

2022 Screening Dates & Locations

Call a school to pick up a packet and make an appointment for screening!

SCHOOL	WV PRE-K SCREENING
Glen Dale Elementary (304-843-4427)	FEBRUARY 17
McNinch Primary (304-843-4431)	FEBRUARY 21 and 22
Hilltop Elementary (304-232-8640)	FEBRUARY 24
Washington Lands (304-843-4420)	MARCH 3
PLAYS Childcare (304-810-4919)	(At WLES March 3) or other
Center McMechen (304-232-6530)	MARCH 10
Sand Hill Elementary (304-547-5041)	(At Hilltop, February 24)
Cameron Elementary (304-686-3305)	MARCH 17

Bring completed registration packet & child with you to your Pre-K screening appointment. State birth certificate and immunization record must be provided for student placement to be considered.

****If restrictions prohibit in-person screening of students, we will extend our schedule to allow collection of packets and meetings with parents, possibly to an additional day.**

PLEASE NOTE: Having your child's name on the screening roster in your center of choice does **NOT** guarantee his/her placement in that center. Consider your options and be sure to check your 1st, 2nd, and 3rd choice for Pre-K locations in the application packet. Your 1st choice cannot be guaranteed, but every effort will be made to meet your needs. See information and guidelines on previous pages.

14 Classrooms, plus 3 special needs rooms at 8 Sites in Marshall County:

Cameron Elementary, Center McMechen Elementary, Glen Dale Child Development Center at Glen Dale United Methodist Church, Hilltop Elementary, McNinch Primary School, NPHS-Stepping Stones at 93 Barn Drive, Moundsville, PLAY'S Child Care Center at 600 Jefferson Avenue, Moundsville, and Washington Lands Elementary.

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PRE-SCHOOL



Marshall County Schools

Pre-K Registration

(Children who turn 4 before JULY 1)

Information

2022-2023

General Information

Welcome to WV Pre-K!

WV Pre-Kindergarten is a collaborative effort between Marshall County Schools, Northern Panhandle Head Start, and licensed child-care centers. Pre-K is offered at multiple sites beyond our school buildings. This allows us to provide maximum services for our students. All sites follow state board policy 2525 and are part of the West Virginia Pre-K system. Delivery of services are provided as uniformly as possible to meet the needs of individual students. The same curriculum is implemented in all sites and instruction is provided by qualified teachers.

Educating children is a collaborative effort between learning centers and parents. The success of our students is dependent upon this collaboration. Our goal is to provide a good transition for children and their families as learning opportunities unfold in the classroom setting. The registration process is an important step. Please complete your registration packet in a timely manner. Your questions are welcomed.

Please review information regarding student readiness: [Ready, Set, Go! WV School Readiness - West Virginia Department of Education \(wvde.us\)](http://www.wvde.us)

MARSHALL COUNTY SCHOOLS



Directions & Guidelines

1. Call your school, schedule your appointment for screening. Also, pick up a packet, read and completely fill out all forms to be turned-in to the school nurse on the day of the screening. The packet is also available in January, on the MCS website at <http://boe.mars.k12.wv.us/schools/pre-k/>
2. **If Covid-19 restrictions prohibit in-person screening of students, we will extend our schedule to allow collection of packets and meetings with parents, possibly to an additional day.**
3. You will need the following to complete your packet:
 - ***State certified** Birth Certificate (*NOT county court house, application is provided in packet and on MCS website*)
 - *Updated Immunizations (see requirements in packet)
 - *Completed comprehensive physical form signed and dated by your child's physician completed within one year
 - *Proof of Dental Exam should be provided but is not required
 - *Income Information (for Head Start eligibility)
4. Pre-K participation is not mandatory. However, once enrolled attendance is mandatory.
5. Marshall County Pre-K will operate five (5) days per week. You will be asked to identify your top three preferred sites.
6. Unless your child is eligible for services provided by Head Start or special needs, parents are responsible for providing transportation.
7. Space is limited and completion of a packet **does not** guarantee placement at your first choice. Priority will be given based on the following:
 - *Date of completed packet
 - *School residency district
 - *Enrollment of siblings at same location
 - *Child care needs (Before/After School)
 - *Transportation needs
 - *Social service needs
8. You may screen at any location as listed on the next page.
9. Incomplete packets will **NOT** be considered.