# **Preschool Curriculum**



Preschool classes provide children with a classroom environment and curriculum intended to foster a love of learning and build skills necessary to succeed in the classroom. Our preschool classes incorporate the following skills and subject matter throughout the course of the school year. Our curriculum reflects criteria detailed in Ohio's Early Learning and Development Standards. Pacing of curriculum is communicated monthly/weekly to parents by your child's classroom teacher.

### Language/Literacy

- Recognizing and Writing Name
- Identifying Uppercase Letters
- Encounter Lowercase Letters
- Tracing and Writing
- Beginning Sound Awareness
- Vocabulary
- Read Aloud Comprehension
- Book Awareness
- Introduce Concept of Rhyming

#### **Social Studies**

• People, Communities, and Environment

# <u>Math</u>

- Counting and Sets
  - o Counting 1-30
  - o One to one correspondence
  - Counting Sets
- Numbers
  - Number Identification 1-12 (Naming numbers)
  - Number Formation (tracing and writing)
  - Matching sets to numbers (quantities)
  - Sequencing/Ordering
- Geometry
  - Basic shapes (2D)
  - Shape attributes
  - o Shapes in environment
  - Positional words
  - Working with shapes
- Patterning
  - Copying and extending simple patterns
  - Making patterns
- Measurement
  - Exploring length
  - Exploring weight
  - Comparing size
- Data
  - Sorting/grouping collections
- Colors
  - o Identifying colors
  - Mixing and Matching

# <u>Science</u>

- Force and Motion
- States of Matter
- Living and Nonliving Things
- Weather, Temperature, and Seasons
- Size and Shape
- Sink or Float
- Magnets
- My Body
- Change and Growth
- Make Observations and Predictions
- Rocks and Soil
- Caring for the Earth

### **School Readiness**

- Building Listening Skills
- Following Directions
- Performing Steps in a Sequence
- Working Within a Group
- Communicating with Adults and Peers
- Self-Awareness and Regulation
- Fine motor skills
  - o Tracing, writing, drawing
  - o Glue (glue stick and liquid glue)
  - Using Scissors
- Gross Motor skills
- Physical Health and Development
- Building Learning Stamina
- Artistic Expression (crats and music)
- Dramatic Play
- Pretend Play

<sup>\*</sup>See bible curriculum for big ideas and stories explored throughout the school year as well as monthly bible verses.