Eligibility Requirements

♦ Must live in Scott, Clinton, Cedar, or Muscatine County
♦ Child is 3, 4, or 5 years old not yet eligible for Kindergarten
♦ Family income must fall within Federal Poverty guidelines

How To Apply?

Complete the enclosed application and return with the following:

1) Child’s Proof of Birthdate
   (Birth Certificate or Immunization Record)

2) Copy of ALL ANNUAL INCOME
   Include one or more of the following documents:
   ⇒ Current filed Tax return
   (Electronic pages 1 & 2)
   ⇒ Current W-2’s
   ⇒ Social Security Income (SSI) Statement
   ⇒ Family Investment Program (FIP) notice of Decision
   ⇒ Child Support Income Statement
   ⇒ Scholarships or School Grant Notice

If you are not the applying child’s parent/legal guardian you must provide legal documentation such as DHS Foster care Placement, Safety Care Plan, or Adoption Decree. A NOTARIZED LETTER OR STATEMENT IS NOT VALID AS A LEGAL DOCUMENT.

Mail, Fax, or Drop off your completed application with Annual Income to any of these locations:

Scott County:
Community Action of Eastern Iowa
500 East 59th Street
Davenport, Iowa 52807
(563) 324-3236
Fax # (563) 324-7736

Muscatine County:
Muscatine Head Start
148 Colorado Street
Muscatine, IA 52761
(563) 264-2026

Clinton County:
Clinton Head Start
350 5th Avenue North
Clinton, IA 52732
(563) 243-1462

Cedar County:
Tipton Head Start
101 Lynn Street
Tipton, IA 52772
(563) 886-1441

Photos courtesy of Head Start Early Childhood Learning & Knowledge Center (ECLKC)

Community Action of Eastern Iowa
Head Start
3-5 years
FREE, High-Quality Preschool Program

(563) 324-3236
www.iacommunityaction.org
Head Start Provides

- FREE quality Early Childhood education for children ages 3-5 years
- Developmental curriculum
- Kindergarten Readiness
- Nutritious meals
- Health Services
- Family Support services
- Parent and child interactions
- Support for children with disabilities

About CAEI Head Start

Community Action of Eastern Iowa-Head Start has been providing comprehensive preschool programming for over 45 years. Currently the program serves over 500 children ages 3-5 and their families in Cedar, Clinton, Muscatine and Scott counties.

Our program provides full day and part day site options. *Work and/or school requirements must be met to be eligible for a full-day site.

Priority Given To

- Low Income Families
- Foster Children
- Homeless
- Teen Parents

Head Start Application

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<th>Applying Child’s Name:</th>
<th>Child’s Birth Date:</th>
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<td>Living Address:</td>
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<td>ZIP:</td>
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<td>Primary Language Spoken at Home (circle one):</td>
<td>Race (circle one):</td>
<td>Hispanic/Latino? Yes No</td>
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<td>English Spanish Other:</td>
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<td>Does this child’s family participate in any of the following programs? (circle all that apply) SNAP (Food Stamps) FaDSS (Family Development and Self Sufficiency) WIC (Women Infant &amp; Children) Promise Jobs</td>
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<td>Does this child have medical insurance? Yes No What type?</td>
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<td>Birth Date:</td>
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