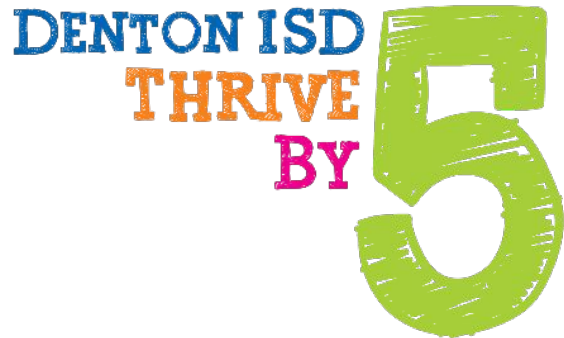


Early Childhood Education



Denton ISD
May 2021



Program Information

Mission:

Our mission is to serve, nurture and grow our community's youngest learners and their families.

Vision:

In partnership with families, our focus will be to develop the physical, cognitive, social/emotional, language/communication, and academic skills of each child so that they reach their fullest potential.

Values:

Serve

- We will build trust and relationships with our children, families and community.
- We will provide comprehensive services and resources for families and children, ages birth through age 5.
- We will offer quality family engagement opportunities.

Nurture

- We will build connections and foster positive relationships.
- We will empower children with life skills.
- We will foster a sense of purpose and accomplishment.

Grow

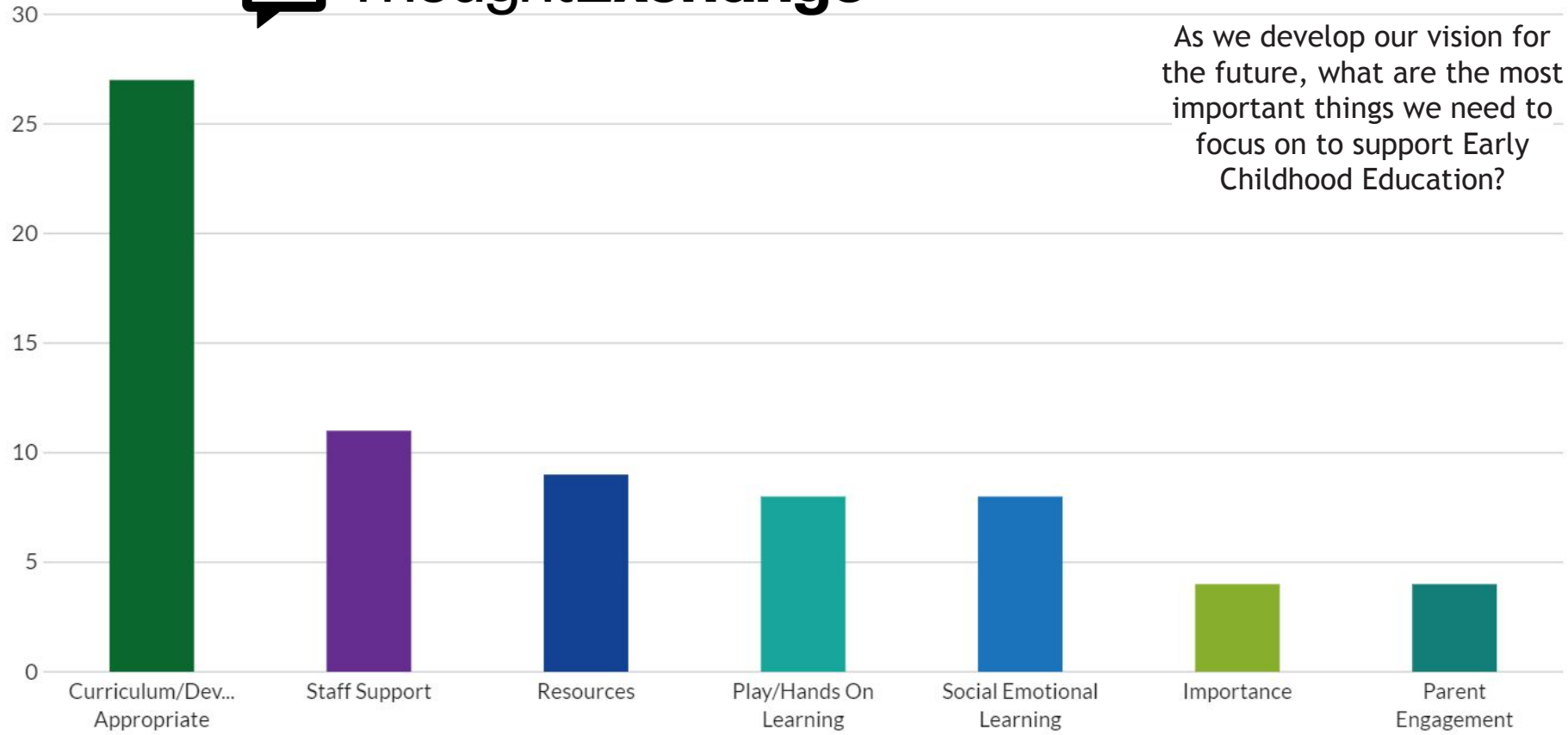
- We will implement developmentally appropriate practices to promote learning in a safe, supportive environment.
- We will provide high quality individualized instruction.
- We will foster a love of learning through purposeful play.



