

Preschool Program Monthly Summary March 2026

Enrollment

	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	March	April	May
Classrooms	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9
Total Children Enrolled	122	123	123	123	123	128	126	124		
*Head Start	80	80	80	80	80	80	80	80		
*NC PreK	86	88	90	89	90	91	89	87		
*Other (Title I, Tuition, Exceptional Children)	23	22	21	20	19	19	20	20		

*Children may be counted in more than one category

Head Start Percentage in Attendance

	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	March	April	May
All Classrooms	92%	91%	88%	91%	85%	83%	86%	88%		
Polk Central Conner	88%	94%	86%	92%	79%	70%	66%	76%		
Polk Central Crowder	90%	86%	85%	88%	90%	82%	82%	87%		
Polk Central Potter	96%	94%	91%	94%	91%	89%	92%	83%		
Saluda Freck	93%	93%	80%	88%	61%	84%	90%	89%		
Sunny View Burnett	91%	96%	93%	97%	84%	89%	93%	94%		
Tryon Eadus	88%	95%	96%	93%	98%	96%	98%	95%		
Tryon Faltraco	93%	85%	86%	85%	84%	90%	80%	90%		
Tryon Moore	95%	88%	91%	94%	92%	71%	91%	87%		
Tryon Roush	97%	96%	91%	92%	85%	90%	96%	95%		

All PreK Students Percentage in Attendance

	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	March	April	May
All Classrooms	94%	92%	90%	92%	87%	86%	88%	88%		
Polk Central Conner	89%	93%	86%	92%	80%	71%	68%	76%		
Polk Central Crowder	91%	87%	86%	88%	90%	84%	84%	89%		
Polk Central Potter	96%	96%	91%	95%	93%	92%	90%	85%		
Saluda Freck	94%	94%	85%	90%	73%	86%	89%	90%		
Sunny View Burnett	92%	93%	93%	94%	90%	88%	92%	92%		
Tryon Eadus	92%	90%	93%	89%	94%	96%	98%	90%		
Tryon Faltraco	90%	88%	87%	85%	85%	90%	82%	89%		
Tryon Moore	96%	90%	92%	92%	92%	75%	92%	87%		
Tryon Roush	98%	95%	94%	96%	93%	95%	96%	92%		

Family Services

- March attendance numbers and documentation were collected and entered in the databases.
- Attended Head Start Family Services/ERSEA Cluster virtual meeting, OEL Spring Transition Meeting and Work Session, and Prevention, Partnership, and Protection of Children, Youth and Families in Crisis.
- Planned and facilitated the Head Start Policy Council Meeting.
- Amy worked with new families for the 2026-2027 school year regarding applying, document collection, and forms.
- Worked with families of returning students to update permission forms and files.
- Held 70 enrollment appointments for 2026-2027 school year, many of them during the Enrollment Event that all County Office Staff participated in.
- Translated for several family conferences at Forbes.
- Attended a school field trip to Hands on Children Museum in Hendersonville.
- Participated in the Polk County Resource Collaborative monthly meeting.

Support Coach

- Covered for maternity leave for Mrs. Freck @ Saluda.
- Ordered supplies for classrooms.
- Maintained facilities notebook: fire drills, sanitation, licensing...

Health and Safety

- Participated in Pre-K Enrollment Event.
- Continue to collect Health Assessments and Immunizations for newly enrolled children, as well as, updating Immunization information as children continue to receive additional vaccinations.
- Training for new medication orders and use of medication, as needed
- Taught CPR classes for new Pre-K subs
- IEP evaluations and meetings, continue to address any student that there is a possible concern on.
- Completed Hearing and Vision Screenings as indicated.

Education:

- Supported teachers with completing Family Conferences
- Followed up with teachers on children we are monitoring for progress
- Supported teacher with interventions used with children in the classroom
- Ensured all teachers complete online Finch Literacy training
- Participated in Enrollment Events
- Completed Orientation on newly hired Floater and subs
- Participated in IEP and Transition meetings
- Assisted a classroom participating in Career Day at Polk Central
- Attended a Field Trip to Hands On! Children's Museum in Hendersonville with Sunny View and Polk Central classes
- Held our second School Readiness Committee meeting
- Attended online trainings on Adult Regulation in the classroom and Kindergarten Transitions

Program Management

- Submitted HS Attendance
- Submitted NC Pre-K Monthly Paperwork
- Attended budget meetings for school year 2026-2027
- Working with personnel to get more staff (teacher assistants) qualified to sub in PreK
- Attended virtual meetings with Beth Archer
- Transition meeting webinar
- Attended virtual NC EC PreK meeting
- Submitted Head Start grant application

Meals Served by Polk County Schools Department of Child Nutrition in March:

Breakfast 2323 Lunch 2220