



ALABAMA DEPARTMENT OF
**Early Childhood
Education**

FIRST CLASS PRE-K

Alabama's Voluntary Pre-K Program

PRE-REGISTRATION

Alabama's nationally recognized First Class Pre-K is preparing for another exciting school year!

- Accepting online pre-registration applications for 2021-2022 school year (for assistance with accessing online application contact local school/program)
- Enrollment open to all children four years of age on or before 9/1/21 who are residents of the state of Alabama (children who are eligible for kindergarten are ineligible)
- Enrollees must provide a copy of the child's birth certificate (may be uploaded into the online pre-registration site or submitted directly to the local school/program)
- Enrollees must provide proof of residence – Muscle Shoals electric bill in the name of the custodial parent/guardian and another bill at the same address that comes on a monthly basis
(may be uploaded into the online pre-registration site or submitted directly to the local school/program)
- Muscle Shoals Residents Only
- No Registration Fee for this program (Weekly Tuition Cost)
- Upon enrollment, child's immunization record must be provided
- No child will be denied participation on basis of income, sex, race, color, national origin, or disability

PRE-REGISTRATION DATES

January 15-March 5

FORMS

Go online to <https://alprek.asapconnected.com>
Complete the Pre-Registration form and submit birth certificate and proof of residence

MORE INFORMATION

Visit www.children.alabama.gov and see Pre-Registration info under First Class Pre-K

Acceptance to the Program

Acceptance is strictly through a random drawing to be held on 3/9/21 at 8:30 a.m. at the Muscle Shoals Board of Education. Parent/guardian does not have to be present at drawing. Notices will be emailed beginning April 16. Due to Covid restrictions random draw will be held via zoom and not in person.

*An opinion of the Attorney General states in effect that under the common law one's age is computed by including the day of birth so that a given age is attained the day before the birthday anniversary. ~ Ala. Code §16-28-4(1975) Interpretation based on Report of Attorney General of Alabama October-December 1963, Volume 113, page 20.