



**Early
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Family
Education**

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Teacher Feature: Teresa Haider



Teresa Haider has been teaching for Early Childhood Family Education and School Readiness for more than 18 years. During this time she has watched families send their

oldest children to her for preschool then another child and another. We hope she stays to see the next generation off to such a good early start! Here are some things you may or may not know about Teacher Teresa.

Q: Tell us a bit about your education and/or journey to ECFE.

A: Licensed in Pre-K Education: Bachelor of Science from NDSU in Child Development/Family Science, some post-grad work at MSUM. Military: Leadership and Supervisory courses, Emergency Medical Technician and Medical Services Specialist.

This must be my 19th year at ECFE. I teach preschool, parent/child classes and coordinate Early Childhood Screening. I have done home visits, Preschool on Wheels and Tall Friends/Small Friends, an interactive program taking preschoolers to spend time with assisted/independent living elderly.

I also teach for the Parent Resource Center of Cass County Extension Services and managed a pilot program for NDSU in the Fargo Schools called Early Risers that focused on teaching social emotional skills.

Q: Do you have a favorite age group or topic you like to teach?

A: It is so much fun to get to know the preschoolers and their families who are with me all year. Those four and five-year-olds are always looking out for me! I check every day to see if they bring their smiles to school. One day a little boy brought me one to keep (two eyes and a smile were drawn on a small green slip of paper). I keep it in my jewelry box!

Another student looked at me on the last day of preschool and said, "...teacher, you're not gonna be there next year in kindergarten, are ya?" Each year when they move on, I miss those kids and their families. If I see them in later years, it is amazing to see how they have grown and changed.

With preschool classrooms, I have learned so much working in collaboration with Early Intervention students and teachers. Collaborative classrooms work so well and give all involved an opportunity to see we all have challenges and can teach each other.

Q: What is the last book you read (not counting children's books!)?

A: I read a lot for my job, but I like to try to keep up on new developments in the field of human behavior and mental health. For example: "Living Through the Meantime" by Iyanla Vanzant.

I like to read "Tuesdays with Morrie" by Mitch Albom, again, every so often.

Q: What is your favorite family activity?

A: Summer at the lakes, boating and cooking family meals together.

Q: What word or phrase best describes your family of origin?

A: A large extended family of cousins, aunts, uncles, but mostly cousins.

Q: If you could give parents one bit of advice to follow, what would it be?

A: Talk with your children and listen to what they say — even before they can talk. Enjoy humor and laughter with them too. Try to make learning fun. Children are teachers; parents are teachers.

Families from Moorhead, Fargo and the surrounding area are all welcome to attend our ECFE classes!

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ECFE Mission: *to strengthen families and support parents in providing the best possible environment for the healthy growth and development of their children.*

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Parent Child Classes

What is Early Childhood Family Education (ECFE)?

It's a program for every family with young children birth to kindergarten entry, offered by the Moorhead School District. ECFE offers a wide variety of classes and services to families. The current offerings are listed here. Put on your play clothes, call your friends, and sign up now to begin building skills and making memories.

Super Sibling Child Care

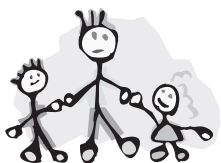
Sibling care is available to the birth to 6-year-old brothers and sisters of the child enrolled in many of our classes. You'll find sibling care listed below the class descriptions in this catalog. Our caregiver Janeen has more than 20 years of care experience with infants through preschoolers. Sign up early so she can plan activities especially designed for your child's age and stage of development.

Separating Parent-Child Classes

The general format is the same for all separating classes. **Parents and children spend the first hour together** working at all of the activities the teacher and room provides. A special learning time called "circle time" may consist of music, finger plays, movement activities, a book, flannel board stories, puppets, and anything else our teachers can dream up! **The second hour parents discuss topics of interest with each other and a licensed parent educator.** Children enjoy play time and gym time with a licensed early childhood educator.

Family Fun

(Birth to kindergarten entry)



Bring us your moms, your dads, your grandparents, your infants, toddlers and preschoolers! We

will enjoy our time together in theme-related activities, play and learning. Young children learn best by exploring materials firsthand.

Family Fun Enrollments Limited:

Because of the extremely high interest in attending our Family Fun classes, **each family may take only one Family Fun class per week.** Families interested in attending Family Fun and additional classes offered within the same session are welcome to do so.

