

25-26 Pre K Highlights

Mission Statement:

"Raising up families and followers of Jesus Christ."

Introduction:

In Pre-K, we are creating a learning environment to prepare our students academically, socially and emotionally for kindergarten and to have fun doing it.

Religion:

- Daily Jesus Time with a weekly theme using "One In Christ" curriculum
- Learning about God's love for us and sharing God's love.
- · Recognize and appreciate God's creation

Literacy Development:

- Identify letters of the alphabet
- · Write letters of the alphabet
- Letter sounds and identifying sounds in words
- Print awareness: left to right progression, distinguishing letters, words.
- Daily stories and the enjoyment of books

Math:

- Identify and draw shapes
- Identify numerals
- Rote counting 1-31
- Counting objects 1-20
- Explore sorting, graphing, measurements using various manipulatives and classroom activities
- Exposure to math terms (add, equal, how many more, and comparative words)

Science:

- Learn about the wonder of God's world
- Learn about various animals and their habitats with our monthly themes
- Use science tools such as magnets, scales, magnifying glasses, etc.

Social Skills:

- Learn to work, play, and share using polite words in a group setting
- Practicing patience and taking turns
- Learn to take care of his/her own basic needs: putting on a coat, using a tissue, cleaning up after themselves
- Follow directions

Creative Arts:

- Explore a variety of art processes using different mediums
- Sing traditional songs and songs that enhance the curriculum
- Participate in movement songs and dances
- Participate in dramatic play

Experiences:

- Weekly Library Time
- Weekly Show & Tell
- Special celebration days relating to letter themes (ex: Marshmallow Day, Pancakes & Pajamas Day, Letter X Day, Wacky Wednesday)
- Holiday Celebrations
- Leader of the Day
- Pumpkin Patch Field Trip

Sample Daily Schedule:

| Time | Activity |
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| 8:30 | Welcome Page at Tables - And Books and Puzzles |
| 8:35 | Opening Time – Theme of the Day, Calendar; review of letters, numbers, shapes, themes; math and pre-reading activities, |
| 8:50 | Center Time – Activities throughout the room. There are teacher-led activities with individual students or small groups. |
| 9:50 | Clean Up |
| 10:00 | Jesus Time – Bible stories, singing, and prayer |
| 10:20 | Wash Hands Snack – Provided by the leader of the day Recess |
| 10:50 | Whole Group Activity – Music and movement, story time, group projects |
| 11:15 | Goodbyes – Parent pick up or student goes to Child Care |

Library: Our library day is Monday at 10:00 AM

Chapel: Wednesdays, Pre K will participate in an early childhood chapel.

Show & Tell: Show & Tell will be on Fridays at 10:50 AM