



**SUM Child Development, Inc.  
PA PRE-K COUNTS APPLICATION 2017-2018**

Snyder Union Mifflin Child Development, Inc. (SUMCD), in partnership with several local school districts, is pleased to offer Pre-K Counts to families living in Snyder, Union, and Mifflin Counties. **Pre-K Counts is a state-funded quality pre-kindergarten program operating for 180 days, with a focus on school readiness. It is a free program to families who qualify.**



**Location** Please check. (You must reside in the school district of listed location):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Middleburg Elementary School  | <input type="checkbox"/> Lewistown Children’s Center   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Selinsgrove Elementary School | <input type="checkbox"/> Mifflin County Academy        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Susquehanna Children’s Center | <input type="checkbox"/> West Snyder Elementary School |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mifflinburg Elementary School |  |

To be considered for the program, please complete the following application and submit it to:

**FOR Union or Snyder Counties:**

**SUM Child Development, Inc.  
14 South 11<sup>th</sup> St.  
Mifflinburg, PA 17844  
Attn: Brooke Penepacker  
570-966-2845  
[BPenepacker@sumcd.org](mailto:BPenepacker@sumcd.org)**

**For Mifflin County:**

**SUM Child Development, Inc.  
10 Bollinger Road  
Lewistown, PA 17044  
Attn: Brooke Penepacker  
717-242-3032  
[BPenepacker@sumcd.org](mailto:BPenepacker@sumcd.org)**

Date form Completed: \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name (Child)	First Name (Child)	Middle Initial

Child’s Date of Birth	Age	Gender	County of Residence
	2 <input type="checkbox"/> 3 <input type="checkbox"/> 4 <input type="checkbox"/> 5 <input type="checkbox"/>	Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/>	

Parent(s)/Legal Guardian Name(s)		Household (Family Size)	
Telephone: Home/cell	Work	Email	
Address			
Street	City	PA State	Zip Code



- B. Children who have a primary nighttime residence that is a public or private place not designed for or ordinarily used as a regular sleeping accommodation for human beings;
- C. Children who are living in cars, parks, public spaces, abandoned buildings, sub-standard housing, bus or train stations, or similar settings.

- Incarcerated Parent:** A child for whom one of the child's parents is currently in prison
- Individualized Education Plan (IEP):** A child who is currently enrolled in the preschool Early Intervention program with an active IEP. Verification would be a copy of the IEP or other source of documentation from the parent or Early Intervention provider.
- Migrant (Non-Immigrant)/Seasonal Student:** A migrant child has moved from one school district to another in order to accompany or to join a migrant parent or guardian who has been a migratory worker or migratory fisher within the preceding 36 months in order to obtain temporary or seasonal employment in qualifying agricultural or fishing work, including agri-related businesses such as meat or vegetable processing or working in nurseries such as Christmas and evergreen trees farming.
- Teen Mother:** A child whose mother was under the age of 18 when the child was born.

How did you hear about Pre-K Counts?

Is your child toilet trained? (not required for enrollment)

Other information you feel we may need to know about your child or your situation that could put your child at risk for success in school:

**You will be asked to provide written documentation to verify your income if you receive a slot with Pre-K Counts.**

The information you have provided will be evaluated and applicants will be ranked according to the needs assessment criteria pre-determined by Pre-K Counts guidelines. We will then contact you with information regarding your eligibility and/or selection into the program. For those who have qualified for the program, a visit and orientation will be scheduled to explain the program and paperwork necessary to start your child on the road to school readiness.

My signature below indicates that I understand the guidelines outlined above and that I have answered all questions honestly and to the best of my ability. My signature also indicates that I give permission for appropriate information to be shared with the holders of the grant in order to complete the terms within the grant relative to statistics and tracking of Early Childhood practices.

To the best of my knowledge, the information provided is accurate. I understand that I may be asked to verify or substantiate information provided.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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Parent/Guardian Name – Please Print

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Staff Verifying Income and Risk Factors Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Staff Verifying Income – Please Print

## 2017 Federal Poverty Guidelines

Your earnings must be less than 300% of poverty.

Household Size	100%	200%	300%
1	\$12,060	\$24,120	\$36,180
2	16,240	32,480	48,720
3	20,420	40,840	61,260
4	24,600	49,200	73,800
5	28,780	57,560	86,340
6	32,960	65,920	98,880
7	37,140	74,280	111,420
8	41,320	82,640	123,960