EPC110A - Nancy & Ruth, 9

Mondays, 1/24-3/28 (no class 2/21), 9-11 a.m., Probstfield, \$72 (\$63)

EPC110B - Nancy & Sally, 9

Wednesdays, 1/26-3/30 (no class 3/16), 9-11 a.m., Probstfield, \$72 (\$63)

EPC110C - Teresa & Anna, 9 Fridays, 1/28-4/1 (no class 3/18), 8:45-10:45 a.m., Probstfield, \$72 (\$63)

EPC110D - Nancy & Ruth, 9 Fridays, 1/28-4/1 (no class 3/18), 9:15-11:15 a.m., Probstfield, \$72 (\$63)

EPC110E - Janeen & Bette, 9 Fridays, 1/28-4/1 (no class 3/18), 9:30-11:30 a.m., Probstfield, \$72 (\$63)

Thinking Threes

(36-48 months/toilets independently)

This class is uniquely designed with the needs of three-year-olds in mind. Mondays each week are run like a typical ECFE class with parents and children engaged in activities and play for half of the class. Parents separate to a nearby room to discuss development and issues relevant to parenting a three-year-old. Wednesday mornings each week are for the children only. This is a collaborative venture with Early Intervention Services. Children working on special areas of development will participate with typically developing peers. Fee is per month.

EPC300A - Teresa and Sally, Mondays & Wednesdays, 1/3-5/25, 8:30-10:30 a.m., Probstfield, \$60/month (\$50/month)

ESIB300A - Janeen, Mondays only, 1/3-5/23, 8:30-10:30 a.m., Probstfield, \$20/month

School Skills

(3 years to kindergarten entry)

Is your child transitioning to preschool or kindergarten? Learn school readiness skills with us. We'll focus on building social, emotional and listening skills, as well as pre-writing and pre-literacy skills.

EPC187A - Rachel & Ruth, 5 Wednesdays, 1/26-2/23, 5:30-7:30 p.m., Probstfield, \$40 (\$35)

EPC187B - Rachel & Ruth, 4 Wednesdays, 3/2-3/30 (no class 3/16), 5:30-7:30 p.m., Probstfield, \$32 (\$28)



Monday Fun-day

(Birth to kindergarten entry)

Start your week out with Monday Fun-day, featuring puppets, flannel board stories and toys for you to make and take with you. Continue the fun and learning at home, all week long.

EPC132A - Janeen & Ruth, 8 Mondays, 1/24-3/21 (no class 2/21), 12:30-2:30 p.m., Probstfield, \$64 (\$56)

Ones and Twos

(12 to 36 months)

Explore and play during the parent/child interaction time. Then help your child make a gradual transition to separating. We will not separate the first few weeks, but during informal discussion children can explore the room and toys. Eventually, parents may move to another room to discuss parenting issues.

EPC183A - Anna & Shanna, 9 Mondays, 1/24-3/28 (no class 2/21), 9:15-11:15 a.m., Probstfield, \$72 (\$63)

ESIB183A - Janeen, 9 Mondays, 1/24-3/28 (no class 2/21), 9:15-11:15 a.m., Probstfield, \$45

30° Below

(2 1/2 years to kindergarten entry)

Wondering what to do when there is nothing to do? This class includes a whole box of activities to try at school then repeat at home again and again. Class includes a deck of 52 activity cards from Bright and Beyond.

EPC194A - Nancy & Bette, 9 Tuesdays, 1/25-3/29 (no class 2/22), 12:30-2:30 p.m., Probstfield, \$72 (\$63)

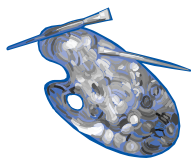
ESIB194A - Janeen, 9 Tuesdays, 1/25-3/29 (no class 2/22), 12:30-2:30 p.m., Probstfield, \$45

Big and Messy Art

(Birth to kindergarten entry)

Wear your painting clothes because we're going to get messy! Paint while lying on your back. Use balls, fly swatters, plungers and more for some outrageous art.

EPC109A - Amie & Sally, Saturdays, 2/19 & 2/26, 9:30-11:30 a.m., Probstfield, \$16 (\$14)



Marvelous Mud

(Birth to kindergarten entry)

This is a hands-on, get-down-and-dirty class. Please dress appropriately — we will get messy! Children are invited to engage in scientific exploration of soil,

saturation and things you find in the earth. We'll see how worms aerate soil, look at which bugs live there too, and explore many other cool and somewhat creepy facts about dirt.

