

The Schools of McKeel Academy (TSMA) Preschool has two locations and is designated by The State of Florida, as a *High-Performing*, play based learning environment for children. We follow the Florida Early Learning and Development Standards to guide our instruction and use the PreK On My Way curriculum. Both locations are VPK providers under the direction of Mrs. Erin Edmonds.

**Where are we located?**

The Schools of McKeel Academy Preschool operate on the campuses of McKeel Academy Central and South McKeel Academy. Parents/Guardians have the option during Open Enrollment to apply for both campuses.

**When can I apply for Preschool? What are the eligibility requirements?**

Applicants may apply during TSMA Open Enrollment period of December 2 through December 15, 2024. To be eligible for VPK, children must live in Florida and be 4 years old on or before September 1 of the current school year. If their fourth birthday falls February 2 through September 1 in a calendar year, parents can postpone enrolling their child in VPK that year and wait until the following year when their child is five.

**What is the class size?**

Our VPK classes have 20 students with both a teacher and a paraprofessional.

**Are school uniforms required?**

No, school uniforms are not required for TSMA Preschool students.

**What are the enrollment requirements to attend TSMA Preschool?**

All students are required to have a VPK Certificate to attend our program.

Please follow the below steps to apply for your VPK Certificate:

1. Register for a Family Portal Account

<https://familyservices.floridaearlylearning.com/Account/Register>

2. Create a new VPK Application

3. Complete the application and hit submit

For additional questions please visit [mckeelschools.com](https://mckeelschools.com) >> Open Enrollment

