

## FULL DAY KINDERGARTEN

REQUIREMENTS: MUST BE 5 YEARS OLD BY SEPTEMBER 30

PREREQUISITE: PREVIOUS PRESCHOOL EXPERIENCE AND A NHPEC KINDERGARTEN SCREENING

<u>RATIOS</u>: OHIO JOB AND FAMILY SERVICES ALLOWS FOR A RATIO OF 1 TEACHER TO 18 STUDENTS. HOWEVER, OUR PROGRAM WILL NOT EXCEED 2 TEACHERS WITH 14 STUDENTS (1 LICENSED TEACHER AND 1 INSTRUCTIONAL AIDE). THE SMALL CLASS ALLOWS US TO OFFER A UNIQUE LEARNING EXPERIENCE AND A SMOOTHER TRANSITION TO A LARGER CLASS SIZE IN AN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL SETTING, WHILE FOSTERING A LOVE OF LEARNING AND A STRONG FOUNDATION FOR SUCCESS.

<u>STAFF</u>: OUR KINDERGARTEN TEACHER HOLDS A MASTER'S DEGREE IN ELEMENTARY EDUCATION (PREK-3) FROM THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY AND A CURRENT OHIO TEACHING LICENSE. SHE HAS BEEN TEACHING 18 YEARS, TEN BEING IN KINDERGARTEN.

SCHEDULE: MONDAY-THURSDAY FROM 9:00 A.M. TO 3:00 P.M.

## PROGRAM DISTINCTIONS:

- EXCEPTIONAL LEARNING EXPERIENCE IN ALL ACADEMIC AREAS WITHIN A CHRISTIAN ENVIRONMENT
- FAITH-BASED COMMUNITY WITH DAILY PRAYER AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR SPIRITUAL GROWTH
- COMPREHENSIVE INSTRUCTION IN LITERACY, PHONICS, WRITING, MATH, SCIENCE, AND SOCIAL STUDIES
- STRONG EMPHASIS ON LITERACY DEVELOPMENT AND THE SCIENCE OF READING INSTRUCTION
- INDIVIDUALIZED INSTRUCTION SUPPORTED BY SMALL CLASS SIZES AND TWO TEACHERS
- INTERACTIVE SMARTBOARD TECHNOLOGY IN THE CLASSROOM
- Access to Chromebooks for every student
- WEEKLY SPECIALS INCLUDING ART, MUSIC, BIBLE, AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION