

Your Preschool School Visit Checklist

Print out this sheet and take it with you on your school visit.

School name _____ Phone _____ Hours _____

Address _____ School Size _____

The school has:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Before care | <input type="checkbox"/> Clean & well-kept facilities | <input type="checkbox"/> Nap time |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Regular field trips | <input type="checkbox"/> Lunch provided | <input type="checkbox"/> Math instruction |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A safe & secure facility | <input type="checkbox"/> Music | <input type="checkbox"/> Wheelchair accessibility |
| <input type="checkbox"/> After care | <input type="checkbox"/> Accreditation | <input type="checkbox"/> Playground/outdoor space |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Art | <input type="checkbox"/> Play stations (Blocks, dress- up, reading corner, etc.) | <input type="checkbox"/> Reading instruction |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A safe neighborhood | <input type="checkbox"/> Second language | <input type="checkbox"/> Garden |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Snacks provided | <input type="checkbox"/> Accredited teachers | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dance | | |

Important questions to ask	Notes
Is the school cheerful & well-organized?	
Do you like how the teachers interact with the kids?	
Do children look happy & interested in their activities?	
Are parents encouraged/required to volunteer?	
What is the school's educational philosophy? (Waldorf, Montessori, play-based, etc.)	

Additional comments & questions