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ThoughtExchange Themes

As we develop our vision for the future, what are the most important things we need to focus on to support Early Childhood Education?







THOUGHTS


Key Thoughts



ECE should be highlighted more within the district. This is important because studies show that the first four years are the most important years of a child's life. What we do is vital.

4.4  (21 )
Ranked #1 of 72

How to prevent less teacher burnout Early Childhood Educators are now being teachers and parents all day long. More support needs to be given to our teachers.

4.4  (21 )
Ranked #2 of 72

In order to support Early Childhood Education, we should focus on our students. We should provide them appropriate curriculum, hands-on learning, and emotional/social support.

4.4  (20 )
Ranked #3 of 72



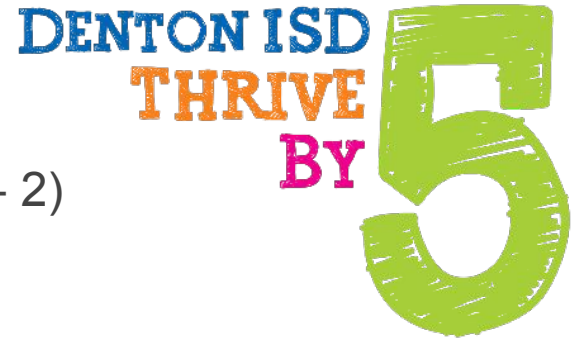
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Top Rated

