

LODDON MALLEE PRESCHOOL ASSOCIATION

Kindergarten Central Enrolments

2025 3-Year-Old Bendigo Kindergarten Enrolment Application





























Enrolment Application Quick Guide

Please read the Kindergarten Enrolment Application Information Booklet for more information, available on the LMPA website www.lmpa.org.au

Kindergarten progression:

This application is for the 2025 funded 3-Year-Old Kindergarten Program, this program can only be accessed <u>once</u> which therefore means your child will progress to the funded 4-Year-Old Kindergarten program in 2026 and Primary School in 2027.



A second year of funded 4-Year-Old Kindergarten is only available for eligible children who are approved by and meet the Department of Education's criteria of at least 2 areas of development delay. The kindergarten teacher will be able to advise if this is an option.

Enrolment information is collected for enrolment application purposes, additional information will need to be collected from you by the kindergarten at a later date.

- 1. To be eligible for 3-year-old Kindergarten your child must turn 3 years of age on or before April 30th in the year of attendance and will need to be 3 years of age before commencing in the program. This is the minimum age requirement in Victoria.
- 2. 3-year-old Kindergarten can only be accessed once before moving on to 4-year-old Kindergarten in the following year. There is no 2nd year of 3-year-old Kindergarten.
- 3-year-old Kindergarten sessions can range from 5 hours to 15 hours per week, depending on what individual kindergartens are able to offer.
- 4. Extended sessional Kindergarten programs include additional hours before or after the normal 15 hours Kindergarten program and Integrated Kindergarten is offered at many Long Day Care services. Additional costs may apply for these programs.
- 5. Families will be required to complete a new Kindergarten Enrolment Application for their child's 4-year-old Kindergarten year (enrolments do not roll over between years).
- Applications for the first round of placement offers need to be submitted by JUNE 15th, 2024.
- Incomplete applications will not be able to be processed. Please ensure all documents are provided with your application e.g., Commonwealth Concession Card, Child's birth certificate and Australian Childhood Immunisation Register (ACIR).
- For help filling out this form, contact LMPA Kindergarten Central Enrolments on 03 5443 1229.

Completed enrolment applications and required documents are to be submitted to LMPA via:

Post, email or in person to LMPA, 53 Wills Street, Bendigo VIC 3550 enrolments@Impa.org.au

Did you know?

That the recent Victorian Government Education reforms, has led to a growing trend towards combining 3- and 4-year-old Kindergarten groups. Studies have shown that multi-age groups bring together children aged three to five years and offer unique opportunities for learning and development.

That your child is eligible for a free 3½ year old developmental assessment, prior to commencing kindergarten? This visit includes assessment of vision, co-ordination, weight, height, posture, speech, and language. Please call your local Maternal and Child Health service to make an appointment.

2025 3-Year-Old Kindergarten Application Kindergarten Preferences - Choose up to 5 (number in order of preference) BENDIGO Funded 3-Year-Old Sessional Kindergarten Programs

