



Hearts & Hands Christian Preschool

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Hearts & Hands E-Packet

Thank you so much for requesting more information about Hearts & Hands Christian Preschool. We are thrilled that you are looking for the absolute BEST early education opportunity for your family! We have included some information about our many programs and services here at Hearts & Hands Christian Preschool. You can also find lots of information on our website (www.heartsandhandspreschool.org). Please don't hesitate to give us a call if you have any questions. Also, if we haven't already scheduled a tour, give us a call ASAP so we can set up an appointment for you to come see our facility!

If you just want rote ABCs learning, we're not the place for you, but if you're looking for a loving, caring, encouraging, nurturing, creative, explorative environment that will TRULY set your children up for success in school (and home!) then come visit and check us out! We know you're going to love it!

We look forward to meeting you and your family,

Your Hearts & Hands Christian Preschool Staff



Cindy Meckl
Administrator/
Teacher



Jean Stocker
Teacher



Deb Schuyler
Teacher



Teresa Schmeling
Teacher

2.5-year-Old Program

Our 2.5 year olds are so ready to learn how to be “big-kids” (i.e.—preschoolers.) The days in this classroom are structured to prep them for the Preschool classes. They have daily circle time, arts & crafts, stories, songs, dancing, outside time, and lots and lots of POTTY TRAINING!!! Yes, that’s right.... learning to use the potty is an important life skill essential to developing independence, and our teachers are PRO’s at partnering with you on this. (Note: potty training is NOT required for ANY of our classes.) Teachers focus on offering play-based activities that will enhance developmental, spiritual, and physical growth. They also emphasize Christian values to help develop the social and emotional skills of the children.



“For the past three years, we’ve been a Hearts & Hands family. After our first visit to the school, we knew it was a perfect fit for our kiddos. Why you might ask? Well, here are just a few reasons why we have been thrilled by our choice to send our kids to Hearts and Hands Christian Preschool.

– The school is located on a beautiful property, with endless amount of outdoor exploring for the kids. If possible, they get the kids outside every day.

– Their days have a perfect balance of routine and flexibility for kids, which is great for growing minds and active little bodies.

– Once a week, children have the opportunity to stay for lunch bunch (lunch with the teachers/peers) once a week (until 1:00 pm). This allows them some extra time with peers and increases their stamina for 4K/5K.

– Something unique to their preschool is their monthly “pastor Dave time” up in the sanctuary. This is always a highlight for our girls. They sing a song and listen to a short story. Although simple, it really has an impact on their little hearts. ❤️

– Lastly, the teachers are rockstars!! The current teaching staff has been working together for ten years! They have the largest hearts and have a child first philosophy that is evident the second you walk in the door!!” – Caty S- mom of Cora, Bryn & Zoey

3-Year-Old Program

Our Preschool class rooms are focused on play-based activities to ensure the development of the whole child: socially, physically, emotionally, spiritually and intellectually! This class focuses on enhancing your child’s confidence and independence by providing activities to help them become problem solvers and life-long learners. Social skills are developed and nurtured as your preschooler is learning how to be a good friend. Christian values are emphasized through all our programs.



4-Year-Old Program

Our 4-year Old class rooms are focused on school readiness. They focus on enhancing your child's confidence and independence by providing play-based activities to help them become problem solvers and life-long learners. Social skills are developed and nurtured as your preschooler is learning how to be a good friend. Classroom jobs introduce the concepts of responsibility and dependability to your child. Christian values are emphasized through all our programs.

Friday Fun (ages 25 months – 4 years old)

This 4- or 5-week class is offered in addition to our regularly scheduled preschool classes. This class is open to ALL children ages 25 months-4 years old. You do not need to be a part of our regular preschool program to attend.



What a caring and loving environment. My daughter made sure she knew which day it was so she knew whether she would see the wonderful teachers. The activities and educational experiences are great, the preschool is the best! I only wish I had signed my daughter up earlier and had a conversation with the instructors to see if she was ready. An awesome place! Kelli C-B, mom of Emery & Arden



Wonderful learning environment where everyone is welcome. The teachers are amazing and make learning fun for the kids through play. My girls love their school so much that they beg to go every day. The loving community that this preschool creates should be an example for other schools. I recommend 100%.

