



Classroom Schedule

Entry/ Open Play
Calendar/Circle time/Story
Centers (Craft/small group work)
Writing/Computer Lab
Bible
Science/Math
Gym/ Music
Snack
Dismissal

Field Trip/ Events

- Fire Station
- Apple Orchard
- Pumpkin Patch
- Hospital tour
- Bellaboo's
- Luhr Park
- Salvation Army Bell Ringing
- School book fair
- Muffin's for Mom's/Donuts for Dad's
- Thanksgiving Turkey Trot

St. John's Lutheran School Preschool & Pre-Kindergarten Program

Before and after daycare available



Preschool program is offered 2, 3 or 5 half days a week.
PreK program is offered 5 half days a week.

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Our program provides curriculum that builds upon what children already know and are able to do to enable them to connect new concepts and skills. Teachers provide units/themes of interest that integrate and teach across all areas of core curriculum. The alphabet is reviewed, a letter a week, by learning recognition, sound, writing and themes relating to that week's particular letter.

Our classroom provides a strong literacy environment arranged in learning centers or learning areas (art center, science center, reading center, dramatic play center, block center). Each center has a variety of activities for the children. This arrangement allows for a wide range of developmental interests and abilities within the classroom.

The classroom is a climate that is active; in which children interact with each other and materials while engaging in cooperative hands-on learning with day-to-day life experiences. Balances of classroom activities that are teacher-directed and child-initiated are displayed each day. These activities may be active or quiet, performed individually or in large and small groups. Each child is directed and challenged to his/her own ability. Their own unique approach to learning should be fostered and encouraged as they grow and develop.



Social skills include interacting with others, work habits and self-help skills. To develop these skills, children need daily opportunities to acquire the ability to negotiate issues that occur, to take turns, to lead and follow, and to be a friend. They also need to learn how to deal with their feelings in a socially acceptable manner. A large portion of preschool is learning to be in a structured school environment, practicing the ability to learn and grow with others, and mature in a school environment.

Curriculum covered:

- Creative Skills
- Language Arts
- Literacy
- Writing
- Mathematics
- Health, Safety, and Physical Development
- Science
- Religion
- Social Studies

Students participate in:

- Gym class
- Library
- Outdoor recess
- Science class
- Show and Tell
- Weekly devotions with the Pastor
- Book Mobile visits
- 5th grade buddies
- Computer Lab
- Guest readers

