



ELEMENTARY SCHOOL-BASED PRESCHOOL ENROLLMENT GUIDE

FOR THE 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR

GET STARTED

- 1 Open your web browser and go to **www.dbqschools.org/preschool**. You'll also find participation requirements, how to enroll and register, and more!
- 2 Click the **ENROLL NOW!** link to open the Infinite Campus Online Enrollment Application Kiosk.
- 3 Select whether you are starting a new application or returning to finish an existing application. Click the **Next** button.

QUICK and CONVENIENT

You can enroll your student(s) any time, day or night, from any computer with an internet connection.

Infinite Campus is the Dubuque Community School District's official student information system and is designed to give families online access to complete enrollment, registration and annual verification.

BEGIN ONLINE ENROLLMENT APPLICATION

- 4 Enter the **first name, last name, date of birth** and **email address** for the legal parent/guardian completing the enrollment application, then answer **whether your student attended a Dubuque Community School before**.

When all information is entered, check the box next to I'm not a robot and, if applicable, complete the CAPTCHA test to verify you're not a robot.

Click the **Begin Application** button.

- ⑤ You will receive a confirmation number. Please write this number down in case you become disconnected. Click the **Confirm** button.

Your confirmation number is 37572. Please write this down to assure re-entry into the application system in case your system becomes disconnected.

Confirm

- ⑥ You will be prompted to review an authentication agreement. Type your first and last name in the box provided. Click the **Submit** button.

Welcome Parent Name! Please type in your first and last name in the box below.

By typing your name into the box below you attest that you are the person authenticated into this application or an authorized user of this account, and the data you are entering/verifying is accurate and true to the best of your knowledge.

Submit

- ⑦ Review the information about the application and gather the required documents. Click the **Begin** button.

You are now ready to begin a new online enrollment application or return to an existing application!

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING CAREFULLY BEFORE STARTING.

ABOUT THE APPLICATION:

- > The enrollment application must be completed by a legal parent/guardian of the student(s).
- > The application is divided into sections, each with a series of pleats designed to walk you step by step through the process.
- > Once you begin an application, you may save the application at any time and return to continue the application at a later time by clicking on the Save/Continue button.
- > **You must complete the entire enrollment application and submit the required documents (see below for details) in order for the application to be considered complete.**
- > Be sure to click the "Submit" button at the end of the process to submit your enrollment application.
- > A confirmation email will be sent to the email address, if provided, for the legal parent/guardian that completed and submitted the enrollment application.

REQUIRED DOCUMENTS:

The following documents are required for enrollment in the FREE four-year-old voluntary preschool program:

Proof of Residence (see list of accepted documents below)

- > must be current and include a date
- > must include the name and address that matches the name and address of the parent or legal guardian of the student(s) being enrolled

If you are a HOMEOWNER, please provide ONE of the following:

- > mortgage statement from last or current month
- > utility bill from last or current month
- > most recent tax receipt
- > if recently closed on home, settlement statement from the closing OR warranty deed

If you are a RENTER, please provide ONE of the following:

- > current rental or lease agreement
- > utility bill from last or current month

If you are a CO-RESIDENT, please provide BOTH of the following:

- > bank statement OR pay stub from last or current month
- > completed and NOTARIZED verification of residency for the family with whom you are residing with

If none of the above describe your current situation, please contact the district enrollment office at enrollment@dbqschools.org or 563/552-3058.

Proof of Age (birth certificate preferred; passport or signed immunization records acceptable if needed)

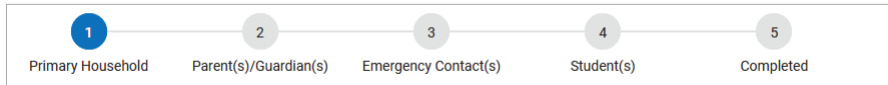
Ways to submit the required documents:

- > Upload the document during the online enrollment application process
- > Drop off a printed copy to the district enrollment office at 2300 Chaney Road

Enrollment applications will not be considered complete until both of these documents have been submitted.

