



Village Nursery School, Inc.

PO Box 184, Harvard, MA 01451

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Dear Parents:

It is enrollment time for the 2025 – 2026 school year, **our 72nd year educating children!** Please return your application to VNS with the non-refundable application fee (\$50 for the first child, \$25 for each additional child). Applications can be returned by email, dropped off at the VNS office, or by mailing to VNS at PO Box 184, Harvard, MA, 01451.

All program spaces are filled by lottery, if necessary. Once admissions are determined, every effort will be made to accommodate parents' preferences in class assignments. However, the Director's discretion will be used in balancing classes to achieve an optimal preschool experience for the students. Staff teaching assignments are also made in the same manner and determined in the spring; **there are no guaranteed staffing assignments for the upcoming year.** Notification of acceptance to current families will be sent out February 15, 2025. Notification of acceptance to new families will be sent out on March 1, 2025. Once they have been sent out, VNS will issue an enrollment contract to each student. Upon receipt of this contract, you must return a signed copy to the school with a 10% non-refundable tuition deposit, by April 1st, 2025. **If the contract and deposit are not received within 2 weeks, we will assume you are not enrolling your child and the spot will be offered to the next person on the waiting list.** A second 10% payment will be due May 1st, 2025.

Please refer to age requirements below, no exceptions will be made if your child does not meet the requirements.

- If you are applying for a 2-Year-Old program: your child must be 2 years old by Dec. 1st, 2025
 - Our 2.9 program serves children who are 2 years, 9 months old by Jan. 1st, 2026
- If you are applying for a 3-Year-Old program: your child must be 3 years old by Dec. 1st, 2025
- If you are applying for a Young Fours program: your child must be turning 4 between Sept. 1st, 2025 and Feb. 1st, 2026
- If you are applying for a Pre-K program: your child must be 4 years old by Sept. 1st, 2025

Tuition Payment Options

- VNS offers extended payment plans.
- VNS accepts payment by cash, check, direct debit, and credit card.
- Discounts for siblings as well as for payment in full will be available.
- Military discount. Please see Maureen for information and application for this discount.
- We offer financial assistance in the form of partial payment tuition grants for families with need. Please complete and sign an application to be considered for financial aid. See Maureen for an application.
- All applications are strictly confidential and can be dropped off at the school, or mailed to:

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PO Box 184

Harvard, MA 01451

For questions regarding enrollment, please contact VNS Director, Maureen Bajko, at 978-456-3993 or info@villagenurseryschool.org

Sincerely,

Maureen Bajko, VNS School Director



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Application for Admission

2025 – 2026

Please return this application with the non-refundable application fee (\$50 for the first child; \$25 for each additional child) payable to: **Village Nursery School, PO Box 184, Harvard, MA 01451**

Program

Selection:

Child's Name

Last

First

Nickname

Date of Birth

Gender

Telephone

Home Address

Mailing Address

Parent's Name

Email Address

Cell Phone

Work Address

Occupation

Parent's Name

Email Address

Cell Phone

Work Address

Occupation

If your child has had any previous experience in daycare, preschool, early intervention, or receives any services, please describe

How did you learn about Village Nursery School?

Referral

Internet

Advertisement

Other (please note)

Parent Signature

Date



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Note: VNS reserves the right to modify class offerings based on enrollment and balance. Tuition is based on a 36-week calendar.

Overview of Programs

2-Year-Old Program – A two-day program (9 am - 12 pm) designed for children who turn 2 **by Dec. 1st, 2025**. This class is a great way to provide socialization and age-appropriate activities to your young child in a consistent environment. Emphasis is on language development, sensory exploration and general classroom navigation.

2.9 Class (January – June) – A one-day class (9 am - 12 pm) for children who are 2 years, 9 months old by **Jan. 1st, 2026**. This smaller class provides a wonderful introduction to the classroom environment and the preschool day.

3-Year-Old Program

- A selection of classes designed for children who turn 3 **by Dec. 1st, 2025**.
- These programs are offered as a two or three day option.
- These classes are offered as a **Split Class**. From September to December, children attend 8:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m. Beginning in January, the class will go until 12:45 p.m. Children have lunch at school and have additional time for classroom activities.

