

Important components of our program include:

- Play-based curriculum
- Hands on learning experiences
- Providing a variety of ways to learn
- Voluntary participation by families and providers
- Building Kindergarten readiness skills
- Safe, friendly environment for children to learn
- Opportunities to interact with peers
- Developing language and social friendship skills
- Support networking between parents, school and community programs

4K Frequently Asked Questions

1. How long will my student be in class during the day? 4K sessions currently are 2 ½ hours long 4 days a week (MTRF), with morning (8:00-10:30) and afternoon sessions (11:45-2:15) at the elementary and preschool sites. However, these times may be subject to change due to community feedback.

2. What type of curriculum will be used? The “Creative Curriculum” will be the model used for the 4K curriculum. This is a play based, developmentally appropriate curriculum that aligns with the Wisconsin Model Early Learning Standards.

3. Will there be bus transportation available? There will be bus transportation available to and from school. Drop-offs and pick-ups may be made at the student’s alternate child care center, as long as the location is in the Deerfield Community School District. More information will be sent regarding bussing.



- 4. Can I apply my child for early entrance into the 4k program?** All students entering Deerfield’s 4K program must be 4 on or before September 1, 2009. No early entrance requests will be granted.
- 5. When will I know my child’s placement for next school year?** Parents will receive a mailing by the end of June that explains their child’s placement for the upcoming school year. It is important to share concerns regarding this placement immediately with Mr. Becker.
- 6. Who should I contact if I have any questions?** Please contact the elementary principal, Mr. Becker, with questions at 764-5442, x5201 or at beckerm@deerfield.k12.wi.us.

Deerfield Schools 4K Learn and Play Program Mission Statement:

Every child in Deerfield should be provided the opportunity to have a positive early learning experience.



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*Providing 4 a Great
Beginning*



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