



Preschool 3 Welcome letter

Welcome to Preschool! We are excited to be your child's teacher! We will have many adventures together as we learn about the world around us. When you first begin your child in our classroom, we are asking that each family brings in a family photo. We are created a large classroom family tree.

Your child's preschool days are filled with social, emotional, physical and intellectual development. We'll be working on letters and sounds, color, shapes, recognize numbers 1-20, count 1-20, cutting and drawing, socializing, sharing and name tracing, relay social stories, identify the different seasons and plenty of outside play. Parent teacher conferences will also be offered twice a year.

Family engagement is very important in our classroom, each month there will be a family project sent home that we encourage all families to take part in. The project will be returned and displayed in the classroom.

Free play is just as important as academic opportunities in our classroom. It is through free play that children are able to generalize their skill sets and peers. Free play involves any kind of unstructured activity that encourages children to use their imagination, such as playing with blocks, dolls and toy cars.

When you take a look at our curriculum calendar, you will see letters and corresponding numbers under the activities listed; the chart below will help you to see what those letters and numbers indicate. For more information on the RIELDS please see: <http://rields.com/>.

See you soon!

The Preschool 3 Classroom Staff

Preschool 3 Daily Schedule

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6:30-9:15 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Drop off and parent, guardian greetings/breakfast/free play, book browse/small group activities
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 9:15-9:45 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clean up/Small group time (songs, stories, games) Morning snack & drink/Prepare for outside time
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 9:45-10:30 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Outside play (Bikes, running, climbing, bubbles, chalk, swing) • <i>*Weather permitting. Children will not go outside if there is weather advisory. We will go outdoors during cold temperatures, hot temperatures and accumulations. Dress your child accordingly.</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10:30-11:30 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Handwashing/small group time/Centers • Writing, mathematics, social studies, science, Language arts
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 11:30/12:30 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Story time/Restrooms/Hand washing/Lunch
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12:30-2:00 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lights go out/Rest time <i>(All Preschool children are required to take a nap)</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2:00-2:30 • 2:30-4:00 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Restroom/Hand washing/Snack & drink/Afternoon outside play • <i>*Weather permitting. Children will not go outside if there is weather advisory. We will go outdoors during cold temperatures, hot temperatures, and accumulations. Dress your child accordingly</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4:00-5:30 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Restroom/Hand washing/Small group activities/Free play/Pick up time