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.

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Social Development

- Play alone, in small groups and large groups
- Take care of basic needs: wash hands, use tissue, put away belongings, etc.
- Be taught how to share and work together
- Practice using manners

Language Development

- Clearly communicate needs
- Learn listening skills
- Be able to follow multi-step instructions
- Learn simple sign language
- Recognize their written name
- Exposure to the alphabet and phonetic sounds
- Build new vocabulary

Fine Motor Skills

- Efficiently hold crayons, markers and paintbrushes
- Learn to trace straight lines
- Begin using safety scissors
- Learn to button, zip and snap clothing
- Use fingers and hands to manipulate objects
- Play with and complete puzzles
- Practice lacing and stringing beads and other activities that develop eye-hand coordination

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

Mathematics

- Learn basic shapes
- Be able to count from 1-10
- Sort objects by color, shape and size
- Same and different

Creative Arts

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

Spiritual Development

- Hear Bible stories
- Learn about God's love through story and song