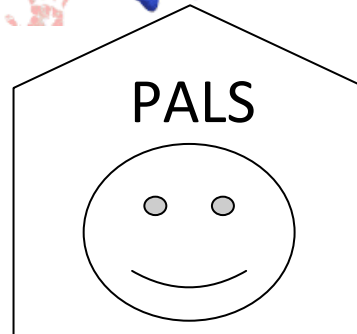


PALS Play and Learn School is a non-sectarian, privately owned preschool located in Hillsborough, New Jersey.

The school is fully licensed and certified by the state. PALS Play and Learn School has been in the Hillsborough area for over 25 years. Our sessions include half day options as well as 3/4 day and others in between, either morning or afternoon, 2, 3 or 5 days a week.



PALS Play and Learn School offers a program that encourages learning and individual growth. We know your child is important to you and his/her development is important to us as well.

Our program is designed to prepare your child socially and academically for kindergarten. Some of our activities include:

- Creative play, drama, imagination
- Learning more about the world around you and the people in it
- Simple Science concepts and experiments
- Numerical concepts: understanding numbers, counting, sizes and shapes
- Socialization: self-esteem, learning to share, waiting your turn, enjoying cooperative play with others, manners, respect
- Reading readiness: phonics, recognizing and forming letters, sight words
- Exposure to computers
- Physical movement: large and small muscle control, movement
- Music: rhythm, dance, songs, games
- Art: painting, collage, putting creative ideas on paper, cutting, gluing
- Language development: learning new words, verbalizing your ideas, feelings and experiences, speaking in front of a group
- Problem solving: exploring, questioning, sorting and classifying
- Field trips and visits from Fire Department and other community helpers
- Learning Centers: weekly, adult-directed, enriching the curriculum in the areas of Math, Reading/Literacy, Science, Computers and Sensory

Our classrooms are always open to parent visitation. We do ask that visits be short so as not to disrupt the class.

PALS Play and Learn School has been servicing the Hillsborough/Belle Mead/Manville community for over thirty years. PALS is a fully licensed and certified child care center.

The owner, Mrs. Lisa Webster is on the premises and teaching five days a week along with Mrs. Terri Alboum, teacher of the Pre-K classes and Mrs. Donna Geary, teacher of the Nursery classes. Mrs. Webster holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Elementary Education and a Master of Arts degree in Counselor Education. Mrs. Alboum holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Elementary Education and Mrs. Geary holds a Bachelor of Arts in Psychology with a double minor in Early Childhood Education and Social Work and a Master of Arts in Developmental Psychology. She is also working towards her teacher certification.

All staff members are trained in pediatric CPR, first-aid and Epi-pen administration.

CLASS DESCRIPTIONS

NURSERY CLASSES – for children 2 ½ - 4 years old. The class meets 2, 3 or 5 days per week.

- Pull-ups accepted
- Emphasis on socialization: sharing, taking turns and creative play
- Emphasis on small motor development: correct way to hold pencil, scissors, crayon
- Introduction to colors, numbers (1-10), shapes, a selection of letters of the alphabet
- Adult-directed learning centers in Reading/Literacy, Math, Science, Sensory and Computers

PRE-K CLASSES – for the 4-year-old children who will *probably* enter kindergarten following year. This class meets 3 - 5 days per week. This program provides a balance of academics and socialization.

- Emphasis on the alphabet, numbers (1-25), review of colors and shapes
- Strengthening of small motor skills: use of pencil, scissors, etc...
- Strengthening of socialization: imaginative play in small and large groups
- Adult-directed learning centers in Reading/Literacy, Math, Science, Sensory and Computers

“K” PREP – Classes meet 3 - 5 days a week. This is for the older “4” and for the young “5” who will miss the kindergarten cut-off. At least 1 year of pre-school experience is required. This class offers the continued use of small and large motors skills and daily projects that are more detailed and involved. Seatwork will be done to strengthen reading and math readiness skills. This class is also designed to prepare the children for the more structured kindergarten day and will introduce the concept of working independently. Skills will include phonics, blends, rhyming words and basic addition and subtraction. More in-depth exploration of the learning centers can be expected.

