

Continuum of Programming Birth - Five

Below is a continuum of programming available to families in Belle Plaine. Each year represents a different goal to offer high quality programming for all children. The end goal is to be READY for Kindergarten. Each year, additional options are available and represented by a new color.

Newborn - 1 Year→ Meet Family, Get Census, Start Talking Typical Development

Baby Bags/Visits
Baby Classes
Census Info through Baby Visits
Introduce Belle Plaine Programs
Follow Along Program
CAP Agency
Public Health
Talk Typical Development
Help Me Grow
Offer Parent Resources

1 Year→ Pull into School Building Through Relationships
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Open Play
Parent / Child Events
Parent / Child Classes
Toy Lending Library

2 Years→ Start Preschool Screening Conversations

Follow Along Program

CAP Agency

Public Health

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Offer Parent Resources

Open Play

Parent / Child Events (Family Nights, Vehicle Fair, Costume Party, Holiday Express etc.)

Parent / Child Classes

Toy Lending Library

Referral for Screening

Daycare Express

More Class Options

Storytime @ Library

Start to give Help Me Grow Referrals

Book Buddies--Mini experience without parent

Preschool Prep for those not 3 by September 1st

3 Years Old→ Referral Doors Open to All Programs

Follow Along Program

CAP Agency

Public Health

Talk Typical Development

Help Me Grow

Offer Parent Resources

Open Play

Parent / Child Events (Continue Family Nights and add Storyteller, Math Night, Science Night etc.)

Parent / Child Classes

Toy Lending Library

Referral for Screening
Daycare Express
More Class Options
Storytime @ Library
Start to give Help Me Grow Referrals
Book Buddies--Mini experience without parent
Preschool Prep Program for those not 3 by September 1st
3 Year Old Preschool
Inclusion with ECSE if 3 by September 1st
School Readiness Scholarships Available
Backpacks / Totes available for all children to check out
1st Full School Experiences without parent
Screening Referrals
ECSE Referrals
Parent Aware Scholarships become available
Referral back to Preschool Screening if not yet completed

4 Years Old→ Get Ready for Kindergarten
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Help Me Grow
Offer Parent Resources
Open Play
Parent / Child Events (Continue Family Nights and add Storyteller, Math Night, Science Night etc.)
Parent / Child Classes
Toy Lending Library
Referral for Screening
Daycare Express
More Class Options
Storytime @ Library
Start to give Help Me Grow Referrals
Book Buddies--Mini experience without parent

Inclusion with ECSE
School Readiness Scholarships Available
Backpacks / Totes available for all children to check out
Screening Referrals
ECSE Referrals
Parent Aware Scholarships Available
Referral back to Preschool Screening if not yet completed
Full Day Preschool Options
Inclusion for all ECSE students
Reading Corps
Preschool to Kindergarten Transition
Introduce Kindergarten School Routines
Exploring Kindergarten Class
Community Field Trips
Vertical Teaming Begins with Kindergarten

5 Years Old → Kindergarten or Transition to Kindergarten

Kindergarten Info Night
Wee Camp
Beginndergarten

Who is in our Network?

- Title I
- Rainbow Discovery Center
- Interagency Early Intervention Council (IEIC)
- Friends of the Library
- Belle Plaine Chamber
- County Programs
 - Follow Along Program
 - Public Health
 - CAP Agency
- * Parent Teacher Organization
- * Memories & Milestones Daycare
- * Scott County Daycare Association
- * Southern Valley Alliance for Battered Women
- * Belle Plaine Festivals / Events
- * Belle Plaine Lions