

## **Early Childhood:** PreK Planning for 2019-20



	2018-19 # of Classrooms	# of Classrooms Available	# of Students 2018-19 AM/PM	# of Potential Students 2019-20 Full Day AM/PM*
New Trails*	11	12	243	Age 4 120
				Age 3* 120
Three Trails	8	14	272	238 Age 3*

\* 3 year old ECSE & Head Start classrooms will be available; numbers are a guesstimate

## Changes to consider for 2019-20

- <u>Full day program</u> for children that are age 4 on or before August 1, 2019
- <u>Food Services</u> would need daily breakfast, lunch and snack for both NT & 3T
  o How can we do this at New Trails? (use of BR?)
- <u>Transportation</u> provided to ECSE students but discontinue PreK, Title I and Head Start transportation services
- <u>Great Expectations</u> offer Before & After School care; need to consider options for New Trails students due to lack of group space:
  - ? Host at 3T for all students bus over to NT for start of day
  - ? Expand BR Great Expectations to include PreK students \*\*increase staffing and provide specialized training for these GE workers due to special education needs and EC age

## **Recommendations:**

- Discontinue the fee-based classroom (current enrollment 80% non-resident) allow staff members to enroll their 4 year olds in our PreK program (\*unable to claim for ADA if child doesn't live in RQS boundaries therefore employee children, that live outside RQS boundaries, will be on waitlist until July 1 then will be added as to existing classrooms but no new sections will be created)
- Discontinue Transportation for PreK, Title I and Head Start

## **Revenue Sources**

- ADA for 4 year old classrooms limited to approximately 215
- Head Start increased allocation for full day
- 100% reimbursement for ECSE services
- Potential for KC PreK sales tax funds