



# PEABODY INTEGRATED PRESCHOOL

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## Pre-K Application School Year 2026-2027

### **Family Information** (Please Print)

Parent/Guardian Name \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Child Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Email \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone # \_\_\_\_\_

### Child Information:

First: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle: \_\_\_\_\_ Last: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Male • Female • Non-Binary • Birthplace: City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Country: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Entry in USA: \_\_\_\_\_

Last School Attended/City/State/Country: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Is this student currently receiving Special Education Services (including Speech, OT or PT) • Yes • No  
1.a If yes, where are these services being delivered? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Are you seeking an evaluation for special education services? Yes / No  
2.a If yes, what are your concerns? \_\_\_\_\_
3. Has this student ever attended the Peabody Public Schools (including Center Preschool, Passos or Little Tanners)?  
Yes • No If yes, please indicate which school and year(s):  
\_\_\_\_\_
4. Has this student ever been asked to unenroll from school? • Yes • No If yes, state the reason:  
\_\_\_\_\_
5. Is your child receiving ML services? • Yes • No If yes, # of years in ML program \_\_\_\_\_
6. Is your child on a 504 plan? • Yes • No If yes, please provide a current plan.
7. Pre-school applicants must be 3 years of age on or before Sept 1, 2026 for consideration to the integrated preschool program.
8. **Please include a non-refundable application fee of \$50 with this application.** Please make **checks payable** to the **Peabody Public Schools**.

**SIBLINGS – PLEASE LIST ALL SCHOOL AGE SIBLINGS (18 YEARS AND YOUNGER)**

Name	Age	Relationship	Grade	School

**The following Integrated Programs will be offered:**

Half Day PreK - AM (8:20 - 10:50) - Center School

Half Day PreK - PM (12:00 - 2:30) - Center School

**\*\*Full Day PreK (8:20 - 2:30) - Center School (4-year-olds only)**

\*\*Please note there will be limited space available for Full Day placement. Priority will be given to students entering Kindergarten in 2027-2028 (students must be age 4 on or before Sept 1, 2026). Spaces are limited and are dependent on space availability.

**Program Preference**

Please indicate your preferences in order of priority (1, 2, and 3).

\_\_\_\_\_ Half Day - AM      \_\_\_\_\_ Half Day - PM      \_\_\_\_\_ Full Day (Must be 4 on or before 9/1/26)

**Early Childhood Program Survey:**

Please answer the questions below. A formal early childhood program is participation in a public school preschool, licensed community-based preschool/child care, Head Start program, and/or licensed family child care provider for one month or more.

Name of child: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Has your child participated in at least one formal early childhood program (i.e., providers/programs) since September 2025 (please circle one)?      YES      NO

Stop here if your child did not attend an early childhood program this year (2025-2026).

2. What early childhood program(s) has your child attended since September 2025?

3. How many days and hours did your child attend an early childhood program? (September 2025 through August 2026)

4. If your family is currently experiencing financial hardship requiring tuition assistance, please contact Nancy Charest at [charestn@peabody.k12.ma.us](mailto:charestn@peabody.k12.ma.us)

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**Parent/Guardian Signature and Date**

## **Application Deadline and Selection Process:**

For priority consideration, applications must be received by **March 27, 2026**. Program assignments (AM/PM/and Full Day) will be made by April 3, 2026. If there are more applicants than seats available, a lottery will be held on April 7, 2026. Letters to parents with assignments will be sent the following week.

The district will offer a limited number of **half-day scholarships** based upon income eligibility (verified documentation of TANF, SNAP, MassHealth), to the first 30 applicants who provide verification of eligibility. Parents need to reapply each year.

A limited number of full-day placements for 4-year-old peer models will be available by space available.

### **Program Schedules**

AM Session operates from 8:20-10:50.

PM Session operates from 12:00-2:30.

Full Day Session operates from 8:20-2:30.

Students must be picked up by a parent or documented designee at the identified pick-up time. Chronic late pick-ups may result in a loss of placement.

### **Preschool Screening**

Preschool screening will be offered during the last week of school in June. An online sign up with dates and times will be available after the last day of school is determined.

### **Preschool Tuition**

Annual Tuition \$3,000 - Subject to School Committee Approval - 5 half days.

Annual Tuition \$7,000 - Subject to School Committee Approval - 5 full days.