Kristen M., mom of Katelyn & Grace

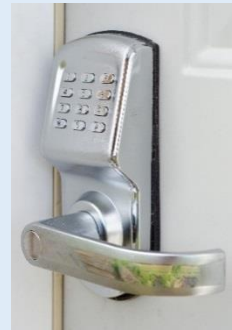
Outdoor Play

We have 22 acres of property to explore! Our children spend time outdoors daily, if it's not raining, and the temperature is at least 10 degrees. Hikes around the property, filling our bird feeders, fun on the playground, sledding in winter, Earth day garbage pick-up, and animal track identification are just a few of our fun outdoor activities!



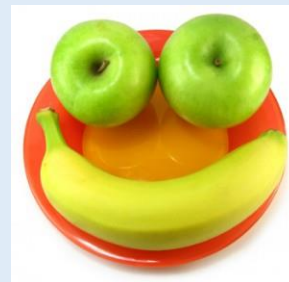
Secure Entry System

Our doors are locked daily after the children arrive. Guests arriving after class starts, enter the building through our staffed church office.



Snacks

Snacks are provided daily by our student of the week. We only serve snacks that are safe for ALL children! Allergy lists are distributed to parents so that allergens stay out of the classroom. *We feel this is the best way to be inclusive to all.*



Toilet Training

Toilet Training is NEVER required to attend any of our classes. Children develop at different rates and we believe in letting the child develop as God intended them. We do not force a timeline on their development.



The Difference is Clear!

Christian program where ALL are welcome! We want the children to know that God made everything and everyone, Jesus loves them more than they can even imagine, and church is a very good place to be. Our program has students from many different churches in the area as well as families who do not have a church home. Also, our church members get 20% off their tuition.

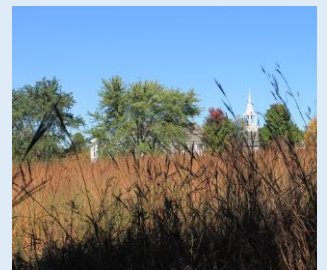


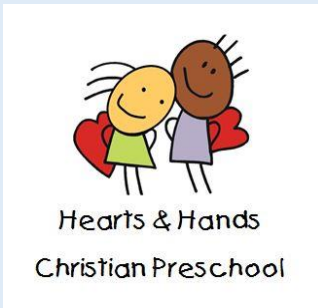
Our entire **staff** has been together for over 11 years now! We love our jobs:)



We never require **potty training** for ANY of our programs. We also have a kid-sized toilet in our classroom bathroom to help kids learn how to use the potty.

There are **22 acres of property** on our grounds. We have a fenced-in area for a playground, but we also hike and explore the rest of the property. We have found all kinds of animal prints, done garbage pick-up hikes for Earth Day, planted flowers, and gone sledding. The kids go outside every single day if it's not raining, and the temperature and wind chill are above 10 degrees.





Our Rates

4-Year-old Class (3 days/week)

M/W/F AM 9:00—11:30 am

- At least 4 years old by Sept. 1st
- Maximum 15 children per class
- \$185/month

3-Year-old Class (2 OR 3 days/week)

M/W AM 9:00—11:30 am OR T/Th AM 9:00—11:30 am OR

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- At least 3 years old by Sept. 1st
- Maximum 15 children per class
- \$130/month (2 days/week); · \$185/month (3 days/week)

2 1/2-Year-old Class (1 OR 2 days/week)

T OR Th 9—11 am OR T AND Th 9—11 am

- At least 2 1/2 years old to start class
- Maximum 12 children per class
- \$70/month (1 day/week); · \$125/month (2 days/week)

2 – 4-Year-old Class “Friday Fun”

(1 day/week for 4 or 5-week sessions)

Fr 9—11 am

- At least 25 months by class start date
- Maximum 15 children per class
- \$80/5 week session; \$70/4 week session