



All Day Learning Centers

Focusing on Your Child's Early Education

Kindergarten Enrichment (5 Years Old to 6 Years Old)

Overview

Our half-day Kindergarten Enrichment Program is a supplement to the half-day Kindergarten Programs offered at our local public schools. Kindergarten Enrichment helps students develop confidence when taking the first steps toward learning and making new friends. It also helps to provide the academic foundation each student needs to enter 1st grade.

Curriculum Programs

Character Education

The goal of this curriculum is to teach children to build a positive sense of self. Character Education focuses on positive conflict resolution, acts of kindness, and generosity. This curriculum is taught only once a week, but it is used every day in the classroom.

STEAM Program

We offer a state-of-the-art STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, & Mathematics) Room as part of our regular curriculum. Here, students focus on how shadows and reflections are made using lights and mirrors, learn about magnets, understand how gears work, and do activities such as making a cloud in a jar!

Music and Movement

Music and movement is a regular part of the routine to help students develop an appreciation of creative movement and dance. Students sing, move, and listen to a wide variety of music throughout the day, including classical and children's music.

Spanish

Learning a second language is not only gratifying, but also quite valuable. We include lessons in Spanish at least 2 times per week. Each lesson is organized by a topic familiar to the student, such as letters, numbers, colors, and community helpers.

Healthy Choices

Healthy Choices is a program to teach about Food, Fitness, and Fun! Students will learn about healthy food choices and the importance of eating right. They will also learn about how to exercise, and about the importance of staying fit. These activities help students learn about making healthy food choices and keeping fit through physical activity.

Technology

Our program introduces students to tablets and laptops. Teachers work with students to become more familiar with their operation and capabilities. Students also get some free time to use these devices however they choose. The tablets and laptops are equipped with applications that are designed to create a fun and educational experience for our students.



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Fundations

The Fundations Program focuses on letter recognition and letter sounds using specific alphabet cards and various activities. The goal of this program is to have students bridge their skills where they can blend sounds into words to help them with the beginning stages of independent reading and writing.

Food and Facilities

Food & Nutrition

Families are welcome to supply their child with snacks and lunches or may take advantage of our school snacks and/or our catered hot lunch program.

- **Snacks:** Snack time is provided three times a day at around 9am, 3pm, and 5pm. Our 5pm snack is also when dinners can be heated for students whose families provide them. School snacks consist of cereal, fresh fruit, or applesauce. Water is always offered to accompany snack. Our snack service is included in your monthly tuition.
- **Lunch:** Our hot lunches are catered by a local restaurant located in Montgomery Township. Each lunch is served in its own container and includes fruit, vegetable, and an entrée. Milk is also offered to all students who receive school lunch. Entrees include such items as, chicken tenders, grilled cheese, meatballs fish sticks, etc. A vegetarian option is always available. Our hot lunch program is optional. Please see the Director for prices.

Facilities

The classroom is arranged into five distinct “Interest Areas”, including: 1) dramatic play, 2) blocks, 3) art, 4) math/science, and 5) literacy. Center time is always included in the daily schedule, which provides an opportunity for structured play, an important component of our program. During center time, students will be seen developing a wealth of language, cognitive, physical, social, and emotional skills.

Playground

Weather permitting, students will go outside to our large, child-friendly playground. Each part of our playground was specially designed with appropriate activities. Outdoor play provides students the opportunity to enhance their gross-motor skills, to build muscle and to improve coordination, and it provides an atmosphere for positive interactions with peers.