

# Welcome to Hempstead ISD!!!



We have a wonderful opportunity for you and your 2-5 year old children! As a benefit to district employees, we have a daycare program that is a part of the Pre-School Program for Children with Disabilities.

- ✓ In this program, "typical peers" are the day care component of the PPCD programs.
- ✓ In this class, we have a certified teacher and two aides.

The typical peers are able to be "role models" and the disabled children learn from these children while teaching sensitivity to those who have "special needs." Past experience has shown the typical peers to have acquired early reading and math skills, plus be better prepared for the more structured kindergarten classroom. As an additional benefit, the hours are flexible for district employees and the cost per month, which is payroll deducted is only \$250 per month.

## The Criteria Are:

- ❖ Parents/Grandparents must be employed by the district.
- ❖ Must be between 2 and 5 years of age.
- ❖ No identified handicapping conditions.

If you are interested, please call Courtney Williams, Director of Special Education at 979.826.3304 (240). At this time, openings are dependent upon enrollment when school was dismissed for summer.