Assisi Kindergarten 46 Blucher Street Strathfieldsaye Ph. 5439 3833	Shine Bright Flora Hill Kindergarten 23 Somerville Street Flora Hill Ph. 5443 3861
☐ Mon/Wed 8:15am – 3:45pm	☐ Tue/Thu 8:30am – 4:00pm
☐ Tue/Fri 8:30am – 4:00pm	☐ Wed/Fri 8:30am — 4:00pm
Bendigo Preschool 90 Myrtle Street Bendigo Ph. 5443 6493	Shine Bright Heathcote Kindergarten
☐ Tue/Thu 8:30am – 4pm	Cnr Herriott & Camp Streets Heathcote Ph. 5433 2068
Doctor Harry Little Preschool	☐ Mon/Tue 8:30am — 4:00pm
243 View Street Bendigo Ph. 5443 8454	☐ Wed/Thu/Fri 9:00am – 2:00pm
☐ Mon/Fri 9:00am – 4:30pm	Shine Bright Helm Street Kindergarten 13 Helm Street Kangaroo Flat Ph. 5447 0185
☐ Wed/Fri 8:45am – 4:15pm	☐ Mon/Wed/Fri 9:00am – 2:00pm
djimbaya (BDAC) Kindergarten 119 Prouses Road, North Bendigo Ph. 5442 4947	☐ Tue/Thu 8:30am — 4:00pm
☐ 15 hours - 2days 9:00am - 4:30pm	Shine Bright Huntly Kindergarten 21 Stephenson Street Huntly Ph. 5448 8687
☐ 15 hours - 2days 8:30am – 4:00pm	☐ Mon/Tue 8:30am — 4:00pm
Eaglehawk Preschool	☐ Mon/Wed 8:30am — 4:00pm
15 Bright Street Eaglehawk Ph. 4311 1597	☐ Tue/Wed 8:30am — 4:00pm
☐ Thu/Fri 8:30am – 4:00pm	☐ Wed/Thu 8:15am – 3:45pm
Golden Square Kindergarten	☐ Wed/Fri 8:15am – 3:45pm
45 Panton Street Golden Square Ph. 5443 7668	☐ Thu/Fri 8:15am — 3:45pm
☐ Mon/Fri 9:00am — 4:30pm	Shine Bright Kangaroo Flat Kindergarten
☐ Wed/Fri 9:00am — 4:30pm	1 Carpenter Street Kangaroo Flat Ph. 5447 7675
☐ Tue/Thu 7:30am — 6:00pm (Extended Kinder)	☐ Mon/Tue 8:30am – 4:00pm
Havilah Road Preschool Havilah Road Long Gully Ph. 4311 1501	☐ Mon/Thu 8:30am – 4:00pm
☐ Mon/Tue 8:00am – 3:30pm	☐ Tue/Thu 8:30am - 4:00pm
	☐ Wed/Fri 8:30am – 4:00pm
North Bendigo Preschool 55 Bannister Street North Bendigo Ph. 4329 0481	Shine Bright Kennington Kindergarten 17 Crook Street Kennington Ph. 5443 7282
☐ Tue/Wed 8:30am – 4:00pm	☐ Mon/Thu 8:30am – 4:00pm
☐ Tue/Thu 8:30am — 4:00pm	☐ Tue/Wed/Fri 9:00am – 2:00pm
☐ Wed/Thu 8:30am – 4:00pm	Shine Bright Maiden Gully Early Years Hub 9 Westbury Boulevard Maiden Gully Ph. 4416 1099
Shine Bright Axedale Kindergarten High Street Axedale Ph. 5439 7549	☐ Mon/Tue 8:30am – 4:00pm
☐ Mon/Wed 8:30am – 4:00pm	☐ Wed/Thu 8:30am – 4:00pm
	☐ Wed/Fri 8:30am – 4:00pm
Shine Bright Elmore Kindergarten	☐ Thu/Fri 8:30am – 4:00pm
65 Hervey Street Elmore Ph. 5432 6341	Shine Bright Marong Kindergarten
☐ Tue/Wed/Thu 9:00am – 2:00pm	10 Leslie Street Marong Ph. 5435 2394
Shine Bright Epsom Kindergarten	☐ Mon/Tue 8:15am — 3:45pm
46 Myrtle Road Epsom Ph. 5448 4037	☐ Mon/Thu 8:15am — 3:45pm
☐ Mon/Tue 8:30am – 4:00pm	☐ Mon/Thu 8:30am – 4:00pm
☐ Mon/Wed 8:30am – 4:00pm	☐ Tue/Wed 8:30am — 4:00pm
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☐ Integrated 3YO Kinder program

