



ALABAMA DEPARTMENT OF  
**Early Childhood  
Education**

# FIRST CLASS PRE-K

## Alabama's Voluntary Pre-K Program

### PRE-REGISTRATION

**Alabama's nationally recognized First Class Pre-K  
is preparing for another exciting school year!**

- Accepting online pre-registration applications for 2021-2022 school year (for assistance with accessing online application contact local school/program)
- Enrollment open to all children four years of age on or before 9/1/21\* who are residents of the state of Alabama (children who are eligible for kindergarten are ineligible)
- Enrollees must provide a copy of the child's birth certificate (submitted directly to the local school/program after acceptance) **Do not upload!**
- Enrollees must provide proof of residence – either a current utility bill or copy of a lease or mortgage (submitted directly to the local school/program after acceptance) **Do not upload!**
- Public school system pre-k programs may have zoning requirements that determine eligibility to attend a program at a particular school (contact school for information)
- No Registration Fee for this program
- Upon enrollment, child's immunization record must be provided
- No child will be denied participation on basis of income, sex, race, color, national origin, or disability

**Pre-  
Registration  
Dates**

**January 15 – March 1, 2021**

**Forms**

Go online to  
<https://alprek.asapconnected.com>. Complete the  
Pre-Registration Form, select school and "log out".

**More  
Information**

Visit [www.children.alabama.gov](http://www.children.alabama.gov) and see Pre-  
Registration Info under First Class Pre-K or visit  
[mcpss.com](http://mcpss.com) "Apply for" First Class Pre-K for more  
information.

**Acceptance to  
the Program**

Acceptance is strictly through random drawing to be  
held on March 1, 2021 at Allentown at 9:00 a.m.  
Parent/Guardian does not have to be present at  
drawing. Notices will be emailed beginning April 16<sup>th</sup>.

\*An opinion of the Attorney General states in effect that under the common law one's age is computed by including the day of birth so that a given age is attained the day before the birthday anniversary. ~ Ala. Code §16-28-4(1975) Interpretation based on Report of Attorney General of Alabama October-December 1963, Volume 113, page 20.