Begin

The enrollment application is divided into sections, each containing a series of pleats designed to walk you step by step through the process.



- » **Once you begin an application**, you may save the application at any time and return to continue the application at a later time by clicking on the Save/Continue button.
- » **To advance through the sections**, you must complete every pleat in each section and click on the Save/Continue button to move to the next step.

PRIMARY HOUSEHOLD

8 The primary household is the household where the student resides.

This section includes:

- » **Phone Number** (home or cell)
- » **Home Address**
- » **Mailing Address** (if different from home address)
- » **Proof of Residence** (see accepted documents)

Ways to submit proof of residence:

- » **Upload the document** during the online enrollment application process
- » **Drop off a printed copy** to the district enrollment office at 2300 Chaney Road

ACCEPTED DOCUMENTS for PROOF OF RESIDENCE:

An acceptable document:

- » must be current and include a date
- » must include the name and address that matches the name and address of the parent or legal guardian of the student(s) being enrolled

Please provide one of the following:

- » mortgage statement from last or current month
- » utility bill from last or current month
- » most recent tax receipt
- » current rental or lease agreement
- » bank statement OR pay stub from last or current month

Go to www.dbqschools.org/required-documents for more options.

PARENT(S)/GUARDIAN(S)

9 You will begin by completing information for the legal parent/guardian entered on the previous screen.

This section includes:

- » **Demographics: Name, Date of Birth, Gender, Employer, Address** (if different from primary household address)
- » **Contact Information: Phone Numbers** (cell, work and other), **Email**

All additional parent(s)/guardian(s), whether or not they reside with the student, should be entered once the legal parent(s)/guardian(s) are complete.

Parent(s)/Guardian(s)

Please enter legal parents/guardians first. All additional parents/guardians, whether or not they reside with the student, should be entered once the legal parents/guardians are complete.

FIRST NAME	LAST NAME	GENDER	COMPLETED
Parent	Name	F	COMPLETED >

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To add a parent/guardian, click the **Add New Parent/Guardian** button.

EMERGENCY CONTACT(S)

- ⑩ Emergency contact(s) will be contacted if the parent(s)/guardian(s) cannot be reached in an emergency. Please enter each contact individually even if they share contact information.

Emergency Contact(s)

This section is for emergency contact(s) who will be contacted if the parent(s)/guardian(s) cannot be reached in an emergency. **Please enter each contact individually even if they share contact information.**

FIRST NAME	LAST NAME	GENDER	COMPLETED
No records available.			

The maximum number of Emergency Contacts is 5

To add an emergency contact, click the **Add New Emergency Contact** button.

This section includes:

- » **Demographics:** Name, Gender
- » **Contact Information:** Phone Numbers (home, cell, and work)
- » **Address Verification:** Does this contact live at the primary household home address?

NEW STUDENT(S)

- ⑪ Enter the student(s) you wish to enroll in the Dubuque Community School District and/or FREE four-year-old voluntary preschool program. There will be a few steps for each student you enter.

New Student(s)

This section is for the student(s) you wish to enroll in the Dubuque Community School District and/or FREE four-year-old voluntary preschool program.

FIRST NAME	LAST NAME	GENDER	SCHOOL	COMPLETED
No records available.				

To add a new student, click the **Add New Student** button.

This section includes:

- » **Demographics:**
 - › Name, Date of Birth, Gender
 - › Is your student in foster care?
 - › In which school district does the student reside?
 - › Grade in 2025-2026
 - › Was your student assigned to a preschool by the district during the IEP (Individualized Education Plan) Eligibility meeting? If no, is your student receiving special education services?
- » **Race and Ethnicity:**
 - › Is the student of Hispanic, Latino or Spanish ethnicity (Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin)? If yes, you may also check one or more racial categories.
 - › What is the student's race? (check all that apply)
- » **Housing:**
 - › Does the student live in a temporary housing situation or do they lack a fixed, regular or adequate nighttime residence? If yes, select the option that best represents the student's current housing situation.

