

Our Program Approach

It may look like play, but it is a child's work to manipulate, change, try again, and discover. We use a thematic model as the basis for learning in our classrooms with the inclusion of developmentally appropriate curriculums. Our activities are designed to encourage children to learn in a variety of ways. Your child's teachers will communicate with you to keep you informed of what is being presented in each classroom

ECP Classroom Descriptions

The Infant Class (3:1) is offered for children ages 2 months up to 1 year.

Prior to the child's first day, a one on one meeting will be held so that teachers and parents can discuss each child individually. In this room, teachers are busy feeding, changing and rocking children. Highscope Infant Curriculum is used as well as books, music and toys to help teachers engage with their students and foster brain development and physical growth. Parents may choose enrollment in 1, 2, 3 or 4 days per week.

The Toddler Class (5:1) accepts children who are 1 year old by September 1st.

This class follows a consistent daily schedule to provide comfort for the children in their daily routine. Highscope Curriculum for Toddlers is used to facilitate the class routine and foster early learning. The children are participating in large and small group activities throughout their day. Using weekly themes the teachers are presenting colors, letters and numbers in a fun engaging way. Each week the class attends Music, Bible Time and a special Story Time. Outdoor playtime (weather permitting) is part of each day as well as afternoon naptime. Parents may choose enrollment in 2 or 3 days per week.

The Two-Year-Old Class (7:1) is for children who turn 2 years old by September 1.

These children and their teachers are busy! Highscope Curriculum is a big part of their day providing a consistent schedule and facilitating an early learning environment. Through large and small group activities children are introduced to letters, numbers and colors as well as fun themes. Special activity classes such as Music, Bible and Story Time are provided each week, as well as STEM classes with Miss Rebecca from the Busy Beetle.

This class focuses on building hand strength through many fine motor activities and early writing practice. Plenty of opportunities for free play both inside and outside (weather permitting) allow teachers to model beginning cooperative play. An afternoon nap wraps up their busy day. Parents may choose enrollment in 2, 3 or 4 days per week.

The PreK Prep Class (5:1) is for children who are 3 by September 1st.

Children in this class must be fully toilet trained.

In this classroom, learning is facilitated and encouraged through all avenues. Lessons, activities and centers will reach a wide range of children with kinesthetic, auditory and visual learning styles.

Pre-K Prep uses a daily schedule taken from Highscope curriculum. This class has six instructional periods per week: two per day. Instruction times include literacy (both phonics and handwriting) as well as math, science, and social studies. Science and social studies themes are incorporated throughout the classroom using rotated centers. Class rest times will be given if needed.

Children learn best through play. Our PreK Prep class is set up to focus on and facilitate play, sensory exploration, self-help skills and discovery.

In the PreK Prep class, we encourage independence, self-help skills and cooperative play with others. Throughout the year this class will work on mastering these skills.

Special activity classes such as Music, Bible and Story Time are provided each week, as well as STEM classes with Miss Rebecca from the Busy Beetle.

A full four day enrollment is required for this class.

The PreK Class (5:1) is for children who are at least 4 by September 1.

Children in this class must be fully toilet trained.

In this classroom, learning is facilitated and encouraged through all avenues. Lessons, activities and centers will reach a wide range of children with kinesthetic, auditory and visual learning styles.

Pre-K uses a daily schedule taken from Highscope curriculum. This class has six instructional periods per week: two per day. Instruction times include literacy (both phonics and handwriting) as well as math science and social studies. Science and social studies themes are incorporated throughout the classroom using rotated centers.

Children learn best through play. Our PreK class is set up to focus on and facilitate play, sensory exploration, self-help skills and discovery.

In the PreK class we encourage independence, self-help skills and cooperative play with others. Children are responsible for their own learning materials and belongings. Each day starts with daily tasks such as hanging backpacks, preparing workspace and checking in.

Special activity classes such as Music, Bible and Story Time are provided each week, as well as STEM classes with Miss Rebecca from the Busy Beetle.

A full four day enrollment is required for this class.

The Kindergarten Class (5:1) is for children who are at least 5 by September 1.

Kindergarten is offered four days per week, 9:30am-2:30pm Monday through Thursday. In this classroom, learning is facilitated and encouraged through all avenues. Lessons, activities and centers will reach a wide range of children with kinesthetic, auditory and visual learning styles. Children learn best through play. Our Kindergarten class is set up to focus on and facilitate play, sensory exploration, self-help skills and discovery.

Our Kindergarten uses a daily schedule taken from Highscope curriculum. This class has eight instructional periods per week: two per day. It will follow all curriculum guidelines established by the state of Oklahoma in order to prepare children for 1st grade; a certified teacher will teach it; and children will continue to be taught in an environment with low student/ teacher ratios where they can continue to learn in an environment that is ideal for children. Instruction times include literacy (both phonics and handwriting) as well as math, science, and social studies. Science and social studies themes are incorporated throughout the classroom using a variety of centers. Handwriting Without Tears, Saxon Math and Starfall Phonics will be the variety of curriculums used.

Rotating special classes are provided each week. These specials include Music, Bible, Story Time, Art Education, and We Thinkers social/emotional class. Weekly STEM classes with Miss Rebecca from the Busy Beetle are also provided.

A full four-day enrollment is required for this class.