*Pre-K and Kindergarten Registration *Screening for Pre-K Only

Chaplin Elementary School is now accepting applications for the coming school year. Please call or email Kevin Chavez at 860-455-9593 or kchavez@chaplinschool.org if you have any questions.

New students registering for <u>kindergarten</u> must reach the age of **five (5)** by September 1, 2025. **Current Pre-K students are already registered in kindergarten**. Students new to CES must have proper forms completed as soon as possible. Forms can be found on <u>www.chaplinschool.org</u>, "Home School Communications" tab.

The <u>pre-kindergarten</u> program is designed to provide readiness skills to children who will be entering kindergarten the following year as well as students with special education needs. Eligible children must be **three years of age by August 31 and cannot turn 5 before September 1**. PreK forms can be found on <u>www.chaplinschool.org</u>, "Home School Communications" tab. Items *necessary* to finalize registration for both <u>Kindergarten</u> and <u>Pre-K</u>:

- 1. Birth Certificate
- 2. Immunization records
- 3. Copy of the last physical examination (not older than a year)
- 4. Health Insurance Card
- 5. Parent/Legal Guardian Photo ID & legal guardianship document (if applicable)
- 6. Proof of Chaplin residency (provide one of the following):
 - Lease, Gas Bill or Electricity Bill

PRE-K Only: Proof of Income to determine tuition. (provide one of the following):

Pay Stubs, State Budget Sheet, Unemployment, SSI or Social Security.

After CES receives these forms, parents will receive an email with online screening information

Parents/Guardians may scan the registration forms and email to: kchavez@chaplilnschool.org.

OR mail to: Chaplin Elementary School, 240 Palmer Road, Chaplin, CT 06235.

Attention: **Pre-K** or **Kindergarten**.

The selection of **Pre-K** children is made by program staff and administrators based upon previously determined criteria and a play-based developmental screen. Priority is given to: <u>first-students</u> who have an identified special need; <u>second-students</u> who will be four years of age prior to September 1; and <u>third-three</u> year olds

All attempts will be made to notify applicants of their acceptance into the program before the end of the school year.