



Prince of Peace Christian School

We Are Taking Baby Steps!



With over 27 years of educational experience, Prince of Peace Christian School will introduce an Early Learning Center in August 2008. This program will be devoted to the developmental needs of children from six weeks – two years old. This program will work in conjunction with Prince of Peace Christian School to prepare children for a seamless transition into preschool.

The Early Learning Center

Our goal is to provide an environment that stimulates early developmental growth, as well as prepare children as they begin their spiritual walk with Jesus Christ. The program takes every opportunity to introduce children to God. As it is in these early years of life that children have complete acceptance of faith. Staff members are dedicated to teaching children about Christ's everlasting love and grace as they model His example. The program strives to partner with parents to keep them informed and involved in their child's developmental progress.

Infants will have many sensory opportunities that will encourage investigation of sight, sound, touch, smell and movement. The environment stimulates the senses and enhances curiosity. Language development is introduced by baby signs, music and early literacy activities. Early education emphasizes exploration and self-expression while learning to develop relationships and build trust. As infants become toddlers, they begin a more structured program that leads to the discovery of "I can do this." Children begin to have a sense of self-being as they prepare for the transition to preschool.

Infant Program

Our infant program is available for children at six weeks of age. Infants are divided into small groups of eight; each group has two staff members and additional support as needed. The environment encourages gross and fine motor development by offering hands-on manipulative/sensory activities and soft climbing areas. Infants are also taught and encouraged to use sign language. While it is important for infants to learn and develop new skills, it is equally important that they receive plenty of attention and love. All mothers are encouraged to participate in "The Rocker Club." This club has a comfortable area reserved for visiting mothers to nurse or feed their infant.

Toddler and Two Year Old Programs

Our toddler and two year old programs place a high importance on developing self-help skills in a nurturing environment. Small class sizes, comprised of 10 toddlers or 12 two year olds per class, ensure that children have the needed attention to build a foundation of confidence, self-esteem and Christian values. Circle time is the foundation for many daily learning activities, as well as small learning centers.



Tuition and Fees

	Extended Day 7:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. 12 months a year	School Day 8:15 a.m. - 3:15 p.m. 10 months a year
Classes	Weekly Rate	Weekly Rate
Infants*		
M- F	\$230	\$194
Toddlers*		
M- F	\$200	\$170
Twos*		
M- F	\$190	\$162
M/W/F	\$150	\$135
T/TH	\$120	\$100

* A limited number of partial week classes are available for infants, toddlers and twos. Please contact the Admissions Coordinator for more information.

A \$150 non-refundable annual registration fee is due during the enrollment process.

Early Childhood Director

Lynn Keckonen has thirty years of experience in early childhood education. Prior to working at Prince of Peace, she was the Eastern United States Senior Director of Mini Skool Inc., responsible for overseeing the operation of more than fifty schools within a ten-state region. Currently she is in charge of developing and directing Prince of Peace Christian School's Early Learning Center that will begin in August of 2008.

Admission Information

For more information, please contact Marilyn Hancock, Admissions Coordinator, at 972- 447-0532 ext. 460, or marilyn.hancock@princeofpeace.org.

