

## Parent Information

### Attendance

- ◆ Your child's daily attendance is crucial for academic growth. Enrollment in prekindergarten is not mandatory, but children who do enroll are under the same attendance rules as other students and are expected to attend class daily.

### Tardiness

- ◆ Our school day begins promptly at 7:30 am. Tardiness disturbs classroom routines and hinders your child's progress.

### Behavior

- ◆ Seguin practices Conscious Discipline to create a safe and productive environment for all students. Classroom rules are established by teacher and student input.

### Meeting with the Teacher

- ◆ If you would like to discuss your child's progress, please schedule an appointment with child's teacher. Appointments may be scheduled by email or by leaving a message on the teacher's voicemail.

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### Awards

- ◆ Childhood Excellence Award
- ◆ H.E.B Excellence in Education Semi-Finalist in the Early Childhood Division

### Quick Facts

- Designated by LCISD, in 2012, as a full day PreKindergarten campus
- First and only full day PreK program in LCISD
- Students are zoned from seven of Lamar's elementary campuses.
- On a weekly basis, students attend music, PE, library, science lab and computer classes.
- Bus transportation is provided to and from the Seguin campus

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Welcome to  
PreKindergarten!

Seguin Early  
Childhood  
Center



# Who We Are!

The Seguin Early Childhood Center is a full day instructional program designed to provide child-centered and developmentally appropriate experiences for four-year-old children. Our goal is to provide a learning environment that inspires curiosity, builds confidence and fosters a love of learning.

## Instruction includes:

- Implementation of Balanced Literacy lessons to develop both oral and emergent literacy skills
- Small and large group lessons that include phonological awareness, vocabulary, letter knowledge and comprehension skills.
- Math instruction that includes the use of concrete objects and manipulatives to problem solve.
- Scientific investigations that allow students to explore, observe, predict, compare, discover and problem solve through hands on activities.

Our program is designed to give children important social, emotional and thinking skills needed for success.



- ◆ Exposing children to books and all of the conversations that surround them is an important ingredient to building early literacy skills. Reading books aloud to children stimulates their imagination and expands their understanding of the world. The Seguin Early Childhood students visit the library weekly and benefit from the meaningful early literacy experiences available through storytime.
- ◆ Research shows that exposure to music can improve children's ability to learn. Music and movement instruction has been shown to improve children's memory, cognitive development, learning skills and expressive ability.
- ◆ The quality PE program at Seguin Physical Education prepares students to be physically and mentally active, fit and healthy!
- ◆ Waterford is a curriculum used on the Seguin campus to enhance literacy, math and science concepts. It is a technology based program used in our computer lab as well as in the classrooms.

## Is My Child Eligible for PreK?

Students must be four by September 1 and meet one of the following criteria:

- ◆ Limited English proficiency/Unable to speak or comprehend English
- ◆ Economically disadvantaged? Qualify for free or reduced lunch
- ◆ Homelessness
- ◆ Child of an active, deceased or injured member of the United States armed forces
- ◆ Has ever been in state foster care

## Registration Process

Parents/Guardians may register online utilizing their own devices or are welcome to use Seguin computers.

## Need to bring?

- ◆ Certified Birth certificate
- ◆ Immunization record
- ◆ Original Social Security card for the child
- ◆ Proof of address
- ◆ Record of shots