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Information Regarding the Statewide Voluntary Preschool Program for 4 Year-Old Children

The Maquoketa Community School District has received funding from the State of Iowa for a preschool program for 4 year-olds for the last two years. Free tuition and transportation have been provided to students who were 4 years of age by the required date of September 15th of the current school year. Cardinal Elementary Preschool, Kids of the Kingdom Preschool, Little Shepherd Christian Preschool, and Sunshine Preschool are partners of the district in this program for children.

We are currently registering students for the 2011-2012 school year, knowing that the program could remain as it currently exists, or that changes might need to be made. Currently, funding for this program is under consideration for possible funding cuts by the State Legislature. Any funding changes will have the potential to change the structure of the program at all of the preschools partnering with our district. We will keep the community informed of any changes as we become aware of new information from the Legislature or the Iowa Department of Education.

Feel free to contact me at 652-4984 with any questions you might have regarding the program.

Helen Snell
Preschool Director