

# Registration Application

CHILD'S LEGAL NAME (ex. MATTHEW JOHN SMITH) \_\_\_\_\_

NAME FOR COAT HOOK / ATTENDANCE CARD  
(ex. MATT) \_\_\_\_\_

BIRTHDATE \_\_\_\_\_ GENDER \_\_\_\_\_

YEAR BEGINNING KINDERGARTEN \_\_\_\_\_

HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT US? \_\_\_\_\_

MOTHER'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT PHONE w/area code \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

FATHER'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT PHONE w/area code \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS (if different from above) \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

HOME CHURCH \_\_\_\_\_

Please Check:  Current Preschool Family

Christ Church Member  Alumni

General Public

Check ONE: you may only register for one class

T/TH a.m. (3's/4's)  T/TH p.m. (3's/4's)

Tuition: \$1,440/year (\$160/month for 9 months)

M/W/F a.m. (4's/5's)  M/W/F p.m. (4's/5's)

Tuition: \$1620/year (\$180/month for 9 months)

M/W/F a.m. (5's/6's)

Tuition: \$1620/year (\$180/month for 9 months)

## A \$75 registration fee is due with this application.

The registration fee is nonrefundable, unless you are placed on a waiting list and we are not able to place your child in a class.

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Kindergarten readiness through  
quality, Christian-based education

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## About Us

At Christ Church Preschool, we prepare children for kindergarten and teach them the love of Jesus. We offer small class sizes with one teacher to ten children, allowing teachers to know each child individually and assess their learning needs. We are licensed by the Department of Human Services, and achieve a voluntary quality rating through Parent Aware. By the time your child completes preschool, they should have the skills they need to be successful in Kindergarten and beyond.

### 3 & 4 year olds learn:

- Classroom skills, such as taking directions from their teacher, waiting in line, and sitting quietly during story time
- Socialization skills, like asking the teacher for help, sharing with classmates, using manners, resolving conflicts and making good choices for themselves
- Independence skills such as putting on boots and jackets, pouring their own drink, putting their own dishes away during snack, and using the restroom on their own
- Academic skills such as basic letter and number recognition, EZ Write handwriting development, colors, and shapes
- Large motor skills through outdoor play and indoor games
- Healthy eating skills
- Spiritual growth through Bible stories, curriculum content, prayers and songs



### In addition to the skills listed above, 4 & 5 year olds will be learning:

- EZ Write handwriting development (used by ISD 728)
- Letter sounds and phonics
- Numbers, letters, colors, and shapes in English and Spanish
- A new sight word every week
- What it's like to ride a bus and go on a field trip

**5 & 6 year olds will continue to learn the skills listed above in accordance with their maturity level. More emphasis will be placed on phonics, sight words, math skills, and discovering the world around them through science and dramatic play.**

We also offer in-class enrichment opportunities to all students throughout the year.

## A Typical Day

**Learning Center Time:** Children start their day by learning through play and exploration in our Learning Centers. Every week, we change the unit of study and set out new toys/games/puzzles and dramatic play. During this time children develop in these areas:

- Social/emotional
- approaches to learning
- creativity and the arts
- cognitive
- language and literacy
- physical and motor development

Teachers observe the children during their interactions to assess developmental growth and set learning goals.

**Group Time:** The Teacher gathers the children together for a Bible story, children's stories, songs, poems, music, calendar, weather, EZ writing, and art.

**Snack Time:** Children wash their hands and are offered a healthy snack from two different food groups. They are encouraged to try new foods, pour their own beverages, use table manners, and clean up after themselves.

**Large Motor Time:** Children complete their day using large motor skills outside in the playground. Indoor activities are provided when the weather does not allow for outdoor play.



## Class Days and Times

### Three & Four-year olds (must be 3 years old by Sept. 1)

T/TH Morning Class: 9:00 to 11:30 a.m.

T/TH Afternoon Class: 12:30 to 3:00 p.m.

### Four & Five-year olds (must be 4 years old by Sept. 1)

M/W/F Morning Class: 9:00 to 11:30 a.m.

M/W/F Afternoon Class: 12:30 to 3:00 p.m.

### Five & Six-year olds (must be 5 years old by Sept. 1)

M/W/F Morning Class: 9:00 to 11:30 a.m.

\*Per DHS licensing rules, all preschool children must be toilet trained. No diapers or pull ups may be worn in class.

## Our Teaching Staff

Your child will be taught under the caring guidance of their Teacher. At the time of this publication, we have three teachers on staff. All of our teachers have Bachelor's degrees. Our class sizes are one teacher to ten students. Our staff attend continuing education courses throughout the year in order to ensure that they are following best practices for Early Childhood Education.

## Our Christian Emphasis

We believe that God created us, Jesus loves us, and Jesus died and resurrected to save us from our sins. We introduce concepts of faith through praying before snack, reading daily Bible stories, celebrating Christian holidays, curriculum units (Christmas, Easter, Heroes of the Bible), and our individual actions. Preschool staff will pray for or help children and families with other needs, when we know about them. We strive to live out our faith in our daily lives to make a positive impact on our community.

*Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me. Do not keep them away. The kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these."*

*Matthew 19:14*

Christ Church Preschool admits students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin to all programs and activities made available to students at the school. It does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national and ethnic origin in administration of its educational policies, admission policies, scholarship program, and other school administered programs.

**Registration takes place in the following order, first come, first served, in-person only, by completing this brochure and submitting the \$75 registration fee:**

- Current Preschool Families (Jan. 19-22)
- Christ Church Members/Alumni (Jan 24-28)
- General Public (Jan 29 from 4 -6 p.m. at our open house)

Please submit your brochure to Laura Johnson, Preschool Director. For more information, email [laura@christchurchotsego.org](mailto:laura@christchurchotsego.org) or call (763) 441-5097 ext. 15

Registration opens online on February 1st at [www.christchurchotsego.org/preschool](http://www.christchurchotsego.org/preschool).