

God's Kids Preschool Objectives For Learning

The overall objective for our curriculum is to lay a solid foundation for future learning. We strive to make a positive, moral and lasting impression on children. It is our goal to develop a desire for learning and to prepare children for life's lessons, along with guiding them toward becoming the person God created them to be. The skills and concepts listed will be explored, but mastery of all concepts is not expected.

Three's

Social Development

- Work in groups or with a partner
- Be more independent and take care of basic needs: use restroom, wash hands, use tissue, putting lunch and nap mats away, etc.
- Participate in circle time and group discussions
- State personal information: first and last name, age, city, state
- Use manners

Language Development and Literacy

- Clearly communicate needs
- Learn listening skills
- Be able to follow multi-step instructions
- Learn simple sign language
- Be introduced to the mechanics of handwriting
- Recognize first and last names and write their first name
- Recognize most of the letters in the alphabet and their phonetic sounds
- Build new vocabulary
- Begin learning the Pledge to the American Flag

Fine Motor Skills

- Hold writing utensils correctly
- Learn to trace straight and curved lines
- Cut a straight line
- Learn to button, zip and snap clothing
- Use fingers and hands to manipulate objects
- Be able to color inside the lines

Science/Health

- Identify parts of the body
- Learn about weather, seasons and the calendar
- Be introduced to animals, vegetation and marine life
- Explore the five senses and their uses
- Experience the world through nature walks
- Learn about health and safety

Mathematics

- Know and begin drawing basic shapes

- Be able to recognize and count numbers 1-15
- Sort objects by color, shape and size
- Same and different
- Matching and patterns

Creative Arts

- Participate in movement songs and dances
- Identify colors
- Dramatic play
- Use of a variety of art materials
- Use a variety of children's instruments

Spiritual Development

- Hear Bible stories
- Recognize that Jesus is God's Son and the Savior of the world
- Learn about God's love through story and song
- Learn simple Bible verses