

Mt. Edgecumbe Preschool
Application for Tuition Scholarship

Mt. Edgecumbe Preschool provides education for children age 3-6 in the Sitka-Mt. Edgecumbe area. We admit students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin to all programs and activities made available to students at our school. Mt. Edgecumbe Preschool is committed to providing a quality program that reflects the diversity of the community we serve. In order to make this possible, a scholarship fund has been established to provide tuition assistance.

!!!Important – Please Read!!!

All tuition scholarship applicants must apply for alternate sources of financial aid as provided in their parent information packet. This includes:

- *State of Alaska, PASS I, II or III Child Care Assistance Program*
- *Tlingit & Haida Central Council, Child Care Development Fund*

Please contact the Mt. Edgecumbe Preschool staff to obtain applications for either program, for further information or to fill out & submit the application directly from the school. Staff is available to assist applicants through the process, provide resources & assistance.

The Mt. Edgecumbe Preschool Scholarship Committee meets only twice per school year: once in September, and once in January. **Scholarship applications must be received no later than the first week in September if a scholarship is needed for September through December, and no later than the first week in January if a scholarship is needed January through May.**

Applicants for tuition scholarships should submit their signed Tuition Contracts (see parent information packet) after their scholarship application has been reviewed and the applicant has been notified of the Scholarship Committee's decision.

A portion of tuition will be awarded to qualified applicants. Awards will not cover 100% of tuition; parents are expected to pay the difference in the amount each month. Once awarded, this amount will be fixed for the entire application period (September-December or January-May). **All tuition scholarships expire at the end of the award period.** Parents must submit a Scholarship Application Review Sheet or submit an initial Application for Tuition Scholarship for scholarships at the beginning of a new award period (September or January).

Fill In All Fields of the Application

1. Child/Children's Name: _____
2. Parent(s) Name(s): _____
3. Address: _____
4. Phone Numbers: _____ Home/Work: _____

5. Scholarship needed for:

	<u>Estimated Monthly Tuition</u>	<u>Monthly Amount You Are Able to Pay</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Preschool Class	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Preschool Class & Extended Care	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Kindergarten Discovery Class	_____	_____

6. Have you applied for any other aid to assist with Mt. Edgecumbe Preschool tuition costs? Please describe and attach a copy of an acceptance or denial letter:

All tuition scholarship applicants must apply (even if denied) for alternate sources of financial assistance to receive a scholarship at Mt. Edgecumbe Preschool.

7. Do you receive financial aid from any other sources (i.e. – another parent or a government subsidy)? Please describe:

8. List any other dependents living in your home:

Name	Age	Relationship
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

9. Is either parent from the child's primary household enrolled as a student?

Yes – Full Time or Part Time (circle one)

If so, please provide the name of the school:

No – Currently Paying Student Loans

No

10. Briefly describe why you are applying for a scholarship with the preschool:

11. Describe why it's important for your child to attend Mt. Edgecumbe Preschool:

12. Are you able & willing to contribute to the preschool in other non-financial ways? If so, please tell us how you can:

- Open House Set Up
- Fundraising Coordinating
- Sitting on the Board of Directors
- Extra Parent Help
- Playground Maintenance
- Weekly Chores (ie, recycling, organizing library)
- Office Tasks
- Other: please list

13. Are there any other circumstances that you feel should be considered in your application for this scholarship?

Signature of Applicant

Date

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