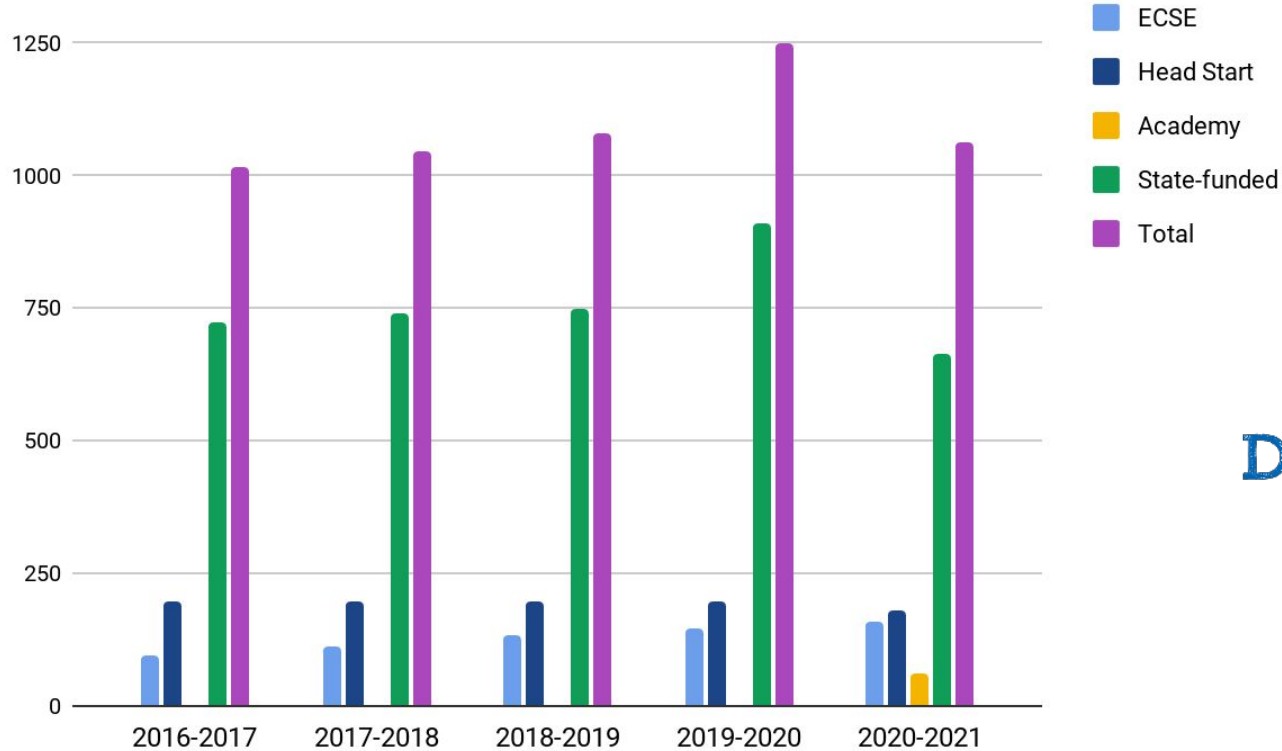


Programs Offered by Denton ISD

- State-funded Prekindergarten
- PreK Academy
- Early Childhood Special Education (ECSE)
- Head Start
- Child Development Programs:
 - Gallian Center (Birth - 4)
 - Fred Moore Day Nursery School (Birth - 2)

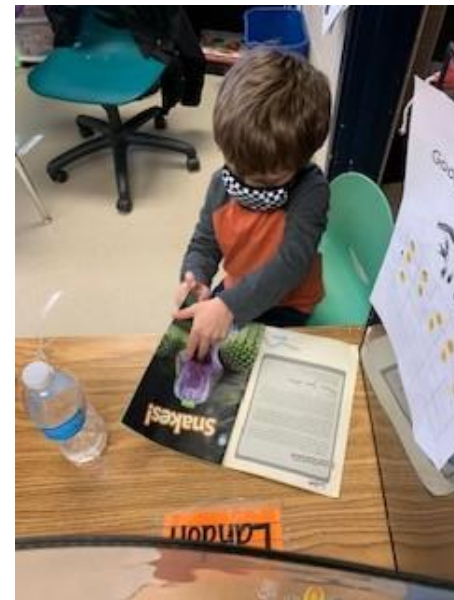


Enrollment Trends



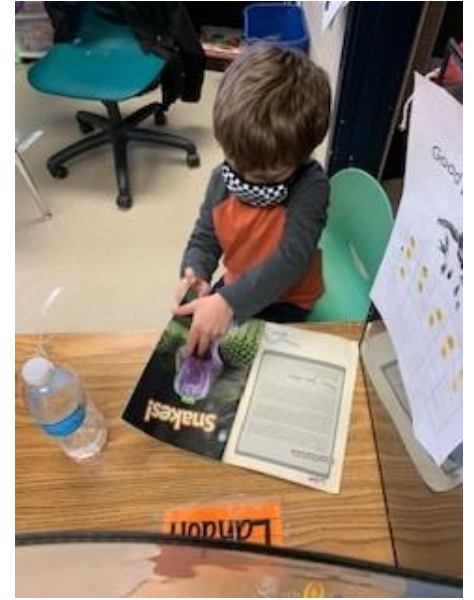
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PreK Highlights



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PreK Interest Form 2021-2022

- Rationale for change from Pre-Registration to Interest Form
- Number of students pre-registered:
 - 2019-2020: 350
 - 2020-2021: 550
- Students will be assigned to a campus and then attend registration at that campus during the normal registration period in July



