



Young 5s

5 by December 31

4 Half-Days/Week

Daily Schedule

- 12:30-12:45 Arrival
- 12:45-1:15 Group Time
Prayer /Story
Intro of choices for day
- 1:15-1:30 Large Muscle Time in Gym or on Playground
- 1:30-1:50 Literacy Lab
- 1:50-2:50 Centers and Projects
- 2:50-3:00 Closing/Dismissal

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Curriculum

Our Young 5s Program recognizes the developing characteristics of this age group. The curriculum is implemented through individual and group activities, includes longer stories, involves more writing as each child is ready, and encourages and celebrates independence in all areas of the curriculum.

Bible Stories and Prayer

Large & Fine Motor Development

Language Arts: Letter Recognition and Sounds, Story Time, Vocabulary Development, Handwriting Without Tears (HWT) , Phonemic Awareness

Math: Recognition and Counting 1—10, Introduce numbers 11—20, One-to-One Correspondence, Sorting, Categorizing , and Patterning by Color & Shape, +/- Problems with Objects, Calendar

Social Studies: Self, Family, Friends, Maps, Comparing and Contrasting Local and World Regions, Relationships in a Group

Science: Environment Exploration, Recording Observations, Tools, Predictions, Weather & Nature, Senses, Body, Animals

Additional Curriculum

Social Skills: Sharing, Taking Turns, Playing Together, Group Interactions

Verbal Skills Following Directions

Routines Self-Control & Self-Confidence

Problem-Solving Creativity

Activities for All Classes

Monthly: Chapel and Music Class

Start of School Open House

Parties: Let’s Pretend, Thanksgiving Feast, Baby Jesus’ Birthday, Valentine’s Day

Dads’ Night • Mother’s Day Tea

Family Night

Additional Program Information

Weekly Photos and Class News on Homeroom App

Monthly Classroom Newsletters

October and February Parent/Teacher Conferences

Drop-off Line Option

Secure Building • Open Door Policy

Lunch Bunch Option

Toy Check Out Library