting Academic Learning Skills) Community Preschool to the Penn-Harris-Madison's team of excellence for the 2018-2019 school year. Penn PALS Community Preschool provides an atmosphere conducive to academic and social engagement.

### **Where is this program offered?**

For the 2018-2019 school year Penn PALS Community Preschool will be offered at four locations: Bittersweet, Elsie Rogers, Elm Road and Mary Frank Elementary Schools.

### **What is the curriculum for the program?**

To promote Kindergarten readiness for students, we will be providing a curriculum crucial for development that includes cognitive, social, emotional, physical and language activities. We will continue to utilize the ISTAR-KR Standards based on the Indiana Kindergarten Standards, SPARK, Everyday Mathematics, Foundations, and Handwriting Without Tears.

### **Operating hours and age requirements**

Penn PALS Community Preschool is a half-day preschool program.

- Ages 2 & 3 (child must be two by March 1, 2018): Tuesday/Thursday 9:00-11:30 a.m.
- Ages 3 & 4 (child must be three by September 1, 2018): Monday/Wednesday/Friday 9:00-11:30 a.m., Tuesday/Thursday 9:00-11:30 a.m., Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 12:30-3:00 p.m.
- Ages 3/4/5 (child must be three by September 1, 2018): Tuesday/Wednesday/Thursday 12:30-3:00 p.m.
- Ages 4 & 5 (child must be four by September 1, 2018): Monday/Wednesday/Friday 9:00-11:30 a.m. or Monday/Tuesday/Wednesday/Thursday 9:00-11:30 a.m. or 12:30-3:00p.m.

### **Supervision**

P-H-M is pleased to have Mrs. Caroline Brill as our Preschool Coordinator. Student to staff ratio averages 1 staff member to 4 students.

**Pricing:** Two and a half & Three year olds: two day - \$100.00/month

Three/Four year olds: two day -\$100.00/month

Three/Five year olds: three day-\$115.00/month

Four/Five year olds: four day-\$130.00/month

### **School closings and delays**

Penn PALS Community Preschool will follow the P-H-M school schedule during inclement weather.

### **Register for Penn PALS Community Preschool**

Register on Monday, March 12, 2018 at our Educational Services Center, 55900 Bittersweet Road, Mishawaka, IN 46545 from 8:00 a.m.- 12:00 p.m. There will be a \$60.00 non-refundable registration fee. A birth certificate, immunization record and proof of residency is required.

*For more information please contact the Exceptional Education Division Office at 574.968-9600*