



# Application for Admission 2019-2020

**Preferred Application Deadline: March 1st, 2019**

## I. Basic Information

CHILD'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_

GENDER \_\_\_\_\_ BIRTHDATE \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME \_\_\_\_\_ RELATIONSHIP \_\_\_\_\_

STREET ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

PRIMARY PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ ALTERNATE PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME \_\_\_\_\_ RELATIONSHIP \_\_\_\_\_

STREET ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

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EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

What other programs has your child participated in? \_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear of La Escuelita Arcoiris?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Website<br><input type="checkbox"/> Referral (please specify)<br>_____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Newspaper/Magazine Ad<br><input type="checkbox"/> Event<br><input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |
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PLEASE LIST OTHER CHILDREN IN THE HOUSEHOLD:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_

Are any languages other than English spoken in the home? If so, what are they?

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Date Rec'd	App. Fee	Tour Date	DB Entered	Applicant Visit	Date Accepted/Waitlisted	Contract Sent

## II. Preferred Attendance Times

Please indicate your 1<sup>st</sup> choice schedule preference with ①. If you have a 2<sup>nd</sup> choice schedule or are flexible please indicate ② in the chart below.

Program	FULL DAY 9:00-3:30pm	EXTENDED DAY 9:00-5:30pm
Older and Younger Toddler 18-36 months		
Pre-School Mixed Ages, 3-4 years old		
Pre-K Partners 4-5 years old		

\* Note: All programs are Monday through Friday

All enrollment is based on the Twelve Month Option (September through August) unless a space becomes available mid-year.

*Please also mark if you are:*

- Interested in Early Drop-off at 7:30 a.m.
- Currently receiving **Childcare Information Services (CCIS) subsidized childcare** and/or would be eligible for CCIS

When would you like your child to begin? Earliest Available \_\_\_\_\_ Summer 2019 \_\_\_\_\_ Fall 2019 \_\_\_\_\_  
Other \_\_\_\_\_

## III. Family Worksheet

We at La Escuelita Arcoiris strongly believe the following strengths set us apart from other early childhood programs. Please read these and confirm that they are your values:

- Play based, emergent curriculum, based on children's interests
- Daily outdoor time—all year long- every day
- Experiential, open-ended activities and art (without protective clothing)
- Volunteer-based parent involvement
- Spanish immersion in both language and culture

Please take your time in answering the following questions. The information you provide will help us gain insight into your thoughts regarding early childhood experiences.

**Please use the back of this sheet if needed**

### Preschool Development:

1. How does the Escuelita philosophy align with your long-term educational goals?

2. Please note any details about your child that would be helpful to the teachers. For example, special interests and abilities.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
3. Does your child have any special physical characteristics; any behavioral, medical, or emotional problems to overcome? Does your child have an IEP?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
4. What types of activities do you do as a family? Describe an engaging activity that you enjoy with your child.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
5. How do you as an adult learner spend your time?

**Discipline:**

1. We believe that setting boundaries in preschool encourages self-control, self-direction, communication and cooperation. Can you describe some of the boundaries you set for your child at home?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
2. What parenting resources do you find most helpful?

**Immersion:**

Language programs are most effective in the long-term. **We hope that students who begin at two or three years of age stay through kindergarten and continue as a student in later years.** Can you tell us how long you plan to remain enrolled in the program and what plans you have after La Escuelita Arcoiris.

**Volunteerism:**

We count on our families to help our program thrive. Volunteering creates a positive relationship with your child’s school, builds community for all, and ensures that your child will blossom in his or her first educational setting. Service is accepted in many form, but will be totalled up to 25 hours per year. How would you consider contributing your volunteer time to La Escuelita?

A non-refundable application fee of **\$25.00** must be enclosed with your completed application. Checks should be made payable to **La Escuelita Arcoiris**, with **Application Fee** in the Memo line, and sent to **P.O. Box 81727, Pgh, PA 15217.**

PARENT OR GUARDIAN

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

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ALL INFORMATION WILL BE CONFIDENTIAL.  
A CHILD’S ADMITTANCE INTO THE SCHOOL  
IS AT THE DISCRETION OF THE DIRECTOR.

NON-DISCRIMINATORY POLICY  
La Escuelita Arcoiris welcomes  
children of all races, religions, and  
national origins.

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