

Both Newbury and Bradford preschool programs are pre qualified as defined by the legislation determined for Vermont's Universal Pre K, also known as Act 166. Act 166, passed by the Vermont Legislature in 2014, provides for publicly funded prekindergarten education for a minimum of ten hours per week for 35 weeks annually for all 3, 4- and 5-year-old children not enrolled in kindergarten.

Vermont Universal Prekindergarten Education is the implementation of high-quality, effective instruction by licensed educators who use evidence-based practices within intentionally designed early learning environments. Early educators align curriculum with the Vermont Early Learning Standards while adapting experiences to support the full participation of each and every child to realize their full potential and promote successful outcomes.

There are [requirements](#) for students to receive the 10 publicly funded hours, the director of your center can review these with you.