EPC91A - Amie & Sally, Saturday, 3/12, 9:30-11:30 a.m., Probstfield, \$8 (\$7)

Secret Garden

(Birth to kindergarten entry)

Our young gardeners will be growing different kinds of seed, learning how a seed grows, and discovering the parts of a plant with stories and hands-on activities. We love to help plants and people grow!

EPC90A - Amie & Anna, Tuesdays, 3/1, 3/8 & 3/15, 6-7:30 p.m., Probstfield, \$18 (\$16)

Terrific Twos

(24 to 36 months)

Two-year-olds really work at playing and that work can be messy! There will be lots of activities just right for this age group. Gather new ideas for at-home play, too!

EPC112A - Nancy & Bette, 9 Tuesdays, 1/25-3/29 (no class 2/22), 9:30-11:30 a.m., Probstfield, \$72 (\$63)

ESIB112A - Janeen, 9 Tuesdays, 1/25-3/29 (no class 2/22), 9:30-11:30 a.m., Probstfield, \$45

Thrilling Threes

(36 to 48 months)

Three-year-olds have great imaginations. Our teachers do too! Join other parents and children in creative learning and play. Songs, stories, table activities, gym play and messy art are all waiting here for you.

EPC119A - Nancy & Bette, 9 Thursdays, 1/27-3/31 (no class 3/17), 9:30-11:30 a.m., Probstfield, \$72 (\$63)

ESIB119A - Janeen, 9 Thursdays, 1/27-3/31 (no class 3/17), 9:30-11:30 a.m., Probstfield, \$45



Skill Building for School

(3 years to kindergarten entry)

Learn skills needed for transitioning to preschool or kindergarten. Includes social/emotional concepts from the "Learning To Get Along" book series. We will also work on enjoyable pre-reading and pre-writing activities.

EPC98A - Teresa & Ruth, 5 Wednesdays, 1/26-2/23, 9-11 a.m., Probstfield, \$40 (\$35)

ESIB98A - Janeen, 5 Wednesdays, 1/26-2/23, 9-11 a.m., Probstfield, \$25

EPC98B - Teresa & Ruth, 4 Wednesdays, 3/2-3/30 (no class 3/16), 9-11 a.m., Probstfield, \$32 (\$28)

ESIB98B - Janeen, 4 Wednesdays, 3/2-3/30 (no class 3/16), 9-11 a.m., Probstfield, \$20

Splish! Splash! Indoor Version



(Birth to kindergarten entry)

Explore the science of sink or float and the magic of H₂O. Bring some towels and extra clothes because we're going to get wet! There'll be (toddler-size) pools with things to pour, spray and squeeze. We will share a light snack and some time in the gym too.

EPC147A - Amie & Sally, Saturday, 1/29, 9:30-11:30 a.m., Probstfield, \$8 (\$7)

What is the Weather?

(Birth to kindergarten entry)

Let's shake up a mini tornado, some rainbow stew and a snowy, stormy picture in this class all about our changing weather.

EPC88A - Ally & Sally, Sunday, 1/30, 3-5 p.m., Probstfield, \$8 (\$7)

Twos and Threes Together

(24 to 48 months)

Bring your children for three nights of messy art, gym time and enjoying everyday moments. Parents will discuss what it really means to be their child's first and most influential teacher.

EPC89A - Amie & Anna, Tuesdays, 2/1, 2/8 & 2/15, 6-7:30 p.m., Probstfield, \$18 (\$16)

Frozen Fun Day

(Birth to kindergarten entry)

While it's freezing outside, join us for some educational play in the warm indoors. We will explore science and sensory activities, participate in games, jump in the gym and share a heartwarming story.

EPC193A - Amie & Sally, Saturday, 2/5, 9:30-11:30 a.m., Probstfield, \$8 (\$7)

Make It, Take It

(Birth to kindergarten entry)

Choose one or both of the following creative classes where you make your projects and take them home to extend the learning and fun.



Valentines

EPC97A - Janeen & Sally, Tuesday, 2/8, 6:15-7:45 p.m., Probstfield, \$6 (\$5)

Bears

EPC97B - Janeen & Sally, Tuesday, 3/22, 6:15-7:45 p.m., Probstfield, \$6 (\$5)



Family Date Night

(Birth to kindergarten entry)

No phone calls, no doorbells, no interruptions. Just you and your family enjoying time together. It's family date night, and you are invited to join us for some family time your children will fondly remember.