****We also offer a Reading/Writing Enrichment for Kindergarteners (please inquire!)****

FEE SCHEDULE

2015-2016 SCHOOL YEAR

REGISTRATION

\$50.00 plus September tuition

TUITION

	2 Day	3 Day	5 Day
Half day	\$240/mo.	\$275/mo.	\$375/mo.
¾ Day (3:30pm max)	\$460/mo. (9am)	\$525/mo. (8:45 am)	\$670/mo. (8:45 am)
One Time Early Drop-tion	\$20 – 8 AM drop	\$20 – 7:45 AM drop	\$20 – 7:45 AM drop
LUNCH BUNCH hour	\$50/month	\$70/month	\$90/month
Early Bird/Nite Owl (8-5:30)	\$560	\$670	\$800

PAYMENT

Registration fee and first month tuition due with submission of registration form and can be paid by check or cash only (no credit cards)

June tuition due on the first class day in September

October through May tuition due on the first class day of the month

Subsequent monthly payments may be made by credit card and cycle billing is available.

LUNCH BUNCH available for extra monthly charge with all classes or by “drop in” for \$10/day

LUNCH BUNCH lunch provided by family, not the school, and must be NUT-free

Sibling discount of \$25/student per month

REGISTRATION FORM

Please register _____ in PALS Play & Learn School for the 2015-2016 school year in the class CIRCLED below:

PRE-K CLASSES (circle days, then time)

NURSERY CLASSES (circle days, then time)

M/W/F OR M - F

T/TH OR M/W/F OR M-F

8:45 - 11:45

9:00-11:30

12:30 – 3:30

9:00 – 3:30

8:45 – 3:30

Early Bird/Nite Owl Option (8-5:30)

Early Bird/Nite Owl Option (8-5:30)

“K” PREP (circle days, then time)

M/W/F OR M - F

8:45 – 11:45 12:30 - 3:30 8:45 - 3:30

Early Bird/Nite Owl Option (8-5:30)

Please add the LUNCH BUNCH option for an extra monthly charge (check here) _____

Inquire about adjusting amount of days as well as days of the week to meet your schedule

Enclosed is my registration fee in the amount of _____. I understand that this registration fee holds my child’s place in the class selected and that the fee includes tuition for the first month of school in September 2015. I also understand that this entire fee will not be refunded should I subsequently decide not to have my child attend PALS during the 2015-2016 school year.

I understand that PALS expects my child will remain in its program through the entire school year. As an indication of my commitment to doing this, I will pay for the month of June on the first day of class in September. I understand that tuition for each subsequent month is due on the first day of class in that month and that my June payment is also non-refundable should I withdraw my child early from the program.

I understand that space in the class I have selected is limited and will be filled on a “first come/first served” basis.

Signed _____

Date _____

FOR OFFICE USE

Date received: _____ check # : _____ amount: _____ Class: _____ Received by: _____

PALS FAMILY INFORMATION FORM

CHILD'S NAME: _____ Birthdate: _____ Gender: _____

Address: _____ Email: _____

FATHER'S NAME: _____ Home Phone: _____

Home address: _____

Employer: _____ Business phone: _____

Business address: _____

MOTHER'S NAME: _____ Home phone: _____

Home address: _____

Employer: _____ Business phone: _____

Business address: _____

CHILD'S DOCTOR: _____ Phone #: _____

Address: _____

IN THE EVENT neither parent is available, the persons authorized to pick up child and/or be contacted in an emergency are (this does not replace a specific carpool letter that is needed on file for families):

Name: _____ Name: _____

Relationship: _____ Relationship: _____

Address: _____ Address: _____

Phone #: _____ Phone #: _____

Does your child have any brothers or sisters? _____ How many? _____

Names/Ages: _____

Is your child right-handed? _____ Left-handed? _____ Undecided? _____

Does your child have any allergies or medical conditions? _____

Does your child have any fears? _____

Additional comments? _____

Referred to PALS by: _____