

# What is My Child Learning?

Here is a typical schedule for our class!

## 8:15-8:30 Jobs & Table Toys

- Children come in and do their 3 jobs: wash hands, put up their nametag, and read a book. Then they may work on a table toy.

## 8:30-8:45 Good Morning Time

- We look at the weather chart, calendar, and count our friends. We discuss what we will be doing today.

## 8:45-10:00 Centers, Projects, & Free Play

- The children will take turns going to centers which may include working with the teacher on a project, writing in our notebooks or doing other letter work, arts & crafts, or free play. Each child often goes to many different centers each day.

## 10:00-10:45 Snack & Story

- We take bathroom turns, wash our hands, eat snack, and have story time.

## 10:45-11:00 Group Time/Closing

- We wrap up our discussions and projects for the day, work on phonemic awareness, sing songs, and say our goodbye prayer. Half day friends put their nametags away and check their mailboxes.

## 11:00-11:30 Large Motor

- We play outside or in the gym!

## 11:30-12:15 Lunch

- Full day friends wash their hands, eat lunch, and clean up.

## 12:15-1:00 Relaxing Time

- We prepare for naptime by reading books, working on puzzles, and taking bathroom turns.

## 1:00-2:45 Story & Nap

- We listen to a story and lay down for a nap. At 2:45, we begin to wake up and get ready to go home.

We will learn a “letter of the week.” We will talk about the name of the letter, the sound(s) it makes, and practice writing it. We will also have themes each week – some themes may be more than one week long. We will read books, sing songs, and do projects relating to this theme to learn more about it.

Your child will learn so much at preschool! It is a great experience for them to socialize with other children, learn sharing and patience, and learn responsibility. We use our “helping hands” chart in which children get to help with jobs.

### SPECIALS:

Throughout the week: Bible story

Monday: P.E. (Mrs. LaMontagna’s Class)

Tuesday: library

Wednesday: chapel/music class on rotating weeks

Thursday: (optional Taekwondo), (optional Soccer Shots)

Friday: P.E. (Miss Kraegel’s Class)

At the beginning of the school year, we work on establishing our routines and learning our rules. We work on listening, sitting still criss-cross applesauce with our hands in our laps, cleaning up after ourselves, pushing in our chairs, raising our hands, waiting our turns, and so much more. Our most important rule is that we like to make friends, and we do this by being nice! We learn that teachers give us rules to help us learn and keep us safe. At preschool, we are so excited to learn!

Please read the weekly newsletter for more details each week.

Mrs. LaMontagna/Miss Kraegel ☺