Young Fours Program

- The **Young Fours program** is suited for children who will have another year at VNS before they will be going to Kindergarten. These children turn four **between Sept. 1st, 2025 and Feb. 1st, 2026**.
- Young Fours runs 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Pre-K Program

- The **Pre-K program** is geared toward preparing children to attend Kindergarten the following year, while continuing to maintain the importance of play in preschool. These children turn four **by Sept. 1st, 2025**.
- There are two Pre-K classes: Pre-K 1 runs 8:45 a.m. – 12:45 p.m. and Pre-K 2 runs 9 a.m. – 1 p.m. Enrollment is decided by the VNS Director.

Friday Creative Connections

- This class is offered on Fridays (9 a.m. – 1 p.m.) for Pre-K and Young Fours children only. This literature-based program offers explorations in art, nature, and science.

Extended Day Options *If applicable, Extended Day Options will be included in your contract for the 2025 – 2026 school year*

Early Morning Drop-off – This option enables families who have early morning commitments to start their day at Village Nursery School at 8 a.m. Early Morning Drop-off is between 8 – 9 a.m. You must sign up for regular weekly attendance.

Afternoon Program – This program provides a lightly structured program for families who need a more extensive preschool program. It is offered Monday – Friday after VNS class until 3 p.m. Children will enjoy activities, projects, playtime, as well as a required rest time. Pick up time for extended day is 3 p.m. You must schedule your child to attend on a regular weekly basis for the entire school year. *Students must be in the Three's, Young 4's or Pre-K to be eligible for this program.*

Late Afternoon Program – We do not currently offer a Late Afternoon program (from 3 – 5 p.m.) If you are interested in these hours, please discuss with the director. If we have enough students, we can consider adding this service.

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Selection of Programs

2-Year-Old Program		2 years old by Dec. 1st, 2025			Annual Tuition
Indicate 1 st and 2 nd Choice					
	Monday/Wednesday	2 Days	9 a.m. – 12 p.m.	\$4,121	
	Tuesday/Thursday	2 Days	9 a.m. – 12 p.m.	\$4,121	

2.9 Program		2 years, 9 months old by Jan. 1st, 2026			Annual Tuition
Check Below if Applying					
	Friday (Jan. – June)	1 Day	9 a.m. – 12 p.m.	\$1,193	

3-Year-Old Program		3 years old by Dec. 1st, 2025			Annual Tuition
Indicate 1 st and 2 nd Choice					
	Tuesday/Thursday Sept. – Dec. Jan. – June	2 Days	8:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m. 8:45 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.	\$4,607	
	Monday/Wednesday/Friday Sept. – Dec. Jan. – June	3 Days	8:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m. 8:45 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.	\$6,923	

Young Fours Program		4 years old between Sept. 1st, 2025 and Feb. 1st, 2026			Annual Tuition
Check Below if Applying					
	Young Fours Class Monday/Wednesday/Thursday	3 Days	9 a.m. – 1 p.m.	\$6,399	
	Young Fours Class Tuesday add-on	1 Day	9 a.m. – 1 p.m.	\$2,137	
	Creative Connections Friday (shared with Pre-K students)	1 Day	9 a.m. – 1 p.m.	\$2,110	

Pre-K Program		4 years old by Sept. 1st, 2025			Annual Tuition
Check Below if Applying					
	Pre-K Class Monday – Thursday	4 Days	8:45 a.m. – 12:45 p.m. or 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.	\$8,206	
	Creative Connections Friday (shared with Young Fours students)	1 Day	9 a.m. – 1 p.m.	\$2,110	

VNS reserves the right to raise tuition 3-6% annually and to modify class offerings based on enrollment. Tuition is based on a 36-week calendar. For partial year enrollments, tuition will be prorated.

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Extended Day Options

Extended Day is billed by the hour at \$16.00 per hour for full hours only. Partial hours will be rounded up to the next whole hour. Extended Day Options are scheduled on a regular weekly basis for the entire school year. If applicable, Extended Day will be included in your contract for the 2025 – 2026 school year.

<input type="checkbox"/>	Early Morning Drop-off 8 – 9 a.m. Monday – Friday This program is available to all students	8 – 9 a.m.	Days requested: M Tu W Th F <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	\$16.00/day
<input type="checkbox"/>	Lunch Bunch 11:45 a.m. – 12:55 p.m. Monday – Friday <i>For 2-Year-Old, and 3-Year-Old programs only</i>	11:45 a.m. – 12:55 p.m.	Days requested: M Tu W Th F <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	\$16.00/day
<input type="checkbox"/>	Afternoon Extended Day 12:55 – 3 p.m. Monday – Friday For Threes, Young Fours and Pre-k programs only	12:55 – 3 p.m.	Days requested: M Tu W Th F <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	\$32.00/day