

Springfield Local Schools Preschool

Monthly Tuition and Annual Class Fee

2025 - 2026 School Year

Preschool Tuition Information

Tuition is waived for students receiving special education services.

** Preschool tuition in Springfield Local Schools is currently \$3000 per year. **

This cost is divided into 10 monthly payments, due August through May of each year.

Families can apply for reduced tuition by completing the [Early Childhood Eligibility Screening Tool](#) and turning it in at the school district administration building. This form will then be submitted to Lucas County Job and Family Services (JFS).

Tuition assistance can also be requested directly through JFS using this link: [Ohio Benefits](#)

Lucas County Job and Family Services will then approve or deny the application. Only families who are approved for the Early Childhood Education Grant or Publicly Funded Child Care by JFS are eligible for reduced tuition at Springfield preschool.

In order to qualify for one of these preschool tuition assistance programs families must meet the federal poverty guidelines, which are released by the US Department of Health and Human Services, and are listed below.

Publicly Funded Child Care (PFCC) tuition rates will be determined by Lucas County Job and Family Services. Early Childhood Education Grant (ECE) tuition rates will be determined with Springfield's sliding preschool tuition scale. Tuition rates can vary between \$0 and \$300 per month with both of these programs.

If you have questions about Job and Family Services' application process, please contact the Family and Customer Support Center at 1-877-302-2347, option 4, or childcarepolicy@childrenandyouth.ohio.gov.

If you have questions about Springfield Preschool or tuition, please contact the preschool director at 419-867-5796.

	Monthly Maximum 2025 Income Levels to Receive Preschool Tuition Assistance		
Family Size	PFCC Initial Intake (Income must be 145% or below the federal poverty level)	PFCC Ongoing Eligibility (Income must be 300% of the federal poverty level)	ECE Grant (Income must be below 200% of the federal poverty level)
2	\$2,556	\$5,288	\$3,525
3	\$3,221	\$6,663	\$4,442
4	\$3,885	\$8,038	\$5,359
5	\$4,550	\$9,413	\$6,275
6	\$5,214	\$10,788	\$7,192
7	\$5,879	\$12,163	\$8,109
8	\$6,544	\$13,538	\$9,025

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There is a one time \$30 class fee for students, except for those who qualify for PFCC, above 125% of the poverty level.