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Shine Bright Neale Street North Kindergarten 7 Neale Street Kennington Ph. 5443 7070	Shine Bright Strathfieldsaye Kindergarten 40-44 Club Court Strathfieldsaye Ph. 5439 5577
☐ Tue/Thu 8:30am – 4:00pm	☐ Mon/Wed 8:15am – 3:45pm
☐ Tue/Fri 8:30am – 4:00pm	☐ Tue/Thu 8:15am – 3:45pm
☐ Thu/Fri 8:30am – 4:00pm	☐ Tue/Thu 8:30am – 4:00pm
Shine Bright Neangar Kindergarten 25 Watson Avenue California Gully Ph. 5446 9767	Shine Bright White Hills Kindergarten 62 Raglan Street White Hills Ph. 5448 4571
☐ Mon/Wed 8:30am – 4:00pm	☐ Mon/Wed 8:30am – 4:00pm
☐ Tue/Thu/Fri 9:00am – 2:00pm	Tue/Thu 8:15am – 3:45pm
Shine Bright Spring Gully Kindergarten 113 Spring Gully Road Spring Gully Ph. 5443 5980	☐ Tue/Fri 8:15am – 3:45pm☐ Thu/Fri 8:15am – 3:45pm☐
☐ Mon/Wed 8:30am – 4:00pm	- ma/mo.roam otopm
☐ Tue/Thu 8:30am – 4:00pm	
☐ Thu/Fri 8:30am – 4:00pm	
If you choose a long day care service as one of your preferen	garten Integrated into Long Day Care nces, please call the service regarding fees and session times g your application.
Annie Galvin Early Learning Centre 2 Gladstone Street Bendigo Ph. 5441 2307	Helen Jessen Early Learning Centre 145 Crook Street Kennington Ph. 5443 5868
☐ Integrated 3YO Kinder program	☐ Integrated 3YO Kinder program
Aspire Early Education and Kindergarten Kennington 1A The Terrace Kennington Ph. 5441 1362	Jenny's ELC Bendigo Hospital Lucan Street Bendigo Ph. 5444 3991
384-386 Napier Street White Hills Ph. 5407 1391	☐ Integrated 3YO Kinder program
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Creative Garden Early Learning Centre Bendigo 174 Jobs Gully Road Eaglehawk Ph. 5446 1644	Jenny's ELC Maiden Gully 26 Glenelg Street Maiden Gully Ph. 5449 7555
☐ Integrated 3YO Kinder program	☐ Integrated 3YO Kinder program
First Grammar Bendigo 53 Sharon Street Bendigo Ph. 5442 5139	Jenny's ELC Strathfieldsaye 93 Regent Street Strathfieldsaye Ph. 5439 4774
☐ Integrated 3YO Kinder program	☐ Integrated 3YO Kinder program
Good Start ELC Bendigo 10 McIvor Road Bendigo Ph. 5444 1777	Journey Early Learning Epsom 321 Midland Highway Epsom Ph. 9005 4650
☐ Integrated 3YO Kinder program	☐ Integrated 3YO Kinder program
Good Start ELC Flora Hill	Journey Early Learning Bendigo South 215/217 High Street Kangaroo Flat Ph. 9005 4650
32 Somerville Street Flora Hill Ph. 5441 6596	☐ Integrated 3YO Kinder program
☐ Integrated 3YO Kinder program	Lightning Reef ELC
Good Start ELC Kangaroo Flat 17a Church Street Kangaroo Flat Ph. 5447 2888	74-88 Holmes Road Long Gully Ph. 5444 6666 ☐ Integrated 3YO Kinder program
☐ Integrated 3YO Kinder program	Shine Bright Maiden Gully Early Years Hub
Good Start ELC Strathfieldsaye 913 Wellington Street Strathfieldsaye Ph. 5439 4711	9 Westbury Boulevard Maiden Gully Ph. 4416 1099 ☐ Integrated 3YO Kinder program

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A parent or guardian who has <u>authority</u> in relation to the child must complete this form.