» Student Records for Preschool:**› Proof of Age**

Ways to submit proof of age:

- » Upload the document during the online enrollment application process
- » Drop off a printed copy to the district enrollment office at 2300 Chaney Road

» Home Language Survey (HLS):

- › What is the primary language used in the home, regardless of the language spoken by the student?
- › What is the language most often spoken by the student?
- › What is the language that the student first acquired?
- › In which language do you prefer to receive spoken information from school?
- › In which language do you prefer to receive written information from school?

» Student Relationship to Parent(s)/Guardian(s):**› Relationship, Contact Preferences, Contact Sequence**

- » For sequencing, number 1 should be selected for the parent/guardian with whom the student resides, followed by additional parent(s)/guardian(s)

» Student Relationship to Emergency Contact(s):**› Relationship, Contact Sequence**

- » For sequencing, numbers 1 and 2 are reserved for parent(s)/guardian(s), followed by additional parent(s)/guardian(s) and then emergency contacts

» Health Services - Provider Information:**› Does your student have a primary care provider?**

- » If yes, provider name and phone.
- » If no, do you need assistance finding a provider?

› Does your student have a dental care provider?

- » If yes, provider name and phone.
- » If no, do you need assistance finding a provider?

› Does your student have an eye care provider?

- » If yes, provider name and phone.
- » If no, do you need assistance finding a provider?

› Does your student have health insurance?

- » If no, do you need information about Iowa's Hawki program that offers low-cost health insurance for children?

» Health Services - Medical or Mental Health Conditions:**› Does your student have a medical or mental health condition?**

- » If yes, add condition. May enter comments and instructions.

» Health Services - Medications:**› Does your student take any medications?** (all medications taken by student, including medications required to be administered or self-administered at school)

- » If yes, add medication. Enter medication name, where taken, and medication type. May enter comments and instructions.

» **Health Services - Required Paperwork for Preschool:**

› **Physical Examination Requirement**

Ways to submit physical examination form:

- › **Upload the document** during the online enrollment application process
- › **Drop off a printed copy** to the district enrollment office at 2300 Chaney Road
- › **Request your student’s healthcare provider fax a copy** to the district enrollment office
- › **Request assistance** from the district

› **Immunization Certificate Requirement**

Ways to submit immunization certificate:

- › **Upload the document** during the online enrollment application process
- › **Drop off a printed copy** to the district enrollment office at 2300 Chaney Road
- › **Request your student’s healthcare provider fax a copy** to the district enrollment office
- › **Request assistance** from the district

» **School Choice:**

If student was assigned to a preschool by the district during the IEP (Individualized Education Plan) Eligibility meeting:

› **School Assignment**

If student was not assigned to a preschool by the district:

- › **First Choice School, Session Preference** (AM, PM or No Preference)
- › **Second Choice School, Session Preference** (AM, PM or No Preference)
- › **Third Choice School, Session Preference** (AM, PM or No Preference)

COMPLETE and SUBMIT APPLICATION

⑫ Prior to submitting your application, you may verify the data you entered.

The screenshot shows a progress bar with five tabs: Primary Household, Parent(s)/Guardian(s), Emergency Contact(s), Student(s), and Completed. The 'Completed' tab is highlighted with a blue circle containing the number 5. Below the progress bar, there is a 'PLEASE NOTE' section and a 'Submit' button. An arrow points from the 'Completed' tab to the 'Application Review (PDF)' button.

Click on a **tab at the top of the screen** to review that section.

Click on the **Application Review (PDF)** button to download a copy.

You must complete the entire enrollment application and submit the required documents in order for the application to be considered complete.

Click the **Submit** button to submit your online enrollment application.

The screenshot shows a message: 'Thank you for completing Online Enrollment! For a PDF copy of the submitted data, please click the link below.' Below the message is a button labeled 'Completed Application Summary (PDF)'. An arrow points from the button to the right.

» Once submitted, a **Completed Application Summary (PDF)** may be downloaded for your records.

» A confirmation email will also be sent to the email address, if provided, for the legal parent/guardian that completed and submitted the enrollment application.