

☐ 3-YEAR-OLD KINDERGARTEN

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☐ 4-YEAR-OLD KINDERGARTEN

## **ENROLMENT APPLICATION FORM**

Tuesday and Friday (8 hours TBC)	Monday, Wednesday, Thursday (15 hours)
Year: Month: (Children cannot commence until they are 3. Please see back page for further information.)	Year: <i>Is this application for a 2<sup>nd</sup> year of funded kindergarten?</i> □ Yes □ No
Child's family name:	
Child's given names:	
Date of birth:	□ Female □ Male □ Other
Parent/Guardian name/s:	
Street Address:	
Suburb:	Postcode:
Phone 1:	Phone 2:
Email:	
Language/s spoken at home:	
Does your child have additional needs?	□ Yes □ No
If yes, please specify:	'
Is your child registered with a support service or age	ency?
Name of support service/agency:	
You are encouraged to discuss your child's needs with	the educator when your child's place is confirmed.
How did you hear about us?	
Signature of parent/guardian:	Date:
Enrolment and Immunisations The Government's No Jab No Play laws require children can be confirmed. Upon offer of a place in the program, Immunisation History Statement that shows that their con immunisation requirements for enrolment in early clawww.betterhealth.vic.gov.au/campaigns/no-jab-no-play	parents/guardians will be asked to provide the AIR hild's immunisations are up to date. Further information hildhood services is available at
Office use only  ☐ Copy of child's birth certificate or other suitable evidence Date Application Received:	□ \$30.00 deposit received □ Direct Deposit □ Cash

## WHEN SHOULD MY CHILD START KINDERGARTEN?

- 3-year-old Program: Your child MUST be 3 years old before commencing. Enrolments for children who have not turned three by the beginning of first term will be accepted, but they are UNABLE to attend until after their 3<sup>rd</sup> birthday.
- 4-year-old Program: Your child MUST turn at least 4 years old by 30<sup>th</sup> April in the year they commence.

Please note that from a developmental perspective, it is often beneficial for children to start kindergarten later rather than earlier. Most children turn four during their 3-year-old Kinder year and turn five in the year before school. Children starting school in the year they turn six, generally have stronger social and emotional skills.

Children cannot do a second year of a 3-year-old funded program. 4-year-old Kindergarten is also funded for one year only, unless there are extenuating circumstances and the child meets eligibility requirements to do a second year.

IF YOUR CHILD'S BIRTH DATE IS BETWEEN JANUARY 1<sup>ST</sup> – APRIL 30<sup>TH</sup> PLEASE CONTACT US TO DISCUSS WHICH PROGRAM WILL BE BEST FOR YOUR CHILD.

## KINDERGARTEN FEE SUBSIDY

DET provides a fee subsidy for eligible families. Where appropriate, supporting documentation (eg: a copy of card) will need to be provided on enrolment day. Please indicate if you or your child are eligible for one of the following concessions, or meet one of the following criteria:

☐ Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander	$\hfill\Box$ Department of Veterans' Affairs Gold or White Card
$\square$ Multiple birth child (triplets or more)	☐ Refugee or Humanitarian Visas
☐ Commonwealth Health Care Card	☐ Bridging Visas A-E
☐ Commonwealth Pensioner Concession Card	Other:
Expiry date of Visa/Concession:	

Your child may also be eligible for Early Start Kinder, where they can access 15 hours of funded kindergarten for 2 years before school. Please contact us to discuss this further.

- o **Birth Certificate:** a copy of the child's birth certificate or suitable evidence of the child's birth date must be attached with this application form.
- \$30 Administration Fee (non-refundable): this must be paid upon application. Payment can be made via cash or direct deposit: Manchester Preschool. BSB: 633-000 Account: 128 928 207. Please use your child's surname and the group (3yo or 4yo) as reference. Eg: Mackenzie 4yo

You will be sent notification within 2 weeks that your application has been received.

Offers of Enrolment will be sent from June and the enrolment deposit and immunisation statement will then be collected to secure your child's place in the program. Please submit this form and a copy of the birth certificate to Manchester Preschool either in person, by mail, or via email. For any questions or information please call 9726 9204 or email <a href="mailto:enrol.manchester@kindergarten.vic.gov.au">enrol.manchester@kindergarten.vic.gov.au</a>