# Free 4 – year-old Preschool Available in Clinton

Our goal is to prepare all eligible 4-year-old children (4 years old by September 15, 2017) to be academically and socially ready for their first day of kindergarten by participating in one of our quality preschool programs.

### **Quality Preschool:**

- 5 day-per week program
- $2 \frac{1}{2}$  hour AM/PM class (Call to check on specific times) 563-243-9600 ext. 39
- Properly licensed preschool teacher(s)
- Research-based curriculum plan
- · Ongoing staff development for the preschool teachers
- A strong home/preschool relationship
- Staff to child ration of no more than 1 to 10
- Minimum of 10 hours of curriculum-based instruction per week

### Parent Choice of Preschools:

It is our goal for parents to select the preschool of choice, based on availability of openings.

# Participating Preschools include:

- Bluff Elementary School
- Prince of Peace North Preschool/Childcare
- Stay N' Play Preschool/Childcare
- Wee School for Little People/Childcare
- YWCA Downtown Center/Preschool/Childcare
- YWCA Lyons Center/Preschool/Childcare
- Zion Preschool/Childcare

#### Costs:

There is no cost for the Clinton 4-year-old Preschool Program. The Grant funding will pay the tuition for every 4year-old.

#### Transportation:

Free transportation will be provided to and from the preschool program is desired. Transportation can also be provided to or from a care-givers address.

Note: The Clinton Community School District reserves the right to make preschool assignments based on the distance the child will need to be bussed and/or the availability of a district bus route.