



2026-2027 NC Pre-K Child Application Form *updated 01/2026*

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Date application was received _____

Application complete:

- ☐ NC Pre-K child application
- ☐ Proof of age
- ☐ Proof of Residency
- ☐ Income verification
- ☐ Immunization records
- ☐ Kindergarten Health Assessment
- ☐ Developmental Screening
- ☐ IFSP or IEP if applicable

Name:

Placed:

Childs Information

Child's name: _____

Child's gender: ☐ Male ☐ Female

Child's date of birth: __ / __ / ____ Document **to verify age must be submitted.**

Child's Race/Ethnicity (*Check at least one, and all that apply*)

Hispanic ☐ Yes ☐ No

☐ White / European American ☐ Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander

☐ Native American Indian or Alaska Native ☐ Black or African American ☐ Asian

Is Child a U.S. Citizen: ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Confirmed by Parent/Guardian

Is Child a NC Resident: ☐ Yes ☐ No

County of Residence: _____ If **not Orange, provide justification on an attachment.**

With whom does the child reside: ☐ Both parents ☐ Mother only ☐ Father only ☐ Married Partners ☐ Both Parent and Stepparent ☐ Legal Custodian

☐ Legal Guardian ☐ Other, Specify: _____

If child lives with a non-relative who has legal custody or guardianship, are documents on file?

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A

Total Family size: _____

_____ Total number of adults living in the child's home

_____ Total number of adults contributing to the child's household income

_____ Total number of minor children living in the child's home

Categorically Eligible

Is this child/family experiencing any of the following:	<input type="checkbox"/> Homelessness <input type="checkbox"/> In Foster Care <input type="checkbox"/> Receiving Refugee Services
Receiving Public Assistance: Documentation of start/end date of Assistance must be submitted in place of income documents.	<input type="checkbox"/> WIC <input type="checkbox"/> Public Housing <input type="checkbox"/> TANF/Work First <input type="checkbox"/> Medicaid <input type="checkbox"/> SSI <input type="checkbox"/> Food and Nutrition Services (Food Stamps) <input type="checkbox"/> SNAP

Are there additional risk factors which apply to this child? ***Check yes or no for each factor.***

Limited English Proficiency (LEP): <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Chronic Health Condition: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, explain:	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>
Developmental/Educational Need: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, explain:	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>

Childs Information

Child's previous enrollment in Childcare:

- ☐ Child has never been served in any preschool or childcare setting.
- ☐ Child is currently unserved.
- ☐ Child is in unregulated childcare.
- ☐ Child is not receiving subsidy but in a regulated childcare/preschool program.
- ☐ Child is receiving subsidy and is in regulated childcare or preschool program

Was the child previously served in the same childcare as a three-year old?

- ☐ Yes ☐ No

Does the child have an active IEP? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, date of IEP __/__/__

Type of identified disabilities for this child (check all that apply):

- | | |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Autistic | <input type="checkbox"/> Orthopedically impaired |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Deaf-blind | <input type="checkbox"/> Speech/language impaired |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Behaviorally/emotionally disabled | <input type="checkbox"/> Visual impaired. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Educable mentally disabled | <input type="checkbox"/> Trainable mentally retarded |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hearing impaired | <input type="checkbox"/> Traumatic brain injured |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Specific learning disabled | <input type="checkbox"/> Preschool development delayed. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Multi-handicapped | <input type="checkbox"/> Other health impaired |
| <input type="checkbox"/> N/A | |

Has the child been referred for services? ☐ Yes ☐ No

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Please list all names, dates of birth, and relationship to Pre-K child of all individuals living in the household below. (Parents, stepparents, partners, guardians, custodians, siblings, step brothers or sisters, non-relatives)

Other members within household		
Name	Date of Birth	Relationship to Pre-K Child

Parent/Guardian 1 Contact Information:

Name: _____ Street: _____ City: _____ State: <u>NC</u> Zip: _____ Email: _____ Cell Phone: _____ Relationship to Child: _____
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Parent/Guardian 2 Contact Information:

Name: _____ Street: _____ City: _____ State: <u>NC</u> Zip: _____ Email: _____ Cell Phone: _____ Relationship to Child: _____
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Is at least one parent or legal guardian of this child an active-duty member of the military, or was a parent or legal guardian of this child seriously injured or killed while on active duty? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Parent/Guardian 1 Information *Income eligibility must have supporting documentation.*

Employed? ☐ Yes ☐ No
Seeking Employment? ☐ Yes ☐ No
In post-secondary education? ☐ Yes ☐ No
In high school or in a GED program? ☐ Yes ☐ No
In job training? ☐ Yes ☐ No
Other Employment? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, explain: _____

Parent/Guardian 1 Income

Current Wages BEFORE Taxes: \$ _____ ☐ Yearly ☐ Monthly ☐ Bi-Monthly
☐ Weekly ☐ Daily ☐ No earned income

Child Support: \$ _____ ☐ Yearly ☐ Monthly ☐ Bi-Monthly ☐ Weekly ☐ Daily
☐ Not Selected

Unemployment: \$ _____ ☐ Yearly ☐ Monthly ☐ Bi-Monthly ☐ Weekly ☐ Daily
☐ Not Selected

SSI/TANF/Work First: \$ _____ ☐ Yearly ☐ Monthly ☐ Bi-Monthly ☐ Weekly ☐ Daily
☐ Not Selected

Parent/Guardian 2 Information

Employed? ☐ Yes ☐ No
Seeking Employment? ☐ Yes ☐ No
In post-secondary education? ☐ Yes ☐ No
In high school or in a GED program? ☐ Yes ☐ No
In job training? ☐ Yes ☐ No
Other Employment? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, explain: _____

Parent/Guardian 2 Income

Current Wages BEFORE Taxes: \$ _____ ☐ Yearly ☐ Monthly ☐ Bi-Monthly
☐ Weekly ☐ Daily ☐ No Earned Income

Child Support: \$ _____ ☐ Yearly ☐ Monthly ☐ Bi-Monthly ☐ Weekly ☐ Daily
☐ Not Selected

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☐ Not Selected

SSI/TANF/Work First: \$ _____ ☐ Yearly ☐ Monthly ☐ Bi-Monthly ☐ Weekly
☐ Daily ☐ Not Selected

Any additional sources of income contributing to the household must be declared.

Total Household income: \$ _____

☐ By checking this box, and including my cell number, zip code, and child(ren)'s birthdate, I acknowledge that I will be enrolled in a texting service to receive text messages about resources and events for families with children 0-8 years old from Bright by Text. I also understand that I can unsubscribe from these messages at any time. <https://brightbytext.org/Privacy-Policy>

Certification of Applicant/Authorized Representative

I certify that the information I have provided is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge. By my signature, and submission of requested documentation, I grant the Orange County Partnership for Young Children the permission to enter the information into the NC Pre-K State Kids Data System as application for eligibility into the NC Pre-K program.

X

Parent/Guardian Signature Required

Date

X

Witness Signature Required

Date

Witness Signature Required