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Re: New Jersey Department of Education (NJDOE) Preschool Expansion Aid

Dear Washington Township School District Parents/Guardians,

As you may know, in August 2023 the district submitted an application to the New Jersey Department of Education to obtain Preschool Expansion Aid. The following serves as notification that the Washington Township School District has been approved for the Preschool Expansion Aid. Please view the October 18, 2023 press release regarding approval across the state: Office of the Governor | Murphy Administration Announces Nearly \$25 Million to Bring High-Quality Preschool to 26 More School Districts (nj.gov).

The district is eager to move forward with this endeavor, while continuing to provide optimal learning opportunities and experiences to our school community. Please note, while the 2023-2024 preschool program is currently at capacity, the district will be advertising for preschool applicants for the 2024-2025 school year in February 2024. Please be sure to check our district website and social media sites throughout the school year, for more information. Thank you for your continued support!

Sincerely,

Mr. Keith T. Neuhs Superintendent

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