

# ***PROVIDENCE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL***

Kindergarten Program Information Packet  
2012-2013



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Morning Kindergarten Class: 8:00 a.m.-11:15 a.m.  
Afternoon Kindergarten Class: 11:45 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

## ***Minimum Prerequisites***

*Your child should:*

- be able to sit quietly and pay attention for a reasonable amount of time
- be able to understand and follow simple directions
- be able to care for personal needs (e.g., dressing, toileting, etc.)
- have understandable speech
- be able to recognize his/her name when printed
- be able to recognize most colors
- be five years old by December 1 of the year enrolled

## **Skills not required, but very helpful**

- be able to recognize most alphabet letters
- be able to recognize numbers to ten
- be able to count to thirty
- be able to tie shoes
- know his/her complete name, address and/or telephone number
- be able to print name and most uppercase letters

*Prior to commencement of school, all Kindergarten students will be assessed for skills in letter, number, shape, and color recognition. In addition, they are screened for visual discrimination and motor skills.*

## **At the end of the school year, the student should know**

### ***Phonics***

- recognition, recall, and reproduction of all letters and sounds of the alphabet
- introduction to reading: one-vowel words, basic sight words, simple sentences, digraphs, and consonant blends
- demonstrate knowledge of concepts about print
- retell familiar stories

### ***Math***

- counting to 100
- recognition, recall, and reproduction of numbers to 100
- counting by fives and tens to 100
- time: hour and half-hour
- recognition and understanding of the value of a penny, nickel, and dime
- beginning addition and subtraction concepts
- ordinals to ten
- sort objects by attributes (color, weight, length, capacity)
- extend repeated patterns
- identify shapes (e.g., circle, triangle, square, rectangle, cube, sphere)

### ***Writing***

- print first and last name
- write uppercase and lowercase letters independently
- write brief, legible sentences
- use simple phonetic spelling

# Kindergarten Daily Schedule 2012-2013

*Morning Class 8:00 a.m.-9:30 a.m./Afternoon Class 11:45 a.m.-1:15 p.m.*

**Opening Exercises:** Pledges, Prayer, Calendar, and Morning Message

**Bible Time:** Singing, Bible Story, and Memory Verse

**Language Arts:** Phonics-Letters and Sounds, Shared Reading, Interactive Charts, Shared Writing

*Morning Class 9:00 a.m.-9:45 a.m./Afternoon Class 11:45 a.m.-12:30 p.m.*

**Chapel**

*Morning Class 9:30 a.m.-9:50 a.m./Afternoon Class 1:15 p.m.-1:35 p.m.*

**Snack and Recess**

*Morning Class 9:50 a.m.-10:40 a.m./Afternoon Class 1:35 p.m.-2:25 p.m.*

**Handwriting:** Formation of Letters

**Math:** Numbers, Counting, Manipulatives, Critical Thinking Skills

*Morning Class 10:40 a.m.-11:15 a.m./Afternoon Class 2:25 p.m.-3:00 p.m.*

**Units:** Science and Social Studies, Art, Literature

*\*Morning Class 10:45 a.m.-11:15 a.m./Afternoon Class 2:30 p.m.-3:00 p.m.—Tuesdays & Fridays\**

**\*Physical Education**

*\*Morning Class 8:30 a.m.-9:30 a.m./Afternoon Class 12:15 p.m.-1:15 p.m.—Fridays\**

**\*Language Arts Centers**

*\*Morning Class 9:50 a.m.-10:40 a.m./Afternoon Class 1:35 p.m.-2:25 p.m.—Fridays\**

**\*Math Centers**

**\*Spanish:** Two times per week for 15 minutes with Señora Massa\*