EPC146A - Amie & Sally, Friday, 2/4, 6:15-7:45 p.m., Probstfield, \$6 (\$5)

EPC146B - Ally & Sally, Sunday, 2/6, 3-5 p.m., Probstfield, \$8 (\$7)



Nighttime Fun

(Birth to kindergarten entry)

Join us for an evening of theme-related play and learning. We will start each class with moving activities and action! The last 15 minutes will be calming stories and quiet activities to ease your way to bedtime.

EPC96A - Rachel & Ruth, 4 Mondays, 1/24-2/14, 5:30-7:30 p.m., Probstfield, \$32 (\$28)

EPC96B - Rachel & Ruth, 5 Mondays, 2/28-3/28, 5:30-7:30 p.m., Probstfield, \$40 (\$35)

Be My Valentine

(Birth to kindergarten entry)

Bring your sweet little Valentine(s) to ECFE for a very "heart-y" time! There will be Valentine stories, songs, art and activities. Wear your Valentine colors to add extra fun to the event.

EPC179A - Amie & Sally, Saturday, 2/12, 9:30-11:30 a.m., Probstfield, \$8 (\$7)

EPC179B - Ally & Sally, Sunday, 2/13, 3-5 p.m., Probstfield, \$8 (\$7)



Are you busy during the day?

Check closely for evening and weekend sections of your favorite ECFE classes.

Non-Separating Parent-Child Classes

These classes are designed to help parents and children get familiar with our building and teachers without leaving each other's side! It also enables families to spend more time together in play activities. Parents who work away from home love this option. You will have the opportunity to learn finger plays and songs, create art and activities, run during gym time, and anything else our creative teachers plan for you!

Baby Connection

(Birth to 12 months)

Gather with your baby and other parents for relaxing playtime and

conversation. Spend time exploring large and small muscle development and simple activities that are sensory in nature. Learn and share parenting tips.

EPC237A - Anna, Wednesdays, 1/5 & 1/12, 6:30-7:30 p.m., Probstfield, \$8 (\$7)

EPC237B - Anna, 4 Tuesdays, 1/25-2/15, 9:40-10:40 a.m., Probstfield, \$16 (\$14)

ESIB237B - Janeen, 4 Tuesdays, 1/25-2/15, 9:40-10:40 a.m., Probstfield, \$10

EPC237C - Anna, Wednesdays, 2/2, 2/9 & 2/16, 6:30-7:30 p.m., Probstfield, \$12 (\$11)

EPC237D - Anna, 5 Tuesdays, 3/1-3/29, 9:40-10:40 a.m., Probstfield, \$20 (\$18)

ESIB237D - Janeen, 5 Tuesdays, 3/1-3/29, 9:40-10:40 a.m., Probstfield, \$13

EPC237E - Anna, Wednesdays, 3/2, 3/9 & 3/23 (no class 3/16), 6:30-7:30 p.m., Probstfield, \$12 (\$11)

Wake Up and Run Gym Time

(Birth to kindergarten entry)

If your kids are up early and ready to run and climb, come to our gym to start your day! Class will include a brief, but lively, circle time.

EPC251A - Anna, 4 Tuesdays, 1/25-2/15, 8:30-9:30 a.m., Probstfield, \$16 (\$14)

EPC251B - Anna, 5 Tuesdays, 3/1-3/29, 8:30-9:30 a.m., Probstfield, \$20 (\$18)

Family Fun With Little Ones

(Birth to 36 months)

A fun-filled family class just for the wee ones in your lives! We'll play, paint, sing and probably laugh out loud, all in a child-friendly environment where we can connect with others in similar stages.

EPC212A - Anna, 9 Thursdays, 1/27-3/31 (no class 3/17), 9-10:30 a.m., Probstfield, \$54 (\$47)

ESIB212A - Janeen, 9 Thursdays, 1/27-3/31 (no class 3/17), 9-10:30 a.m., Probstfield, \$34

Thursday Play Group

(Birth to kindergarten entry)

Meet new friends when you come to this play group for fun, art and play activities. Bring comfy shoes because we will also spend some time in the gym.

