# Newtown Public Schools

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## Community Description

Type of Community: Suburban
General School Enrollment: 4000 students

## Programs and Services

### Number of Children with Disabilities Receiving Services in 2001-2002

| | |
|---|---|
| 3-year olds: | 15 |
| 4-year olds: | 28 |
| 5-year olds: | 25 |
| Total: | 68 |

### Number of School-Based Classroom(s) for Children with Disabilities in 2001-2002

Total: 2

### Location of School-Based Classroom(s)

Middle Gate School PROBE Program
Cold Spring Street
Newtown, CT 06470
Phone: 203-426-7683

Hawley School Newtown Autistic
Church Hill Road
Newtown, CT 06470
Phone: 203-426-7666

### Number of Community-Based Classroom(s) for Children with Disabilities in 2001-2002

Total: 0

### Location of Community-Based Classroom(s)

### Accreditation by the NAEYC

Number of Classrooms Accredited: 0

### Other Awards and Recognition

### Team Model

Interdisciplinary:
Multidisciplinary:
Transdisciplinary √

### Setting(s) Utilized for Programming

Early Childhood Special Education √

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|---|---|
| Number of Classrooms: | 2 |
| Number of Children: | 0 |
| Number of Typical Peers: | 10 |
| Ratio of Children: | 1:3 |

Integrated (Reverse Mainstream) Setting

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|---|---|
| Number of Classrooms: | 0 |
| Number of Children: | 0 |
| Number of Typical Peers: | 0 |
| Ratio of Children: | |

Early Childhood Public School Setting

| | |
|---|---|
| Number of Classrooms: | 0 |
| Number of Children: | 0 |
| Number of Typical Peers: | 0 |
| Ratio of Children: | |

Early Childhood Community-Based Setting

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|---|---|
| Number of Classrooms: | 0 |
| Number of Children: | 0 |
| Number of Typical Peers: | 0 |
| Ratio of Children: | |

Head Start

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|---|---|
| Number of Classrooms: | 0 |
| Number of Children: | 0 |
| Number of Typical Peers: | 0 |
| Ratio of Children: | |

Kindergarten

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|---|---|
| Number of Classrooms: | 0 |
| Number of Children: | 0 |
| Number of Typical Peers: | 0 |
| Ratio of Children: | |

### Community Collaboration Includes

Head Start:
Even Start/Family Literacy:
Family Resource Centers:
State-funded Child Care Programs:
School Readiness:
School-based Health Centers:
Other:

## Information and Resources

### Parent Information Available

| | |
|---|---|
| Parent Handbook: | |
| Written Parent Policy: | |
| Open Classroom Visitation: | √ |
| Parent Volunteer Program: | |
| Parent Advisory Board: | |
| Home Visiting Component: | √ |
| Parent-to-Parent Network: | |
| Parent Activities: | |
| Transition Information: | √ |
| Other: | |

### Other Materials and Information Available

Preschool Policies and Procedures:
Transition Packet:
Inclusion Information:
Parent/Family Information:
Community Services:
Family Support:
Community/School Activities:
Other:

## School District Philosophy/Mission Statement

## Eligibility Definition/Criteria for Preschool Special Education

## Other Information