

Early Childhood Education Preschool Program 42 months through age 4

Holy Trinity Catholic School offers preschool classes for children aged 42 months through 4 years as part of our Early Childhood Education Program. The Preschool Program provides cognitive development, social / emotional learning, fosters language skills, promotes self-help skills, and assists the development of fine and large motor skills.

Curriculum: Early Learning Success

Early Learning Success is a Parent Aware approved preschool curriculum. Weekly themes incorporate both letter and number recognition along with themed related full group, small group and individual learning activities. Each activity and learning objective is directly aligned with Minnesota's Early Childhood Indicators of Progress (ECIPs), allowing each child individual hands-on opportunities for making learning fun, and exciting. Each day is a fun, learning adventure for your child with the Early Learning Success Curriculum!

Curriculum Overview

Themes throughout the School year			
School Days	Apples	Fall Fun	Pumpkins/Halloween
Feelings/Emotions	Nutrition/Dental Health	Transportation	Manners
Giving Thanks	Christmas	Arctic Animals	Winter Wonderland
Valentines	Community Helpers	Weather	Dr. Seuss
St. Patrick's	On the Farm	Seasons	Jungle/Safari
Under the Sea	Camping	Bugs	Gardening



Tentative Daily Schedule

8:00 a.m. - 8:20 a.m. Arrival of busses and school day students

Children participate in free choice play until all students have arrived and the morning bell has rung.

8:20 a.m. – 8:50 a.m. Morning Snack

Clean up, Bathroom Break

8:45 a.m. - 9:20 a.m. Morning Circle, Prayer, Whole-Group Read-Aloud

Children come together for the Morning Meeting, Literacy Circle, Religion, and whole group read aloud.

9:20 a.m. - 10:20 a.m. Learning Centers and Small-Group Activities

Children choose from learning center activities in these learning centers: alphabet fun, creative arts, dramatic play, library, math and manipulatives, science and sensory, and writing. This time often includes small-group activities.

10:20 a.m. - 10:50 a.m. Transition/Bathroom Break/Outdoor Recess

Children enjoy structured and unstructured play outdoors.

10:55 a.m. – 11:25 a.m. Meal Prayer/ Lunch/Transition/Bathroom Break

Children eat lunch, clean up, take a bathroom break and transition to rest time.

11:30 a.m. – 12:45 p.m. Rest Time and Quiet Work Time

Children nap or rest quietly. As children wake up, they can select from a variety of quiet activities, such as playing, drawing, writing, and looking at books.

12:45 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. Math, Science & Social Studies Circle

Children choose from learning center activities in these learning centers: Math, Science & Social Studies. This time often includes small-group activities.

1:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. Physical Education/Recess

Children enjoy structured and unstructured play

2:00 p.m. – 2:20 p.m. Transition/Bathroom Break/Snack

2:20 p.m. – 2:45 p.m. Extend your Day & Wrap Up Your Day

Children enjoy another Read Aloud, Music & Movement, Reflection on your day.

2:50 p.m. - 3:05 p.m. End of Day Prayer/End of the Day

Clean Up, Prayer, Dismiss to HTKP, Buses and Parent Pick-Up