

St. John the Baptist Catholic School

Pre-Kindergarten



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Dear Parents,

We, the staff at St. John the Baptist Catholic School, welcome you and your child to our Pre-Kindergarten Program. As a parent, you are your child's most important teacher. We look forward to working closely with you to help give your child the best educational start possible.

Sincerely,

St. John the Baptist Catholic School Staff

Pre-Kindergarten Philosophy: To provide a safe, nurturing environment that meets the social, emotional, physical, intellectual, and spiritual development of each child.

School Mission Statement: Our mission is to inspire and empower all learners to become the best Christ-centered version of themselves by integrating Christian virtues, 21st century learning, and service.



HOURS (Monday – Friday)

Half Day: 8:45 AM – 11:30 AM

Full Day: 8:45 AM – 3:30 PM

Before-School Care: 7:00 AM – 8:45 AM

After-School Care: 3:30 PM – 5:30 PM

Parents will be notified of non-operational days when they receive the school calendars the first week of school.

DAILY ACTIVITIES

Each day at school, we focus on God's love and the love of our family, friends, and neighbors. We will integrate the love God has for us in all parts of our curriculum.

We will also:

- Pray together
- Discover the joy of learning to work, play, and share with others
- Welcome visitors to our room
- Learn to follow simple directions through project making
- Learn to take turns
- Increase our vocabulary
- Sing many songs
- Work on letter & number recognition
- Learn to express ourselves through art mediums, music, and dramatic play
- Participate in programs that promote good healthy habits
- HAVE FUN!!!

PRE-KINDERGARTEN DAILY SCHEDULE

9:00 Arrival, attendance and free-choice time (such as art, blocks, computer, sensory, dramatic play, books, and manipulatives)

9:55 Circle Time

- Greeting Song
- Stories
- Prayer
- Calendar
- Weather
- Theme
- Shapes
- Letters
- Buddy Bag
- Graphing Activities
- Numbers

10:15 Bathroom Break and Snack Time

10:30 Religion - bible stories, songs and activities

10:45 Activities

- Letter of the Week
- Shapes
- Animals
- Emotions
- Body parts
- Science topics
- Math/counting
- Writing skills
- Music

11:00 Gross Motor Activities / Outside Time

11:15 Storytime

11:30 Dismissal for half-day PreK students

11:30 Bathroom and Lunch

12:15 Clean Up

12:30 Movie Time

1:00 Nap/Rest Time (at least 30 minutes with soft music)

1:30 Quiet Play

2:00 Snack

2:15 Kid's choice, computer, worksheets, and one-on-one activity

2:45 Outdoor play, games in classroom, worksheets, etc.

3:00 Storytime

3:30 Dismissal