

Providence Christian School **Pre-School Curriculum**

At Providence Christian School, we use a varied approach to curriculum with our youngest of children. In an effort to provide them with a well-rounded program, we strive to take a developmental approach. Our school day is balanced with a mixture of teacher directed and free choice activities, circle time, centers, free-play, and academic lessons focusing on pre-reading/reading and mathematics. Through our unit studies, students are exposed to social studies, science, and Bible concepts. Not only do we set out to prepare students for Kindergarten; but at Providence, we prepare students to *excel* in Kindergarten. Our students receive a solid educational foundation with biblical principals infused throughout all aspects of the curriculum.

Curriculum Publishers:

- A Beka
- Saxon
- Christian Schools International

Skills Covered:

- Phonics-sounds, blends, rules, sight words, and beginning reading
- Math-numbers (1-20), recognition, counting, grouping, calendar concepts, addition, and subtraction
- Character Building-contentment, diligence, honesty, obedience, faithfulness, attentiveness, creativity, patience, wisdom, tenderheartedness, thankfulness
- Writing
- Drawing
- Arts and Crafts
- Music

Unit Studies:

- Time for School
- Taking Care of Myself
- Seasons
- The World We Live In

Bible Unit Studies:

- Creation
- Adam and Eve
- Noah's Ark
- Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob
- Moses and the Ten Commandments
- David and Goliath
- Psalm 23
- Jesus