Powers and Responsibilities Authority Explanation All parents have powers and responsibilities in relation to their children that can only be changed by a court order. The Education & Care Services National Regulations refer to these powers and responsibilities as "a person with authority". It is not affected by the relationship between the parents, such as whether they have lived together or are married. A court order, such as under the Family Law Act 1975, may take away the authority of a parent to do something, or may give it to another person.

Information about	your child								
Family Name:				iven Nar	mes:				
Date of Birth:	//	D N	1ale □ F	emale		Other			
Residential Addres	s:								
Town/Suburb:								Postcode:	
Postal Address:									
Language(s) spoke	n in the home:								
This child lives □	with parents	☐ in inform	nal kinship	care with	1			□ in permar	nent care
□ i	n foster care other	☐ in forma	al kinship c	are with _				-	
Does your child ide ☐ Aboriginal ☐	ntify as Aborigir Aboriginal and T								es 🗆 No
Is your child from a Visa type?								Y	es □ No
(Please attach a co	py of your visa	to your child'	s applicatio	n)					
Is your child known	to the Departm	ent of Famili	es, Fairnes	s and Ho	ousing	(DFFH)/C	Child Protect	ction?□ Y	es □ No
Is your family enga	ged with an Acc	ess to Early	Learning F	acilitator				Y	es □ No
ls your child eligible (To be eligible you							en program	ı?□ Y	es □ No
Are you or your chi	ld a Concession	Card / Vete	ran Affairs						
(If <u>yes</u> , please attac	ch a copy of you	r card to you	r child's ap					Y	es 🗆 No
Does your child have	e a prior conne	ction to your	1 st prefere	nce by th	ne way	of a siblir	ng in the pa	ast 3 years?□ `	Yes □ No
If <u>yes</u> , Child's Name	e:		Name of s	ervice: _				Year:	
Is your child curren Kindergarten?									
If <u>yes,</u> Name of Lor	ng Day Care cer	ntre:							
Information about the or court order. Parental and authority which, by	responsibility is a te	rm defined unde	er section 610						
Parent □ Guard	ian□ Other			Paren	ıt 🗆	Guardian	ı□ Othe	er □	
Name:									
Residential Addres	s - as above or:			Resid	ential			or:	
Telephone number	S.			-		numbers.			
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Email:						7:4h- /:f4			
Country of Birth (if Date of arrival in Au								·	
Do you require an I								□ Yes	
If yes, what language	•						•	eak?	
Does the child live				-			-	nt/guardian?	
□ No □ Yes	Sometin	_		□ No		llid live wit □ Yes	Some □	•	
Single parent family			□ No				_ 500		

Are the Family L	orders relating to the child re any court orders, parenting orders [s64B (1) of the Family Law Act 1975 (Commonwealth)] or parenting plans aw Act 1975 (Commonwealth)] relating to the powers, duties, responsibilities, or authorities of any person it to your child?	n relation to y	our child or
Please	note: if there are no court orders in place, both parents have equal rights. describe these changes and provide the contact details of any person given these powers:		
My child Angl Benc Child Depa Malle Milde Othe Our Cas My co The cas Child's Does yo	rt Services d has a Caseworker at one or more of the following services (please tick if applicable) icare Vic Family Care (Child Protection/Family Services/Access to Early Learning) digo and District Aboriginal Services (BDAC) d FIRST/Orange Door artment of Families, Fairness and Housing (DFFH) see Family Care (Child Protection/Family Services/Access to Early Learning) ura and District Aboriginal Services (MDAS) ser service is: seworker is: seworker is: hild had a caseworker at DFFH/Child First/Orange Door/Anglicare/Mallee Family Care (Child Protection se was closed on: health and wellbeing information our child have any additional specific needs? ism, Asperger's, ADHD, Developmental Delays, Physical impairment (i.e., hearing, sight, mobility) loes your child have a diagnosis.	n). □ Yes	□ No
	d has been diagnosed with:		
	provide details of any special needs:		
If any n	on-diagnosed specific need(s), please describe:		
My child	d is on the waiting list for NDIS/Early Intervention	□ Yes □ Yes	□ No
	ies rour child have any allergies, sensitivities, or intolerances? provide details.	Yes	□ No
Anaph Has yo	ylaxis ur child been diagnosed at risk of anaphylaxis? provide details.		□ No
Has yo	a, Diabetes & Epilepsy our child been diagnosed at risk of asthma, diabetes, or epilepsy? provide details.		□ No
Immur Has yo	nisation record "No Jab, No Play" our child been immunised?	Yes	□ No
If not, p☐	please provide a copy of their ACIR Immunisation History Statement blease select one of the following. my child qualifies for the 16-week Grace Period my child is on a reconsider immunisation catch up plan, if so, please attach a copy as who meet any of the following criteria are eligible for the 16-week grace period. Children known to the Department of Families, Fairness and Housing (DFFH)/Child Protection Children identified as Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander, Children who are of refugees or asylum seekers background, Children who, or whose parents hold a current Commonwealth concession card (Health Ca Concession Card), Veterans Affairs Gold/White card or Immi card, Children in the care of an adult who is not their parent, Children in Emergency Care, Children who have been evacuated following an emergency. I,(parent/guardian/carer)	re or Pension n I provided tion to my al	is true and located
	Signature: Date:		



