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## Rhode Island Pre-Kindergarten Program 2011-2012 Application

In 2008, the R.I. General Assembly, recognizing the need to adequately prepare all children to succeed in school, called for the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (RIDE) to explore ways to provide children with access to publicly funded, high-quality prekindergarten (PreK) education programs.

The 2011-2012 RI Pre-Kindergarten Program sites are:

**Beautiful Beginnings**

700 Elmwood Ave.  
Providence, RI 02907  
785-8485

**Highlander Charter School/Mariposa Center**

Wanskuck Boys and Girls Club  
550 Branch Ave.  
Providence, RI 02904  
228-8702

**Ready to Learn Providence @CCRI**

1 Hilton St.  
Providence, RI 02905  
490-9960  
(Applications available at 945 Westminster St.)

**Westbay Children's Center**

22 Astral St.  
Warwick, RI 02888  
463-6620

**Imagine Preschool @ CCRI**

400 East Ave.  
Warwick, RI 02886  
825-1152

To be eligible for enrollment, children must:

- turn 4 years of age by September 1, 2011; and
- live in the community in which the PreK program is located (proof of residency will be required upon enrollment).

Children will be selected for enrollment through a state-supervised lottery. Each classroom will enroll 18 children. Children will be assigned to classrooms in their community of residence.

Completed applications should be returned to the program of choice. Please *do not* submit applications to the Department of Education.

Parents may apply at more than one site if multiple sites exist in the community of residence, but only one application per site will be accepted. If selected during the lottery, enrollment will be offered for that site only.

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Programming is contingent on the availability of funding.

The lottery will be conducted August 19, 2011 and selected children and families will be notified by phone.

# Rhode Island Pre-Kindergarten Program 2011-12 APPLICATION

**CHILD'S FULL NAME:**

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Middle Name: \_\_\_\_\_

SEX:     Male             Female**DATE OF BIRTH:** \_\_\_\_\_**CHILD'S HOME ADDRESS:**

Street Address/Apt. # \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

**TELEPHONE:** \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

**I attest that the information provided above is correct and I understand that filing documents containing false information with the government is illegal. (RIGL 11-18-1)**

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**CHILD'S LANGUAGE:****What is your child's primary language?** English     Spanish     Portuguese     Khmer Other \_\_\_\_\_**CHILD'S 2011-12 ANTICIPATED ENROLLMENT IF NOT SELECTED FOR PREK PROGRAM ENROLLMENT:** Child Care/Preschool     Head Start     Public School     Family Child Care No formal program

**PARENT/PERSON ACTING AS PARENT APPLYING FOR CHILD:**

**Parent #1**

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address/Apt. # \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent #2**

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address/Apt. # \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

**HIGHEST LEVEL OF EDUCATION COMPLETED:**

**Please Choose One:**

- Up to 12<sup>th</sup> Grade       High School Graduate       Some College  
 4 year College Graduate       Graduate or Professional School

**HOUSEHOLD INCOME:**

**What is the number of people in your household?** \_\_\_\_\_

**ANNUAL HOUSEHOLD INCOME:**

- \$15,000 or below       \$15,001-\$20,000       \$20,001-\$25,000  
 \$25,001 – \$30,000       \$30,001-\$35,000       \$35,001-\$40,000  
 \$40,001 -\$45,000       \$45,001-\$50,000       \$50,001-60,000  
 \$60,001-\$70,000       \$70,001 and above