EPC215A - Janeen, 7 Thursdays, 1/27-3/10, 3:30-5 p.m., Probstfield, \$42 (\$37)

Jumpin' in the Gym

(Birth to kindergarten entry)

Get out and exercise! Join us for parachute play, jumping games, ball fun and other energy-burning activities in our gym.

EPC219A - Amie, Tuesdays, 2/1, 2/8 & 2/15, 4:30-5:30 p.m., Probstfield, \$12 (\$11)

EPC219B - Amie, Tuesdays, 3/1, 3/8 & 3/15, 4:30-5:30 p.m., Probstfield, \$12 (\$11)



Gym Dads

(Birth to kindergarten entry)

Join other fathers and kids for some exciting learning adventures while we run, jump and play. Bring your kids and lots of energy; there's a great big gym to explore!

EPC216A - Sally, Thursdays, 3/10, 3/24 & 3/31 (no class 3/17), 6:15-7:45 p.m., Probstfield, \$18 (\$16)

Gym Fun

(Birth to kindergarten entry)

The weather is iffy, but the gym is guaranteed dry and ready for strollers and rovers and runners. We will have free play for 45 minutes and end with a structured movement activity the last 15 minutes before we say good-bye.

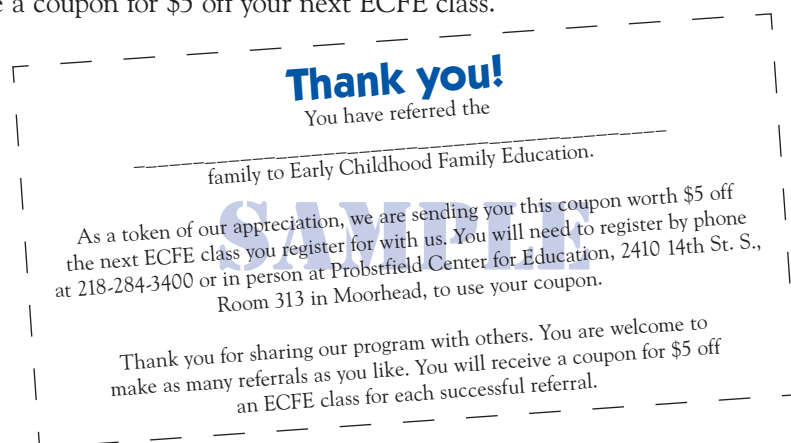
EPC244A - Rachel, 6 Saturdays, 1/29-3/12 (no class 2/19), 10-11 a.m., Probstfield, \$24 (\$21)

You're invited to join the Early Childhood Advisory Committee

Early Childhood Family Education and School Readiness programs are advised by a 15-member committee. We are currently looking for parents (dads and moms) to serve on this committee. Please pick up an application from your teacher or phone the office 284-3800 to have one mailed to you. Our required business meetings are held September, November, January and March. Meetings run from 6:30-8 p.m. at Probstfield Early Learning Center.

Refer a Friend to ECFE!

Do you have a friend, neighbor, family member, co-worker or acquaintance who isn't taking ECFE classes?* Refer that person to us! Be sure they give us your name and address when they register by phone for an ECFE class and you will receive a coupon for \$5 off your next ECFE class.



* This offer applies to families who have not taken an ECFE class in the past 12 months.

Calling all Young Babies!

Did you know that we have a Certified Infant Massage Instructor on our staff? She will visit any Moorhead School District family with an infant up to 8 months old, free of charge. Ann will show you how to do infant massage to relax and calm your baby. You will also receive a gift certificate for a free class at Early Childhood Family Education. Call 284-3800 to schedule your appointment.



Time to Talk

Do you have questions about your child's development or behaviors? We can suggest resources, information and programs in Fargo-Moorhead that may be of assistance to you. Please call Kim at 284-3830.

School Census!

It's very important that all residents of the Moorhead School District (ISD 152) be included on the school census – even the youngest babies. If you or someone you know recently moved into our district or had an addition to the family, including a birth or adoption, call us at 284-3800 or go to our website: <https://communityed.moorhead.k12.mn.us>.

Being counted is important because:

- You will be informed of all Early Childhood Family Education activities and other Community Education programs.
- You will be notified of Early Childhood Screening.
- The elementary school will be ready for your child when it is time for kindergarten.

