



Head Start



Pre-kindergarten Programs



Your 4-year-old child may be eligible to attend Durham County's More at Four Program, Head Start, and/or Durham Public Schools to prepare at-risk 4-year-olds for kindergarten.

There are two ways to apply:

1) You may call **919-403-6950 ext. 6820** beginning February 8, 2010 to **set an appointment time between** Feb. 15 and March 31, 2010.

OR

2) Come by one of the following Durham County Head Start offices beginning Feb. 15, 2010. A family counselor will assist parents in filling out the application.

- 215 Seminary St. (across from McDonald's and the YMCA)
- 1313 Halley St. (Lyon Park)
- 908 Liberty St. (Leathers Meacham)

Children must be 4 years old by August 31, 2010 (born between September 1, 2005 and August 31, 2006) to be eligible for pre-k programs.

Required materials needed from parents for application:

- Copy of child's birth certificate.
- Current child immunization records.
- Proof of child's chronic health conditions, if applicable.
- Proof of IEP (Individualized Education Plan) or private service plan if applicable.
- Proof of current address in Durham County. (lease/mortgage or utility statement)
- Proof of **all** household income. (2009 W-2 **and** 1 month of household income)
- Copy of child's Medicaid card if applicable.
- If the parent/parents are students, proof of school enrollment, scholarship awards and grants.



Please remember: applications will not be processed without necessary documentation.



Durham's Partnership for Children, a Smart Start Initiative, helps fund a portion of these services to ensure young children receive quality educational experiences to prepare them for school and life