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**FORMA
DE INTERÉS EN
PREKÍNDER**

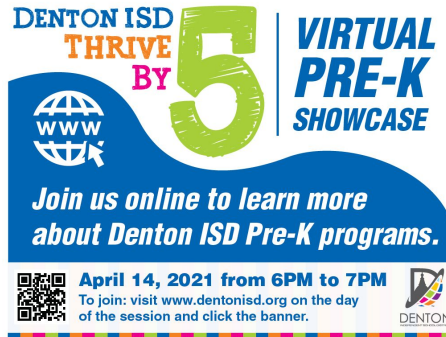
9 de abril

¡Su hijo puede prepararse para los 5 años en el programa de Prekínder de DISD!

Complete esta forma:
<https://www.dentonisd.org/prekregistration>

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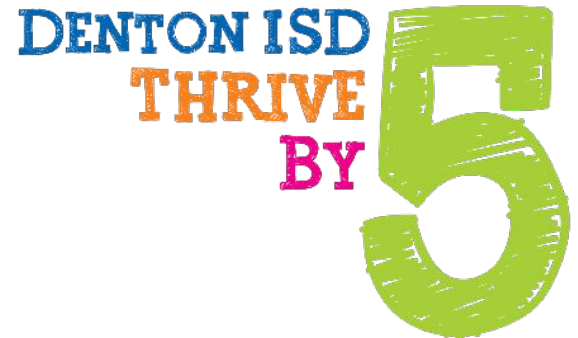
**VIRTUAL
PRE-K
SHOWCASE**

Join us online to learn more
about Denton ISD Pre-K programs.

April 14, 2021 from 6PM to 7PM
To join: visit www.dentonisd.org on the day
of the session and click the banner.

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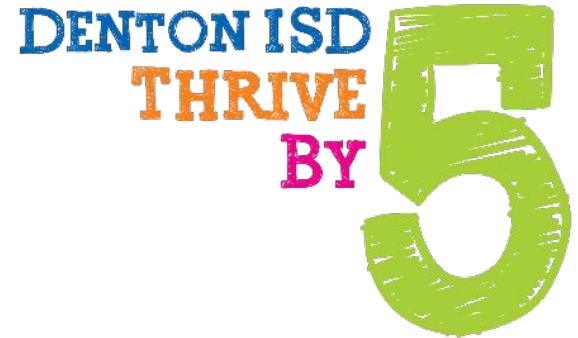
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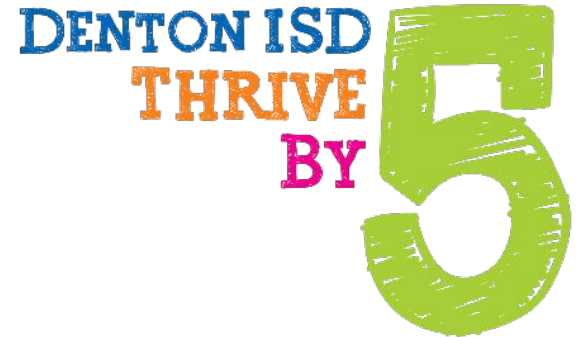
Curriculum Updates

- New adoption for Pre-K: Three Cheers
 - Rewriting curriculum, assessment and report cards
 - Training for teachers will be August 4th
- Combining curriculum for Fred Moore and Virginia Gallian
 - Training for teachers on July 26 & 28th



2021-2022 Programming

- We will offer 80 prekindergarten classrooms spread across the district.
- Additional Sites and Programs
 - We are adding one state-funded, bilingual program at Cross Oaks Elementary.
 - We are adding one state-funded/Academy hybrid at Hawk Elementary.
 - The monolingual section at Hodge Elementary is moving to Wilson Elementary to make room for growth at Hodge.



