

Mission Statement

To partner with families in teaching each student God's love, in creating a foundation for a lifetime of learning, and in developing caring, confident children.

Philosophy

We seek to provide a stimulating, loving and secure environment in which children will learn and grow spiritually, socially, emotionally, intellectually, and physically. We are dedicated to creating and maintaining a warm Christian atmosphere that nurtures and provides for learning through play and varied classroom and community experiences.

Curriculum

We offer monthly thematic units emphasizing seasonal events through the use of music, stories, art projects, play and games. Small class ratios. Always two staff members.

Non-Discrimination Policy

Messiah Preschool admits students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin, and religion to all the rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school. It does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national and ethnic origin or religion in administration of its educational policies, admissions policies, scholarship programs, and other school administered programs.



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Since 1976

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School Year

Objectives

We are a Christian preschool offering a developmentally appropriate program for children ages 2 to 5 featuring small classes and personalized attention. Our emphasis is on socialization and kindergarten readiness. At Messiah Preschool, we encourage a child's growth in the following areas:

Spiritual

Learning about God's love and how to share that love with one another during weekly Chapel times.

Social

Learning to interact in a group by sharing, taking turns, helping and encouraging each other.

Emotional

Developing positive self-esteem and self-reliance.

Intellectual

Learning to explore and enjoy books, letters and numbers, cooking, science, music, art, dramatic play, and much more.

Physical

Developing large and small muscle coordination through physical play both indoor and outdoor.





Messiah Preschool

Welcome to Messiah Preschool, a ministry of Messiah Lutheran Church. Since 1976, Messiah Preschool has provided age-appropriate kindergarten readiness. This center received national accreditation from the ELEA (Evangelical Lutheran Education Association) in 2010.

Messiah Preschool provides a Christian community where children feel nurtured and safe; a place where children are valued as individuals and their needs for attention, approval, and affection are supported; and a place where children acquire a strong foundation in the knowledge and skills needed for a lifetime of learning success. We look forward to working with you and your child!

Messiah Preschool also offers...

- Small class sizes
- Help with potty-training
- Dedicated, nurturing, qualified staff
- Indoor and outdoor play areas
- Active learning opportunities
- Safe, calm and engaging learning spaces designed for independence
- Family events
- Field trip opportunities
- Online payment options
- Building professionally-cleaned daily
- A stand-alone building for 3's and 4's classes
- Need-based tuition assistance
- Enrichment activities, Lunch Bunch, Outdoor School, and much, much more!

Classes

The Preschool year runs from September through May. We observe most of the holidays and vacations of the Vancouver School District.

Fees:

- \$100 non-refundable registration fee per student (yearly)
- \$15 fee per student for a 72-hour Emergency Kit (one-time)

Classes	Age by Aug. 31	Class Time	9 Monthly Payments
Tots (M-T-W) 3 day	2	9:15-11:30	\$320
Tots (Th-F) 2 day	2	9:15-11:30	\$215
Beginner (M-T-W) 3 day	3	8:45-11:45	\$370
Beginner (Th-F) 2 day	3	8:45-11:45	\$265
Pre-K (M-T-W) 3 day	4	8:45-11:45	\$370
Pre-K (M-T-W-Th) 4 day	4	8:45-11:45	\$430

Payments due on first of each month. A \$10 late fee will be assessed on payments received after the fifth of the month. Payments are due September through May.

- Offered classes subject to adequate enrollment.
- Multi-student family and church member discounts available.
- Tuition fees cover all administrative and supply costs. There are very few additional costs during the school year (i.e., optional fall class photos and Scholastic book orders).

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