CCAMPIS PROGRAM
The Preschool Academy has received a grant to help NSU students who are parents pay for their child’s preschool. The Child Care Access Means Parents in School (CCAMPIS) program is authorized by the Higher Education Act and administered by the U.S. Department of Education. The goal of CCAMPIS is to support Pell Grant eligible student-parents in completing their degree through access to high-quality child care programs and the provision of child care stipends. No matter the major or the program, parents simply must be enrolled at NSU.

ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES
• Must be receiving a Pell Grant or be Pell Grant eligible based on the FAFSA Application.
• A FAFSA must be completed and on file with the NSU Financial Aid Office.
• Be an enrolled student at Norfolk State University.
• Maintain a course load of 9 credit hours in the fall and spring and 3 credit hours in the summer, undergraduate student.
• Maintain a Good Academic Standing with the University.
• Complete 67% or more of your cumulative attempted credit hours.
• Have a GPA of 2.0 or better.

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MISSION STATEMENT
The mission of the NSU Preschool Academy is to build bright futures for children by promoting high-quality early childhood education and care while maximizing their highest potential and creating life long learners.

ABOUT US
NAEYC Accredited  
State Licensed  
Quality Rated Program through Virginia Quality  
Full- and Part-Time Services  
Within the Department of Early Childhood, Elementary, and Special Education  
Highly Qualified Staff  
For Children Ages 2.5–4.5  
Classrooms arranged to promote independence and leadership skills.  
Developmentally Age Appropriate Curriculum  
Engaging Academics  
Nutritious Snacks & Lunch  
Computer & Technology Integration  
Diverse Learning Activities  
9-Month Academic Year (September–May), Summer program (June–July)  
Operates Mon.–Fri. from 7:30 a.m.–5:30 p.m.  
Competitive Tuition

PHILOSOPHY ABOUT EDUCATION
The philosophy of the NSU Preschool Academy reflects support for developmentally appropriate practices to meet the needs of young children. It is the program’s belief that children need:

• Concrete and sensory experiences that are tangible and child-focused.

• Creative and stimulating atmosphere and environment

• Nurturing staff who understands and promotes activities that meet their social, emotional, physical, psychological and intellectual needs.

• Developmentally appropriate materials and resources to nurture a variety of learning styles.

• Sound and developmentally appropriate experiences that are stimulating and child-focused.

• Activities that are geared to the individual ages and learning styles of each child.

• Learning centers designed to encourage exploration and learning through play