

August 2025

Dear Parents and Preschoolers,

We hope you are having a fabulous summer! It is hard to believe it is coming to a close soon, and the first day of school will be here before we know it. We are very excited to meet you and look forward to a great year. This year, we welcome Ms. Abby Syverson to the preschool teaching team! Ms. Syverson will be the second teacher at the center and will take the place of Mrs. Cable. Ms. Syverson and I, along with Ms. Angie and Ms. Karla, are all back for another amazing year to teach, encourage, inspire, and make this the best first school experience for you all!

We will continue this year with our all-day preschool schedule for the 4 and 5-year-old classes. The preschool day will run from 8:00 AM-2:45 PM, Monday & Wednesday session (blue) or Tuesday & Thursday session (yellow). There is a hot lunch/snack/milk that will be provided by the school district for the 4-5-year-old in all-day sessions. The three-year-old introductory preschool day will be Fridays (red group) from 8-11 AM with a snack and milk provided. Preschool will follow the school calendar. (attached)

To help the preschoolers become familiar with the Preschool Center and their classroom, there will be ***PreSchool Back to School Parent/Child Meet & Greet*** times on **Wed. Aug. 27th and Tues. September 2nd!** This is replacing the large back-to-school night gathering that most of us are familiar with from the past! Attached is the Google Form to sign up for a time that works for your family. This is for parents and registered preschoolers only, to avoid too many people in the center. This is a great opportunity to meet the teachers and become familiar with the Preschool Center and the ins and outs of the Hawley Preschool Program. We will have the preschool handbook, class lists, calendars, reduced tuition applications (must be approved to qualify), and other information for you then. If you are unable to attend, we will send home paperwork, etc., on the first day of school.

 Back to School Sign Up- All 2025-26 Preschool Classes

Please make sure all **immunizations are up-to-date and a completed copy is faxed to (218) 483-3510, emailed to me, or turned in to the Elementary Office.** If not turned in before, PLEASE bring your immunization copies with you to the back-to-school night; your child will **not** be able to start preschool until this is done.

Attached is the link to pay preschool tuition online. The school board has voted to increase monthly tuition to \$240/month and \$120/month for the 2025-26 school year. We understand this price increase may be an adjustment for families. Due to rising

costs in materials, operations, and overall cost of living, an increase was necessary to continue providing a high-quality preschool experience. We appreciate your understanding, and if you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact the district office.

[Pre-School Fees - Class Registration v3.0 - Hawley Public Schools](#)

The first day of school for the [Monday/Wednesday](#) preschool classes will be on [Wednesday, September 3, 2025](#), and the [Tuesday/Thursday](#) classes will be on [Thursday, September 4, 2025](#). The [three-year-old class](#) will begin on [Friday, September 5, 2025](#). For some reason, if your child will not be attending the preschool program this fall, please contact me right away at my email [tmatson@hawley.k12.mn.us](mailto:tmatson@hawley.k12.mn.us). Each day please ensure your child has a labeled water bottle brought to school.

**BASE:** Before/After School Enrichment Program

Any 4-5-year-old children attending the All Day Preschool days are now able to attend the BASE program at the Elementary School Before and/or After Preschool. A bus will transport those children enrolled in the BASE program to/from the Elementary School and Preschool Center. Please go to [www.hawley.k12.mn.us](http://www.hawley.k12.mn.us) and click on the BASE/FITS link to register and for more information.

Please contact me if you have any questions. We are all in this together! We look forward to another fantastic year with our most charismatic, literal, amazing students in the district!

Sincerely,

*Tonya Matson*

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Enclosures:

Supply list

BASE Info - <https://sites.google.com/view/hawleybasefits/home?authuser=0>

School District Calendar -

<https://resources.finalsite.net/images/v1738782808/hawleyk12mnus/zuzuyin687syh6mgtpfz/MasterCalendar25-26-2025-2026.pdf>

# **PRESCHOOL SCHOOL SUPPLY LIST**

## **2025-2026**



Crayola Washable Markers

- 1 Box-Classic Colors

- 1 Box-Bright Colors

- 1 Box-FINE Line (Skinny) Any color

1-pkg SMALL Elmer's Glue Sticks

2-Clorox Wipes

2-Boxes 5 oz. Paper Cups

Folder

Backpack

Water Bottle (labeled)