

## Pre-Kindergarten 2026-2027 Interest Form

### Fabius-Pompey Central School District

Fabius-Pompey Elementary School is now accepting interest forms for families looking to enroll their child in Pre-Kindergarten for the 2026-2027 school year.

#### Important Details:

Deadline: Please submit completed interest forms by **March 25, 2026**.

Transportation: Transportation is provided for students once they are 4 years old.

PreK Peek: Families interested in learning more about our Pre-K program are encouraged to attend our Pre-K Peek event on March 23rd at 6:30 pm hosted by our current Pre-K teachers.

Interest Form Submission: Fabius-Pompey Elementary Main Office, 7800 Main Street, Fabius, NY 13063 or email completed forms to [soneil@fabiuspompey.org](mailto:soneil@fabiuspompey.org).

To be eligible, your child must:

- Reside in the Fabius-Pompey district
- Turn 4 years old by December 1, 2026

Our Process: This interest form is the first step in our Pre-Kindergarten application process. After March 25, 2026, families will receive a second communication with official registration information. If the number of applicants exceeds available slots, a lottery will be used, and remaining students will be placed on the waitlist. Please note this process differs from K-12 registration.

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy): \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Is your child a twin or multiple? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

If yes, please indicate the name of same-age siblings: \_\_\_\_\_

Does your child currently have an IEP? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

If yes, please indicate services your child receives: \_\_\_\_\_ OT \_\_\_\_\_ PT \_\_\_\_\_ Speech \_\_\_\_\_ Counseling

Other (please specify): \_\_\_\_\_

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

Relationship to Student: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

*If you have any questions regarding this application please contact us.*

**Fabius-Pompey Elementary - 315-683-5857**

Office Use Only:

Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_

Considering Fabius-Pompey PreK ?

Families and prospective students are invited to join us for our

# PreK Peek!

Come explore our PreK program, meet our teachers, and get a glimpse into a day in the classroom. This is a great opportunity to ask questions, see our learning spaces, and learn how we support our youngest learners!

March 23, 2026 from 6:30-7:30pm  
at Fabius-Pompey Elementary

If you are unable to attend and would like to learn more about our program, please contact Sasha Rasmussen, Principal, to make a connection! 315-683-5857

We look forward to meeting you!





# Fabius-Pompey Elementary

# PreK

## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS:



### **Who is eligible for PreK at Fabius-Pompey Elementary?**

Children who turn four years old on or before December 1, 2026 are eligible to enroll in our full-day Pre-Kindergarten program. The school day runs from 8:05 – 2:15pm.



### **Who teaches the PreK program?**

Our program is taught by certified teachers, ensuring high-quality early learning experiences for all students.



### **Can my child ride the bus to and from school?**

Yes, students can ride the bus once they have turned four years old. Families will need to arrange alternative transportation until their child reaches the required age if they have a fall birthday.



### **What is the focus of the PreK curriculum?**

Our program prepares students for Kindergarten by focusing on:

- Early literacy and math skills through engaging centers and hands-on activities
- Social-emotional development to help children build friendships and independence
- Play-based learning to encourage creativity and exploration
- Special area classes including art, music, library, and physical education





## **Daily Schedule & Classroom Experience**

What does a typical day in Pre-K look like?

A typical day includes:

- Morning meeting and structured play
- Literacy and math center activities
- Snack and recess
- Special area classes (art, music, library, PE)
- Lunch in a smaller setting with additional staff supervision to assist with opening milk and other items
- Rest time (30 minutes)
- Choice centers / indoor recess
- Social-emotional learning
- Closing circle and dismissal

## **Will my child have time to rest during the day?**

Yes, students have a 30-minute rest time each day to help them recharge. Students are asked to bring in a blanket to use with a school provided cot that raises students off the floor. If your child no longer naps, students are provided with books to look at as a quiet alternate independent activity

## **How do meal times work?**

Students are provided with breakfast and lunch at no cost. PreK students are closely monitored and have additional staff supervision to assist with opening containers, etc. PreK students eat lunch in a smaller setting with only their peers.

## **Will my child have additional support for fine and gross motor skills?**

Yes, our PreK program provides opportunities for students to develop fine and gross motor skills with the support of an occupational therapist (OT) and physical therapist (PT) two times a week.





### **Does my child need to be potty-trained to attend PreK?**

We encourage students to be toilet-trained, but we understand that accidents happen. Teachers and staff will provide support as needed.



### **What if my child has special needs?**

If your child has an Individualized Education Program (IEP), we work closely with families to provide access to appropriate support services. Contact the Committee on Preschool Special Education (CPSE) for more information at 315-683-5465.



### **What if my child has difficulty adjusting to PreK?**

Starting school is a big transition! Teachers provide gentle guidance and reassurance, and families can help by establishing routines at home and practicing separation before the first day.



### **Will my child be able to see the classroom and meet the teacher before school starts?**

Yes! We are have a Meet & Greet event at the end of August for students and families to come into school, see the classroom, meet their teacher, and bring in any supplies before school begins.



### **How will I know what my child is learning?**

Teachers provide regular updates through classroom newsletters, parent square, or folders sent home with student work. Families will also receive progress reports and report cards with opportunities to conference with teachers throughout the school year.

**We would love to hear from you! If you have any additional questions or would like more information to decide if our program is right for your child, please don't hesitate to reach out to us. We're here to support you and your child on this exciting PreK journey!**

**Sasha Rasmussen, Principal, 315-683-5857**  
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