



## *Pre-Kindergarten Readiness Checklist*

*Below is a list of things your child may be able to do now, or should be able to do as he/she enters Pre-Kindergarten.*

- Child can feed himself/herself and will remain seated in a chair to eat.
- Child is completely potty-trained and can manage his/her own trips to the bathroom.
  - Child can follow simple directions.
- Child can play with or near other children for 10-15 minutes without constant adult intervention.
  - Child can sit and listen to a story.
  - Child can pay attention for short periods of time.
    - Child has begun to share with others.
      - Child can follow rules.
  - Child can speak in sentences of at least 5-6 words.
    - Child can name some basic shapes.
    - Child can say/sing the alphabet.
    - Child can recognize some basic colors.
    - Child can answer a question when asked.
    - Child has begun to solve problems with words.
- Child understands that hitting is not acceptable behavior.
  - Child can separate from the parent(s).