

**“We would strongly recommend the FIAF Preschool to any child. A huge thank you to the team for having helped our daughter grow in such a beautiful way!”**

—Stéphane Zuily, 2016

**“The FIAF Preschool provided my son with the best possible start on his educational pathway. In my opinion, the best French teachers in the country are teaching here.”**

—Nicole Samama, 2016

**“Our son’s teachers are extremely attentive to the well-being and development of each child. He has learned so much thanks to them.”**

—Aigue-Marine and Xavier de Jarnac, 2016

**FIAF Preschool**

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# Bienvenue!

The FIAF Preschool is a French immersion program for toddlers ages 2 ½ to 4. Our mission is to provide a joyful entry into French language and culture, combining the best of French and American teaching methods within a rich, multicultural environment.

The French Institute Alliance Française is an American nonprofit and New York's premier destination for French language and culture. Founded in 2012, our preschool is a close-knit community in the heart of Manhattan. In our warm and loving environment, your *petit* will feel right at home.



## Our Program

Taught entirely in French for a fully immersive language experience, the FIAF Preschool combines the nurturing atmosphere of an American school with the structured activities of French preschools.

Our curriculum gently introduces toddlers to reading, writing, numbers, and science. Activities such as cooking, art, and music foster creativity, while yoga and dance help children develop spatial awareness and motor skills.

### Subject Areas:

- Socialization Skills
- Language Arts
- Math & Science
- Motor Skills
- Art

Our program ensures that your child will be ready for acceptance into the top French, American, or bilingual schools. Our 4-year-olds have been accepted to the Lycée Français, Chapin, École Internationale, Avenues, Fieldston, Horace Mann, and more.

## The FIAF Famille

As part of the FIAF Preschool experience, you'll receive a complimentary FIAF Premier Membership — giving your family access to the best of French culture in New York, including:

- Fun performances and workshops at FIAF Family Saturdays and our annual Tilt Kids Festival
- The best of French children's films at CinéKids screenings
- Lively story hours and full borrowing privileges at the Haskell Library

## Our Teachers

Our teachers are native French speakers highly specialized in early childhood education, and have extensive experience teaching French as a foreign language. Soledad Rodas, Adeline Sans, Emmanuelle Bonin, and Liza Nikitin share a passion for nurturing the development of young learners, and enjoy close relationships with each family.

## Classes

### Nursery Class Ages 2½ to 3

#### Mornings:

Monday–Friday, 8:30–11:30am

#### Afternoons:

Monday–Friday, 1:30–4:30pm

#### Full-Day:

Monday–Friday, 8:30am–4:30pm

### Junior Pre-K/Pre-K Class Ages 3 to 4\*

#### Mornings:

Monday–Friday, 8:30–11:30am

#### Afternoons:

Monday–Friday, 1:30–4:30pm

#### Full-Day:

Monday–Friday, 8:30am–4:30pm

\*Some knowledge of French desired.

Each class has no more than 15 students.

## How to Apply

Visit [fiafpreschool.org](http://fiafpreschool.org) to schedule an information session and submit the online application.

Once your application is received, we will invite you and your child to visit FIAF for an in-person interview.

## Contact Us

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