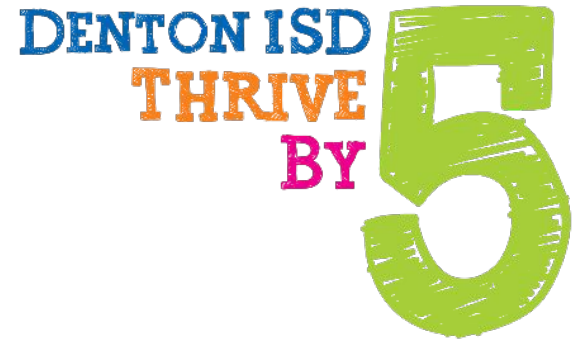
[Click Here to Find Your Elementary Home Campus](#)

ECE Programs Offered 2021-2022

Campus Name (click to access campus website)	PreK	Bilingual PreK	Head start	Bilingual Head start	Half-Day PreK (3-yr-olds)	Early Childhood Special Education (ECSE)	Blended (PreK & ECSE)	Deaf Ed	Comm	Extended School Day (ESD) Offered	Academy (tuition is \$600 per month)	Wrap-around Care Offered
Ann Winkle SYC	3	1	6	5		1	1	1		No		Yes - Denton City County Day School
Gonzalez SYC	5	3			6	4	2		1	No	With Permission	
Adkins Elementary	1					1				Yes	2	
Alexander Elementary	1	1								Yes		
Bell Elementary	1					1	1			Yes		
Blanton Elementary										Yes	1	
Borman Elementary	1	1								CIS		
Cross Oaks Elementary	1	1				1	1			Yes		
Hawk Elementary										Yes	2	
Hodge Elementary	1	1								Yes		
Houston Elementary	1					1				Yes		
Nelson Elementary	2					1				Yes		
Newton Rayzor Elementary	1	1								Yes		
Paloma Creek Elementary	2								1	Yes		
Providence Elementary	3									Yes	1	
Rivers Elementary	1	1								No		
Stephens Elementary	2					1			1	Yes		
Shultz (Wilson) Elementary	1									Yes		
Union Park	1					1				Yes		
WS Ryan Elementary		1								Yes		
Virginia Gallian CDC	3											
Fred Moore Day Nursery School	Birth- 2 Yrs.											
District Totals	31	11	6	5	6	12	5	1	3		6	

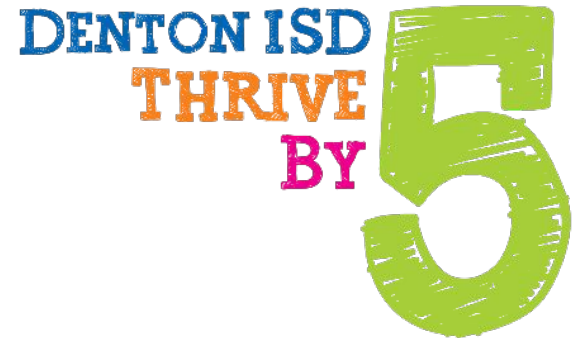
3 Year Old Programming

- Per law, we will enroll all 4 year old students first.
- 3 year old students are encouraged to register at Gonzalez and Windle; we will have multiple 3 year old classes at both sites.



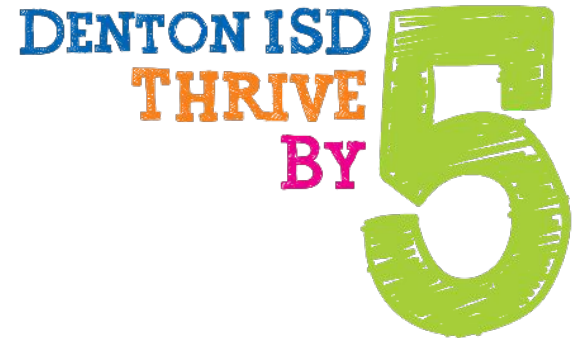
2021-2022 Pre-K Advisory Committee

- All members of Fred Moore DNS Board of Directors were invited to join
- Members consist of teachers, administrators, guardians, and community members
- Meetings will be held each 9 weeks to review Pre-K enrollments, curriculum, & other topics added to the agenda



Next Steps:

- Start planning for 2022-2023 with all programs in the district:
 - Early Childhood
 - Dual Language
 - Special Education
- Expansion of Programs
 - Community Partnerships
 - Feedback from Parents (Needs Survey)



Questions?

