

ELIGIBILITY LETTER



Dear VPK Families,

Brevard Public Schools is excited to be offering a VPK Summer Bridge Program that will be open to eligible students **who have completed a VPK program** and who need additional support before entering Kindergarten.

Knowing that Kindergarten Readiness is invaluable to the success of a child's learning journey, this opportunity is open to VPK students who score *below the 25th percentile on the Progress Monitoring 3 of the Star Early Literacy Assessment.

The VPK Summer Bridge Program will be offered at multiple locations throughout Brevard County from June 1- July 20th. Your child will be provided with intensive, targeted early literacy instruction each day, Monday through Thursday, from 7:30-11:30. The Summer Bridge program will close from June 29-July 5 to commemorate the 4th of July holiday. Class will resume on July 6th. Breakfast will be provided daily. Please provide a snack for your child as young children's growing bodies benefit best from regular intervals of healthy fuel.

On the PM 3 of the Star Early Literacy assessment, your child scored as follows and is eligible for our VPK Summer Bridge Program:

Child's name:	
Percentile rank:	According to Rule 6A-6.0530, F.A.C., A VPK student who scores below the 25th percentile on Progress Monitoring (PM) 3 or who had a nonparticipation status of "assessment inappropriate," "failed practice," or "non-English speaker" on PM3 is eligible to participate in the Summer Bridge Program the summer before entering kindergarten.
VPK Program school name:	

****Please bring this letter as evidence of eligibility to participate in our VPK Summer Bridge Program to the school site that you would like your child to attend to complete your enrollment process.**

Tentative elementary school sites:

Endeavour, Mims, Riviera, and Creel Elementary

**Enrollment numbers may affect school site availability.*

Transportation **will be** provided for students *to the Summer Bridge site from a designated bus depot stop* but is **NOT AVAILABLE from the school site to the bus depot at the end of the program day.**

Transportation from this program will be the responsibility of each student's family. Parents must fill out the Transportation Request Form that can be found on the BPS website under the Transportation Department tab to request transportation *to the Summer Bridge site.*

We look forward to meeting you and your child and working to support your child's readiness for Kindergarten!

In partnership,
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