
At Risk Preschool

Hours:

Am Class: 8:30-11:00

Pm Class: 12:15-2:45

Location:

All classes are held at Marie Schaefer Elementary School.

All classes are taught by certified teachers knowledgeable in the education and development of young children.



Come and learn with us!

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AT RISK PRESCHOOL PROGRAM

Free half day preschool program for children between the ages three to five who live within District 90 boundaries. As part of the Early Childhood Block Grant, all families must qualify.

1. Home visit to determine eligibility based upon income, health issues, family stress factors, and educational needs.
2. Developmental screening of the child being enrolled.

PROGRAM PHILOSOPHY:

Our goal as preschool educators is to produce happy, competent, and responsible children by providing a relaxed, friendly, child sized world in which children can explore, investigate, share, and play. Children will develop respect for themselves, others, and their environment.

How we achieve our goals:

Problem solving skills, literacy, communication, and societal role playing will be the vehicles for learning a meaningful and developmentally appropriate program based upon the knowledge preschoolers need to survive and adapt to the vast world around them. Teachers provide experiences and opportunities to foster independence, motivation, and a desire to create new knowledge.

Family Involvement Program

In addition to daily class, preschool staff provide various opportunities for family learning and involvement:

1. Parenting classes
2. Parent-child workshops
3. Field trips
4. Reading nights
5. Home activities

Classroom communication:

Daily reports: Preschool teachers use daily notes between home and school to better understand and communicate with families on a continual basis.

Conferences: IN addition to daily notes, teachers will hold parent conferences twice a year to review a child's progress.

School Regulations:

Preschool classes follow District #90 guidelines for discipline, management, and health regulations.

Kindergarten Transition:

Preschool staff work with families and kindergarten teachers to ensure a smooth transition to kindergarten. As a combined effort, we will have the students ready for school when the time comes!!!!

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