

Brooklyn Kindergarten Society is a community-based organization that provides year-round high-quality early education, engaging classrooms, enriching experiences and critical family support services.

Since 1891, our mission has been to ensure children develop the social, emotional, physical and cognitive skills to succeed in kindergarten and beyond. Parents and caregivers are active partners in their children's success.

BKS was named one of the top seven school readiness programs in New York City out of 1,700 reviewed by Root Cause – Social Impact Research. We're recognized by the Robin Hood Foundation as an outstanding community-based organization.



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EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION  
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Where Brooklyn Kids Succeed  
[info@bksny.org](mailto:info@bksny.org)

## Brooklyn Kindergarten Society Locations

**Nat Azarow Children's Center  
Seth Low Houses in Brownsville**  
232 Powell Street  
Brooklyn, NY 11212  
(718) 346-0924

**Brevoort Children's Center  
Bedford-Stuyvesant**  
250 Ralph Avenue  
Brooklyn, NY 11233  
(718) 778-1069

**Edwards L. Cleaveland Children's Center  
Albany Houses in Crown Heights**  
1185 Park Place  
Brooklyn, NY 11213  
(718) 778-6559

**Sumner Children's Center  
Bedford-Stuyvesant**  
860 Park Avenue  
Brooklyn, NY 11206  
(718) 455-3471

**Tompkins Children's Center  
Bedford-Stuyvesant**  
730 Park Avenue  
Brooklyn, NY 11206  
(718) 782-9140

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**Looking for a top-rated,  
high-quality, extended-day  
preschool?**

**BKS is enrolling ages 2 to 4**

**Se habla español**

**Locations in Bedford-Stuyvesant  
Brownsville • Crown Heights**

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Call a BKS center to learn more or  
arrange a tour

Apply in person or online at  
[bksny.org/apply](https://bksny.org/apply)

Forms available in English and  
Spanish

Enrolling now for ages two to four



## What You Get at BKS Centers

- **Year-round, extended-day** (8am-6pm) subsidized preschool including universal pre-K
- **High-quality** toddler and preschool education with three teachers in every classroom
- Teachers who use **research-based methods** and understand how children learn
- Nurturing environments with **small classes** to meet your child's needs
- Certified and **bilingual** teachers with Spanish-speakers in every class
- Hands-on curriculum including daily reading, writing, math and science activities
- Classrooms designed for **active learning** and creative play
- **Cozy reading areas** and well-stocked writing centers
- Learning centers with computers, books, games, music and age-appropriate materials in every classroom
- **Family-friendly** environment where parents are encouraged to visit anytime
- Private outdoor playgrounds
- **Nutritious meals** with a hot breakfast, lunch and afternoon snack

- Individualized assistance for children with **special needs**
- Licensed **social workers** who are experts in early childhood
- **Enrichment activities** including chess, the visual arts, music, dance, drama, horseback riding, soccer, mindful life yoga and field trips

Plus, BKS Family Services provides support beyond the classroom.

- Individualized **family support** plans
- Parenting workshops, healthy cooking classes, financial planning, playgroups and GED and ESL classes
- Referral services for substance abuse prevention, mental health, employment, housing and more

