

**WOODFORD COUNTY SPECIAL EDUCATION ASSOCIATION
BRIGHT BEGINNINGS PRESCHOOL CLASSROOM PROGRAM
2024-25**

INCOME VERIFICATION NOTICE - First time enrollment only

The Illinois State Board of Education requires that families enrolling students in our preschool programs for the first time provide household income verification prior to starting school. Please follow the instructions below and **bring your income verification to your child's back to school/orientation visit in August.** We can make a copy for you.

HOUSEHOLD INCOME VERIFICATION

If **one** parent in the home is working, you can bring two recent, consecutive pay stubs, most recent W2, or the most recent tax return for that parent.

If **two** parents in the home are working, you will bring two recent, consecutive pay stubs, most recent W2s for **both** working parents, or the most recent tax return for both parents.

If **no** parents are working in the home, you will bring ONE of the following: Proof of Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) enrollment, proof of Women, Infants and Children (WIC) benefit, proof of Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), proof that a parent is Medicaid eligible (medical card for health care).

If you have none of these, simply write a statement that you have no current income or services at this time.

If the child is a youth in care, DCFS or your placing agency will provide a letter for you.