

Other Curricular Opportunities

Physical Education

Spanish

Computer

Library

Music

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KINDERGARTEN CURRICULUM



LAYING THE FOUNDATION
FOR A GREAT BEGINNING

Curricular Outline

Religion:

- o Participation in Liturgy/Prayer Experiences
- o Demonstrate Sign of the Cross
- o Recites common prayers
- o Participates in service projects

Reading Language Arts:

- o Recognize colors
- o Recognize and name capital and lowercase letters
- o Identify letter sounds
- o Recognize rhyming words
- o Develop listening and speaking skills
- o Follow directions
- o Develop ability to print letters and write words
- o Recognize different forms of literature
- o Recognize left to right, top to bottom print
- o Encodes and decodes words
- o Recognize memory words
- o Uses proper pencil grip

Health:

- o Identify foods, food sources and the importance of eating healthy foods
- o Recognize ways to stay safe
- o Recognize cleanliness as part of healthy living
- o Attain independent life skills (buttons, zips, ties)

Art:

- o Participates in Art History Activities
- o Uses a variety of Art mediums

Math:

- o Identify basic shapes
- o Complete patterns
- o Count to 100 by 1's, 5's and 10's
- o Recognizes, compares and print numbers 0-30
- o Counts using one-to-one correspondence
- o Classify by shape, color and size
- o Understand the concept of addition
- o Understands concept of subtraction
- o Telling time
- o Identify penny, nickel , dime and quarter
- o Develop problem solving skills
- o Develops concepts of measurement
- o Uses concrete and picture graphs

Science:

- o Identify different environments
- o Identify the differences between seasons
- o Understand the differences of the five senses
- o Understand the characteristics and structure of living things
- o Introduced to the process of experimentation
- o Understands the process of the life cycle

Social Studies:

- o Understand that people have different customs, celebrations and traditions
- o Recognize that every individual and family are unique
- o Recognize all people have feelings that should be respected
- o Demonstrates an awareness of religious and national holidays
- o Understands the meaning of community