PARENTAL EDUCATION AND OCCUPATION DETAILS

CHILD'S NAME:				
KINDERGARTEN NAME:				
Please tick this box if there is only one parent/guardian for the child □		Parent/guardian A (Primary carer)	(Must be completed, except where there is only one parent/guardian for the child)	
Education				
Equivalent overseas education and quali	fications are recognised for	or the purposes of this data colle	ction.	
What is the highest year of primary or secondary school the	Year 9 equivalent or below			
parent/guardian has completed? (Tick one)	Year 10 or equivalent			
For persons who have never attended school, mark 'Year 9	Year 11 or equivalent			
equivalent or below'.	Year 12 or equivalent			
2. What is the level of the highest qualification the parent/guardian has completed? (Tick one)	No non-school qualification			
	Certificate I to IV (including trade certificate)			
	Advanced diploma / Diploma			
	Bachelor's degree or above			
Occupation				
3. What is the occupation group of the (See <u>Parental Occupation Index</u> on p		□А	□A	
(See <u>Parental Occupation Index</u> on p	age 2)	□В	□В	
If the parent/guardian is not currentl		□С	□С	
had a job in the last 12 months, or has retired in the last 12 months, <u>please use their last occupation</u>		□D	□D	
If the parent/guardian has not been in paid work for the last 12 months, tick 'N' OR		□N	□N	
If the parent/guardian has not been in paid work for the last 12 months because the person cares for their own children full time, tick 'H'		□Н	□Н	
Name parent/guardian (print)		Date		
Signature parent/guardian				



