



Even Start Program Family/School Partnership Philosophy:

- A child's achievement is more closely related to the educational climate in the home and to the degree of parental involvement than it is to the quality of the school.
- A positive self-image is essential for educational success. It can best be developed at home by the child's first teacher—the parent—through a warm and loving relationship between child and parent.
- The family and community are stakeholders in the educational process.
- When parents and teachers are involved cooperatively in the education of a child, he/she has a much greater chance of being successful in school.



Happy Learning!

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Even Start R-H Preschool Program



*Providing preschool
programs to the
Rush-Henrietta community
for over 29 years.*

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The Rush-Henrietta Even Start Program is:

- a quality multi-cultural program of the Rush-Henrietta Central School District offering developmentally-appropriate curriculum and a family literacy preschool experience.
- a fee-based preschool program for children three to five years old, concentrating on family involvement in your child's education.
- a fee-based family literacy program for children eight weeks to three years old who have a parent in the Adult Literacy Program.

Even Start Program Details:

- Morning preschool program is available. Afternoon preschool may be available.
- For 3- to 4-year old program, a child must turn three by December 1 in the school year for which they are enrolled.
- Program for 8-week-old infants to 2-year olds may be available; a parent must be in the building during program.
- The last day to register for any school year program is April 1.
- This family literacy program operates in conjunction with the Adult Literacy Program.
- All programs operate Monday—Friday.
- All programs start the second week of school then follow the school district calendar until a designated end date.
- Registration begins in March. Parents may register their child(ren) for three, four, or five days per week. When registering, an enrollment packet, and instructions on how to schedule a required orientation meeting will be provided.
- Annual, non-refundable registration fee is \$25 per child. Monthly enrollment fees are billed the month prior to services being provided. Contact us for the current program rates.

Even Start is a program of the Rush-Henrietta Cub Care Zone (C²Z).

The Cub Care Zone (C²Z) provides fee-based child care options to the Rush-Henrietta community, including:

- Before and after school care to our school-age students
- Even Start Preschool Program
- Universal Pre-K Extended Day for UPK students attending an R-H district building
- Non-school day care when school is not in session



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