

PATCH PRESCHOOL OPEN DOORS

The Open Application Period is
January 16 through March 28, 2024
for Preschool Tuition Subsidies for 3 & 4-year-olds
July 2024 – June 2025

Applications are being accepted for 3 and 4-year-old children born **AUGUST 1, 2019** through **JULY 31, 2021** for program participation **July 1, 2024 – June 30, 2025**.

Preschool Open Doors (POD) provides monthly preschool tuition subsidies to qualified families. Parents may choose any DHS-licensed preschool.

There are no work requirements for parents, but families must meet the gross income eligibility limits in the table below. POD has sliding fee scales, based upon State of Hawaii childcare assistance guidelines. Depending on family size and income, families may be required to pay some of the monthly tuition costs.

Family Size	Gross Income Limit
2	\$5,670
3	\$7,148
4	\$8,625
5	\$10,103
6	\$11,580
7	\$13,058
8	\$14,535

To get applications and more information
call or visit website
1(808)746-5620 www.patchhawaii.org

Or Apply Online:

<https://childcaresubsidyapplication.dhs.hawaii.gov/>

KAMEHAMEHA SCHOOLS PAUHI KEIKI SCHOLARS (PKS) PROGRAM

Pauhi Keiki Scholars (PKS) is a scholarship for eligible keiki attending KS eligible preschool in Hawaii.

- Hawaiian Ancestry
- Be a state of Hawaii Resident
- Enrolled in a PKS Eligible preschool.
- 3 & 4-year-old Keiki
- Demonstrate financial need

APPLICATION PERIOD: AUG 15-DEC 1, 2023

For aid that starts in August 2024, call or visit website for info
1 (808) 842-4682 kamehameha.schoools.edu

MAUI FAMILY SUPPORT SERVICES, INC.

QUALITY CARE FOR HAWAIIAN KEIKI

Financial aid for qualified families of Native Hawaiian/ Part Hawaiian to pay for childcare are you.

- A parent of a Native Hawaiian/ Part Hawaiian child under the age of 13 years old and up to 19 years old if special needs)
- Working or going to school 20+ hours/ week or needs assistance in order to go to work or school.
- Making less than the following based on family size

Family Size	Gross Income Limit
2	\$5,225
3	\$6,456
4	\$7,685
5	\$8,915
6	\$10,145
7	\$10,375
8	\$10,606

For more info call or email:
(808)793-2816 qchk@mfss.org

Or visit: www.mfss.org

95 Mahalani St. Bldg 5 Suite 19-B, Wailuku, HI

State of Hawaii Child Care Subsidy Program (Formerly Child Care Connection Hawaii)



Sliding scale financial assistance at DHS approved Family Child Care providers and schools. Applications accepted year-round.

- Children must be under 13 or 13-17 years with special needs.
- Parents/Guardians must be employed or in school or job training.
- Income requirements (see table below)

Family Size	Gross Income Limit
2	\$4,749
3	\$5,867
4	\$6,985
5	\$8,102
6	\$9,220
7	\$9,429
8	\$9,639

For information, go to: [Benefit, Employment & Support Services | How to Apply for Child Care Subsidy \(hawaii.gov\)](http://Benefit,Employment&SupportServices|HowtoApplyforChildCareSubsidy(hawaii.gov))
Phone: 855-643-1643 Email: HawaiiCCSU@dhs.hawaii.gov



This Brochure is brought to you by
Maui County Early Childhood Resource Center
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MAUI COUNTY CHILD CARE SUBSIDY PROGRAM

808-242-1608

Providing financial assistance to Maui County families for child care at DHS licensed family childcare providers, preschools, or infant/toddler centers.

- Child Care Subsidies for Maui County families of children birth to 36 months, and for families of 3 and 4 year-olds who do not qualify for assistance from other childcare subsidy programs.
- See table for income requirements
- Parents/ Guardians working, in school, or job training for at least 20 hours per week.
- Retired grandparents raising their grandchildren may be eligible.
- Emergency/ Special Situation considered on case-by-case basis

Family Size	Gross Income Limit 2023-24
2	\$6,759
3	\$8,350
4	\$9,940
5	\$11,531
6	\$13,121
7	\$13,420
8	\$13,718

Application period is April 1 – JUNE 30, 2024 to be considered in first pool of applicants for aid starting **AUGUST 2024**

Applications submitted after June 30 will be accepted but may have to be waitlisted pending availability of funds.

Call or Email for more info:

(808) 242-1608

mauiecrc@gmail.com

FREE OR REDUCED COST CENTER BASED CHILDCARE PROGRAMS

KAMEHAMEHA SCHOOLS

Sliding scale financial for tuition at Kamehameha preschool sites

- Hawaiian ancestry
- 3 & 4 years old

Call for more info: 808-572-3133

MAUI ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY, INC. HEAD START

Free program for 3 & 4 years olds
Regular & Extended Days

- Low Income and At-Risk Families
- Comprehensive services

Call for more info: 808-249-2988 or visit:

www.meoinc.org -MEO HEAD START

MAUI FAMILY SUPPORT SERVICES, INC. EARLY HEAD START CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTERS

Free Program

- Low Income and At-Risk Families
- 6 weeks – 36 months

For more information about Early Head Start call: (808) 242-0900 or go to mfss.org

**Hawaii Executive Office on Early Learning
Free Public Prekindergarten Program at some DOE
Elementary Schools.** Application period starts

March 1, 2024 for School Year 2024-2025.

Go to <https://earlylearning.hawaii.gov> to find the list of schools, eligibility requirements, & application form. Child must be born Aug. 1, 2019 - July 31, 2020.



2024 - 2025

Child Care SUBSIDIES

For Maui County Families

This brochure contains information about eligibility requirements and application periods for programs that can help Maui County families pay for childcare and preschool.