PARENTAL OCCUPATION INDEX

MANAGERS		
Chief Executives, General Managers and	Chief Executives and Managing Directors, Corporate General Manager, Defence Force	Α
Legislators	Senior Officer, Local Government Legislator, Member of Parliament	
Farmers and Farm Managers	Aquaculture Farmers, Crop Farmers, Livestock Farmers, Mixed Crop, Livestock Farmers	Α
Specialist Managers	Advertising, Public Relations and Sales Managers, Business Administration Managers, Construction Managers, Education, Health and Welfare Services Managers	Α
Hospitality, Retail and Service Managers	Accommodation and Hospitality Managers, Retail Managers	В
PROFESSIONALS generally with a bachelor's degree		
Arts and Media Professionals	Music Professionals, Photographers, Journalists and Other Writers	Α
Business, Human Resource and Marketing Professionals	Accountants, Auditors and Company Secretaries, Financial Brokers and Dealers, and Investment Advisers, Human Resource and Training Professionals, Information and Organisation Professionals, Sales, Marketing and Public Relations Professionals	A
Design, Engineering and Science Professionals	Architects, Designers, Planners and Surveyors, Engineering Professionals	Α
Education Professionals	Early Childhood Teachers, School Teachers, Tertiary Education Teachers	Α
Health Professionals	Health Diagnostic and Promotion Professionals, Health Therapy Professionals, Medical Practitioners, Midwifery and Nursing Professionals	Α
ICT Professionals	Business and Systems Analysts, and Programmers, Database and Systems Administrators, and ICT Security Specialists	Α
Legal, Social and Welfare Professionals	Barristers, Judicial and Other Legal Professionals, Solicitors, Counsellors, Psychologists, Social Workers, Ministers of Religion	Α
TECHNICIANS AND TRADES WORKERS		
Engineering, ICT and Science Technicians	Agricultural, Medical and Science Technicians, Building and Engineering Technicians, ICT and Telecommunications Technicians	В
Automotive and Engineering Trades Workers	Automotive Electricians and Mechanics, Mechanical Engineering Trades Workers, Panel beaters, and Vehicle Body Builders, Trimmers and Painters	С
Construction Trades Workers	Bricklayers, and Carpenters and Joiners, Floor Finishers and Painting Trades Workers	С
Electrotechnology and Telecommunications Trades Workers	Electricians, Electronics and Telecommunications Trades Workers	С
Food Trades Workers	Chefs	В
	Bakers and Pastry cooks, Butchers and Smallgoods Makers, Cooks	С
Skilled Animal and Horticultural Workers	Animal Attendants and Trainers, and Shearers, Horticultural Trades Workers	С
Other Technicians and Trades Workers	Hairdressers, Textile, Clothing and Footwear Trades Workers	С
COMMUNITY AND PERSONAL SERVICE WORKERS		
Health and Welfare Support Workers	Ambulance Officers and Paramedics, Dental Hygienists, Technicians and Therapists, Health Workers, Massage Therapists	В
Carers and Aides	Child Carers, Education Aides, Personal Carers and Assistants	D
Hospitality Workers	Bar Attendants and Baristas, Cafe Workers, Gaming Workers	D
Protective Service Workers	Police	В
	Defence Force Members - Other Ranks, Fire and Emergency Workers	С
Personal Service Workers	Beauty Therapists, Driving Instructors, Travel Attendants	D
Sports	Sports Coaches, Instructors and Officials, Sportspersons	С
	Fitness Instructors, Outdoor Adventure Guides	D
CLERICAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE WORKERS		
Office Managers and Program Administrators	Contract, Program and Project Administrators, Office and Practice Managers	В
Personal Assistants and Secretaries	Personal Assistants, Secretaries, Legal Secretaries	С
General Clerical Workers	General Clerks, Keyboard Operators	D
Inquiry Clerks and Receptionists	Call or Contact Centre Information Clerks, Receptionists	D
Numerical Clerks	Bookkeepers, Accounting, Financial and Insurance Clerks, Bank Workers	D
Clerical and Office Support Workers	Couriers and Postal Deliverers, Filing and Registry Clerks, Survey Interviewers	D
Other Clerical and Administrative Workers	Conveyancers and Legal Executives	В
	Court and Legal Clerks, Insurance Investigators, Loss Adjusters and Risk Surveyors	С
	Purchasing and Supply Logistics Clerks, Debt Collectors, Human Resource Clerks, Inspectors and Regulatory Officers	D
SALES WORKERS & MACHINERY OPERATORS, DI		
Sales Agents	Auctioneers, and Stock and Station Agents, Insurance Agents, Real Estate Sales Agents	С
Sales Representatives, Sales Assistants, Salespersons and Sales Support Workers	Sales Representatives, Sales Assistants, Pharmacy Sales Assistants, Retail Supervisors, Checkout Operator	D
Machinery Operators, Drivers and Labourers	Machine and Stationary Plant Operators, Road and Rail Drivers, Store persons, Cleaners	D

