

## ENROLLMENT GUIDELINES

1. Ruth Washburn Cooperative Nursery School seeks to enroll classes for the best available child mix to provide the most ideal educational situation for all children. Toward that goal, we enlist the following enrollment guidelines:
2. Birth date of prospective child to place the child within the appropriate class track
3. Attempt to maintain a balance of gender in each class.
4. Other enrollment factors may include: current vacancies, appropriate fit for prospective children and the current class
5. Class Track Progression (children matriculate or move down the indicated track column each progressive year):
6. Once assigned to a class, a child will remain with his or her class at RWCNS as long as he/she is a child at RWCNS, unless changed according to the change policy.

| Age      | <u>Birthday:</u><br>Fall/Winter (Sunflower Track)                  | <u>Birthday:</u><br>Spring/Summer (Bird Track) | <u>Birthday:</u><br>By September 1 (Mixed Age Bug Track)   |
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| <b>2</b> | Seeds (Must be at least 2 years 6 months on the day school begins) |  |  |
| <b>3</b> | Sprouts  | Hummingbirds                                   | Mixed Age- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 5 day honeybees (3-5 year olds)</li> <li>• Outdoor Crickets (4-5 year olds)</li> <li>• Roly-Polies (3 year olds)</li> <li>• Hoppers (3-4 year olds)</li> </ul> |
| <b>4</b> | Sunflowers   | Chickadees                                     |  |
| <b>5</b> |  | Owls   |  |

## CLASS OPTIONS AND SCHEDULES

| Class                            | Schedule             |
|----------------------------------|----------------------|
| Seeds                            | Th, F 845-1145       |
| Roly-Polies                      | Th, F 800-1100       |
| Hummingbirds                     | Th, F 815-1115       |
| Sprouts                          | M,T,W 800-1100       |
| Chickadees                       | M,T,W 815-1115       |
| 5 day Honeybees                  | M,T,W,Th,F 800-1130  |
| Sunflowers                       | T, W, Th 1215-315    |
| Hoppers                          | T, W, Th 1200-300    |
| Owls                             | M, T, W, Th 1230-330 |
| Outdoor Crickets                 | M,T, W 845-1215      |
| Explorers                        | M-Th 1100-500        |
| Early Morning-if enough interest | 730-845              |