**IMPORTANCE OF HIGH-QUALITY, PUBLICLY FUNDED PRE-K Delaware County**

**64%** of eligible children do **not** have access

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<td>Ages 3-4 live in this county</td>
<td>6,563</td>
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<td>4,191</td>
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*Eligible, high-quality providers include Head Start, Keystone STARS 3 and 4 center and group child care, PDE-licensed nursery schools and school districts. Children served data includes those enrolled in high-quality providers using public funds to support their pre-k education.*

For more information regarding high-quality, publicly funded pre-k and providers in this district, please visit papartnerships.org/mapping-tools.

The Pre-K for PA vision is to ensure that all children can enter school ready to succeed by making high-quality pre-kindergarten accessible to every three- and four-year-old in Pennsylvania.

Data is provided by KIDS COUNT: Pennsylvania Partnerships for Children
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56% of eligible children do not have access

173,570 eligible children ages 3-4 living in Pennsylvania
97,702 eligible children DO NOT have access

3,019 pre-k locations eligible* to participate
2,196 high-quality pre-k participating providers

4,885 additional pre-k classrooms needed

Support a $50 million increase (Pre-K Counts - $40M, Head Start Supplemental Assistance Program - $10M) to provide high-quality, publicly funded pre-k to an estimated 5,500 additional children in FY 2019-20.

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