

Hosanna Lutheran Church Early Learning Center

Program Description

The Pre-Kindergarten program at Hosanna Early Learning Center is designed to allow children to grow in the following areas of development at their own rate, and to feel confident in the skills that they already possess. Children will learn to build on these skills to increase their, knowledge, self-esteem and confidence.

Please Note: The class will be doing seatwork throughout the year.

Bible

Through the use of the 'Faith Alive' curriculum and the Bible itself, children are taught the knowledge of the Gospel of the Lord and virtuous character development. Children will be taught Bible memory verses, puzzles, prayers, stories, songs and verbal role playing.

Colors & Shapes

Recognition taught through songs, posters and hands on activities such as play dough, crafts, books puzzles, painting with shaped sponges, cutting and color mixing activities.

Numbers

Recognition of numbers will be done, as well as counting using fingers and objects. This is taught through songs, daily calendar, crafts, counting objects, books, puzzles, graphing and the computer. Worksheets using dot-to-dot, writing of numbers and matching will be used.

Reading Readiness

Recognition of upper and lower case alphabet and recognizing a child's name will be introduced. They also will work on the phonetic sounds of letters, telling stories and sequencing from first to last and left to right. This is taught using the letter of the week, with puppets as well as flash cards, alphabet charts and listening centers.

Music

Students will learn and apply basic music appreciation through clapping out rhythms, hand bells, dancing, singing, movement, rhythm, instruments, music programs and listening to music on tape.

Social Emotional Development

Children will learn self help skills, working with others to obtain a common goal, self-respect, problem solving and respect of others and property. This is taught through encouraging children to put on own coats, hats, gloves and boots, as well as through books, songs, sitting and listening at Circle time, taking turns and working together at centers.

Additional Concepts

Basic knowledge of position and direction such as right and left, opposites, sizes and time are taught. This is taught through books, puzzles, movement songs and hands on activities.

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