

The Curriculum Of Concordia Preschool Focuses on Six Skill Areas:

1. Language and communication
2. Gross and fine motor development
3. Social development
4. Reading readiness which includes:
 - recognition and identification
 - Classification/visual discrimination
5. Listening/auditory discrimination
6. Number readiness



The environment of Concordia Preschool is extremely positive. It is our primary goal for each child to feel good about his/her self. In the classroom, each age group is exposed to activities that enhance skill development at the child's own level.

The daily classroom schedules for all ages include free play, group time, music, story, snack and movement. All ages participate in a music class and a movement class weekly. Field trips are scheduled in the Fall and Spring to reinforce topics explored in the classroom. Computer instruction is offered in the four and five year old programs, with daily access available in some classrooms.



Concordia Lutheran Church started our preschool 29 years ago as a service to families in our community. It is our purpose to provide an excellent preschool education in a Christian environment that gives students a sense of the spiritual as is appropriate for preschool age children.

As part of our history and vision, also grounded in Christian concern, tuition assistance is available. In the same spirit, we welcome children with special needs.

The children of the preschool perform outreach to the community by baking brownies to support the Church's commitment to the Emanuel Dining Room, and sharing in the various outreach programs of the church, such as The Food Bank. Families also donate toys and clothing items to Hilltop Community Center and Orphan Grain Train.

We are grateful for our preschool. As always, if there is any way in which Concordians can be of service to you and your family, please do not hesitate to ask.



**CONCORDIA
PRESCHOOL**

Classes for Two, Three, Four
and Five Year Olds

**School Year
2012-2013**

(302)478-3876

**3003 Silverside Road
Wilmington, Delaware**

**at
Concordia Lutheran Church**

www.concordiapreschool.org

*Licensed by the State of Delaware Office
of Childcare Licensing*

NKAD Accredited

Participant, Delaware Stars

Two Year Olds

Tuesday and Thursday
September – October 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
November – mid-January 9:00 – 11:30 AM
Mid-January – May 9:00 - Noon
Tuition: \$185.00/ month

Maximum of twelve students with a teacher and full-time aide. Children must be 2 years of age by August 31, 2012. The 2 year old program encourages language development and socialization. This is accomplished through free play, sensory experiences, music and movement.

Three Year Olds

Monday, Wednesday, and Friday
9:00 AM – Noon
Tuition: \$250.00/ month

Monday through Friday
9:00 AM – Noon
Tuition: \$310.00/ month

Maximum of thirteen students with a teacher and full-time aide. Children must be toilet trained and 3 years of age by August 31, 2012.

This class works towards helping the child develop the ability to accept teacher direction and attend to tasks. This is accomplished through learning centers, art, music and play.

Four Year Olds

Pre-Kindergarten Class

Monday through Friday
9:00 AM – Noon
Tuition: \$310.00/ month

Monday, Wednesday, and Friday
9:00 AM – Noon
Tuition: \$250.00/ month

Maximum of fourteen students with a teacher and full time aide. Children must be 4 years of age by August 31, 2012.

This class introduces the readiness skills which lead toward a positive kindergarten experience. Fine motor development and cognitive skills are emphasized while development from previous years is reinforced through art, music, learning centers and free choice activities.

Four/Five Year Olds

Readiness Class

Monday through Friday
9:00 AM – Noon
Tuition: \$310.00/ month

Maximum of sixteen students with a teacher and full-time aide. Children must turn 5 years of age between July 15, 2012 and February 15, 2013.

The Readiness class introduces concepts that are later refined in Kindergarten. This is done through journals, centers, art projects and groups discussions. The main goal is to

develop their readiness, self-confidence and social skills, so that each child will benefit from a successful kindergarten experience.

Concordia Preschool also offers Lunch Bunch: A bag lunch program for children in the three, four and five year old programs, which includes a variety of indoor and outdoor activities. Offered Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays, noon – 1:15PM. Sign up is weekly with a per session charge of \$6.00. Also offered are Friday Special programs, presented by outside providers, such as soccer, Spanish, and karate. A separate fee is assessed for these programs.

Concordia Preschool follows its own calendar for holidays and inservice days. Parent/teacher conferences are scheduled in the Fall and Spring. We offer a 10% discount for siblings enrolled concurrently. This discount applies to the tuition of the second child. We also offer a 5% discount for a full year's tuition payment made by the beginning of the school year. All our teachers and aides are professionally trained in child development and early childhood education, and are CPR and First Aid certified. Visit us on the web at www.concordiapreschool.org.