School Readiness Preschools

If your child will be 4 years old by September 1, 2011, consider our preschool options. Sliding fees and scholarships are available for families who are eligible for free and reduced lunches. See our *Spring Parenting Press* for full descriptions and registration information.

Time For Me Preschool
Tuesdays & Thursdays, 9-11:30 a.m.

Before We Read Preschool
Mondays & Wednesdays, 9-11:30 a.m.

Preschool Partners
Monday, Wednesday and Thursdays,
noon-2:30 p.m.

Early Childhood Screening

In Minnesota, all children **are required** to complete Early Childhood Screening before they enter school. **Please schedule a screening soon after your child's third birthday.**

The screening includes a developmental assessment, vision and hearing test, height and weight measurement, immunization and health history review, and a parent visit.

Phone 284-3800 to schedule an **appointment**. There is no charge for this screening.

Daytime and Evening Appointments Available:

January 18, 19, 20, 21
February 22
March 16, 17, 18
June 1, 2, 3

School Readiness List

If your child will begin kindergarten in the Moorhead School District next fall (September 2011), this information is for you.

Here is a handy checklist. Keep this as a reference for readiness.

___ Schedule your child's free, mandatory Early Childhood Screening if she or he has not had one. We are able to screen 3, 4 and 5 year olds so our appointments fill quickly. Please phone 284-3800 to schedule today. If you are not sure if your child needs to be screened, give us a call and we will check our files.

___ Schedule your child's check up and immunization review with your health care provider. You will need updated immunization records for screening, registration and school entry.

___ Locate a copy of your child's birth certificate or baptismal record for kindergarten registration.

___ Mark your calendars for kindergarten registration, which will begin January 25 and 26 at all Moorhead elementary schools. This is important so the district has a classroom ready for your child.

___ Plan to attend the kindergarten open house at your child's elementary school. This is your chance to see the school and meet people your child will need to know!

Probstfield Center for Education (S.G. Reinertsen kindergarten),
Tuesday, April 5, 6-7:30 p.m.

Ellen Hopkins Elementary,
Thursday, April 7, 6-7:30 p.m.

Robert Asp Elementary,
Thursday, April 14, 6-7:30 p.m.

Finally, sign up for ECFE classes now! Once your child starts kindergarten, he or she is no longer eligible to attend our classes.

The Countdown to Kindergarten Newsletter full of many more readiness tips was mailed earlier this month. Call 218-284-3370 if you haven't received a copy.

For more information about Moorhead Area Public Schools, phone the Office of the Assistant Superintendent at 218-284-3370.

Early Childhood Family Education (ECFE)

ONLINE

Go to <https://communityed.moorhead.k12.mn.us> to pick a class or classes. Register each child into desired class under the child's name. Enter your name on address line one. Enter your address on address line two. Enter the gender and birth date of your child. Hit submit. Register for selected courses. Enter your Visa, MasterCard or Discover credit card number.

PHONE-IN

Phone: 284-3400
You may phone in your registration by using VISA, MasterCard, or Discover Card. Have credit card number and expiration date ready when you call.

MAIL-IN

Send registration forms and payment to:
Community Education
2410 14th Street South
Moorhead, MN 56560
Allow three days for mail delivery.

IN-PERSON

Bring registration form and payment to:
Community Ed. Office
Rm. 313, 2410 14th St. S.
Moorhead, MN
Office hours:
8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Location

Classes are held at Probstfield Center for Education, 2410 14th Street South.

Staff

All ECFE instructors are licensed teachers. They each hold a minimum of a baccalaureate degree with specialized training in child and family development.

Registration

Early Childhood Family Education classes fill quickly. Register early so you won't be disappointed. It's easy to register! Mail, phone, 218-284-3400, online go to <https://communityed.moorhead.k12.mn.us> or come in to the Community Education office at Probstfield. **Cancellation of a class could occur if the number of participants required to hold the class do not register. Tell a friend about Early Childhood Family Education!**

Class Fees

Tuition rates are indicated with each class description and are payable upon registration. All families are welcome. In-district tuition is designated within parentheses. **Fee is per family except where noted.**

Sliding Fees and Scholarships for Moorhead School District Residents

If your budget is too tight to allow for an ECFE class, call Kim at 218-284-3830 for sliding fee or scholarship information.

Super Sibling Child Care – \$2.50/hr./child

Sibling care is available to the birth to 6-year-old brothers and sisters of the child enrolled in many of

our classes. When available, you'll find sibling care listed in the shaded boxes below the class descriptions in this newsletter.

