



Accepting Peer Role Models for 2026/2027 WPS Preschool Program!

Windsor Public Schools' preschool program is seeking 4 year old children to participate as peer role models in our inclusive early childhood classrooms. This opportunity allows typically developing children to learn and grow alongside peers with diverse learning needs in a supportive, engaging environment.

What is an Inclusive Preschool Classroom?

Inclusive classrooms bring children of all abilities together to learn through play, structured activities, and social interaction. Peer role models help demonstrate age-appropriate language, play, and social skills while benefiting from a rich learning environment themselves.

Participation in an inclusive classroom is a highly rewarding experience.
Following the ***Windsor Way***, children will develop skills:

- **Caring:** Demonstrates empathy and kindness toward peers
- **Committed:** Works collaboratively and contributes positively in group settings
- **Courageous:** Communicates ideas and needs clearly in social interactions
- **Creative:** Builds friendships through inclusive thinking and openness to different perspectives

Program Schedule

Morning Program:

Monday - Thursday: 8:40 AM - 11:35 AM

Afternoon Program:

Monday - Thursday: 12:30 PM - 3:25 PM



Peer Role Model Screening Process	Selection Process
To ensure a successful experience for all students, all interested children must participate in a required developmental screener. Screeners will help determine readiness to serve as a peer role model within an inclusive setting. Screening Dates (Please be available for one of the dates/times below:) • March 19, 2026 5:00-7:00 • March 20, 2026 9:00-12:00 or 12:00-3:00 • March 27, 2026 12:00-3:00 Peer role models MUST be potty trained to participate in the program.	Because space is limited, students who meet peer role model criteria will be considered approved applicants. If interest exceeds available openings, approved students will be placed into a lottery selection process. <i>If openings remain after the initial placement timeline, additional students will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis.</i> <u>Families will be notified by April 8, 2026 about their placement for fall.</u>

Transportation is not provided for peer role model students. Families are responsible for drop-off and pick-up.

To register for your screening, please scan this QR or click the link: <https://bit.ly/4dmfNFw>.
The deadline is **March 25th!**

