ELK ISLAND CATHOLIC SCHOOLS
Seeing Christ in Everyone

Pre-Kindergarten FACT SHEET

IS MY CHILD ABLE TO GO TO PRE- KINDERGARTEN?

Pre-Kindergarten is for community children or those who have mild, moderate or severe delays in their development. The goal is to develop the child's strengths and skills in a playful, language and numeracy rich early years environment. Space is limited in some communities.

AGE REQUIREMENTS:

Community Children	4 years of age before December 31st
Mild or moderate special education needs	4 years of age before December 31st
Severe developmental delays	3 years of age before December 31st

DOES YOUR CHILD HAVE AN ASSESSMENT?

YES

If your child has a formal report or diagnosis dated after March 1, 2017 from a healthcare professional or is scheduled to receive an assessment after March 1st, you are invited to contact Marg Schimpf, Early Learning Consultant at margs@eics.ab.ca

NO

If your child does not have a formal report or diagnosis from a healthcare professional, please complete the Pre-K Application Form on the website. You will be contacted by a team member to book a Pre-Kindergarten Screening session.

During the screening session, a Speech Language Pathologist and an Occupational Therapist will work with your child using a variety of fun activities while you are in the room.

By the end of the screening you will learn if your child is eligible for government funding or will be accepted as a community child ($200 per month tuition).