Age Requirements

Child must be required age for classes by the first day of the class. State funding requires that only children ages birth through kindergarten entry may participate in our ECFE programs.

Weather Related Cancellations

If Moorhead School District classes are canceled, Early Childhood classes will not be held that day or evening. Listen to the radio or television to receive the latest update on any storm-related cancellations or late starting time for classes. Emergency announcements will be made by: WDAY - TV 6, KVLV - TV 11, KXJB - TV 4, KVRN - TV Fox, KPFX - 107.9 FM, KDSU - 91.9 FM, KQWB - 1660 AM & 98 FM, KLTA - 105 FM, KVOX - 99.9 FM, KFGO - 790 AM, KCCD - 90.3 FM, KCCM - 91.1 FM, KEGK - 106.9 FM and public information radio - 1610 AM.

Cancellation Policy

Unless otherwise specified, if you have to cancel, we can give a full refund only if you notify the Community Education Office at least 24 hours prior to the first class meeting. Refunds after a class has begun will be given only in extreme circumstances and will be subject to a \$5 processing fee. In the unlikely event your class is canceled, we will give a full refund.

Parent/Guardian (please print) _____ (Fill in if applicable) First Last				
Child's Name _____		Birthdate ____/____/____ Sibling care (age) _____		
<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female				
Address _____ City, State, Zip _____				
Phone (day) _____ Phone (evening) _____				
Special Needs: _____				
<u>COURSE NO.</u>	<u>COURSE TITLE</u>	<u>BEG. DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>FEE</u>
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WINTER CALENDAR

	Monday			Tuesday			Wednesday			Thursday			Friday			Saturday		
9:00	Family Fun 9-11 1/24-3/28	Before We Read 9-11:30 9/8-5/25	Thinking Threes 8:30-10:30 1/3-5/25	Wake Up and Run 8:30-9:30 1/25-2/15 3/1-3/29	Time for Me 9-11:30 9/7-5/26	Terrific Twos 9:30-11:30 1/25-3/29	Skill Building for School 9-11 1/26-2/23 3/2-3/30	Before We Read 9-11:30 9/8-5/25	Thinking Threes 8:30-10:30 1/3-5/25	Family Fun for Little Ones 9-10:30 1/27-3/31	Time for Me 9-11:30 9/7-5/26	Thrilling Threes 9:30-11:30 1/27-3/31	Family Fun 8:45-10:45 1/28-4/1	Family Fun 9:15-11:15 1/28-4/1	Family Fun 9:30-11:30 1/28-4/1	Splash! Splash! Indoors 9:30-11:30 1/29	Frozen Fun Day 9:30-11:30 2/5	Be My Valentine 9:30-11:30 2/12
10:00	Ones & Twos 9:15-11:15 1/24-3/28			Baby Connection 9:40-10:40 1/25-2/15 3/1-3/29			Family Fun 9-11 1/26-3/30									Gym Fun 10-11 1/29-3/12	Marvelous Mud 9:30-11:30 3/12	Big and Messy Art 9:30-11:30 2/19 & 2/26
11:00																		
12:00	Monday Funday 12:30-2:30 1/24-3/21		Preschool Partners 12-2:30 9/7-5/26		30 Below 12:30-2:30 1/25-3/29		Preschool Partners 12-2:30 9/7-5/26			Preschool Partners 12-2:30 9/7-5/26								
1:00																		
2:00																		
3:00										Thursday Play Group 3:30-5 1/27-3/10						What is the Weather? 3-5 1/30	Family Date Night 3-5 2/6	Be My Valentine 3-5 2/13
4:00				Jumpin' in the Gym 4:30-5:30 2/1-2/15 3/1-3/15														
5:00																		
6:00	Nighttime Fun 5:30-7:30 1/24-2/14 2/28-3/28			Make It, Take It 6:15-7:45 2/8 3/22	Twos and Threes Together 6-7:30 2/1-2/15	Secret Garden 6-7:30 3/1-3/15	Baby Connection 6:30-7:30 1/5-1/12 2/2-2/16 3/2-3/23	School Skills 5:30-7:30 1/26-2/23 3/2-3/30		Gym Dads 6:15-7:45 3/10-3/31			Family Date Night 6:15-7:45 2/4					