

Toddler & Early Preschool Goals & Objectives

Spiritual Development

The student will be instructed that:

Jesus loves them

Prayer is talking to God

The Bible is God's Word

Jesus' birth will be celebrated at Christmas

The children will celebrate that "Jesus is alive" at Easter

Character Development

Honesty Self-Control

Sharing Manners

Kindness

Listening Skills

The student will be given the opportunity to:

Listen quietly to stories, with attention span lengthening over time

Understand yes and no

Follow two-part directions

Oral Language Skills

The student will be encouraged to:

Use two to three-word phrases

Vocalize needs and wants

Answer simple questions

Say own first name upon request

Expand vocabulary with time



Gross Motor Skills

The student will be given the opportunity to:

- Run
- Jump from bottom step to the floor
- Throw a ball
- Walk backwards

Fine Motor Skills

The student will be given the opportunity to:

- Control small muscles in hands
- Coordinate eye/hand movement
- Use tools-playdough blocks, puzzles

Skills

The student will be given the opportunity to:

- Engage in make-believe play
- Interact with peers, using gestures
- Choose and play with a toy independently
- Use thinking skills to resolve conflict

Emotional Skills

The student will be given the opportunity to:

- Learn about self and others
- Begin to use strategies learned to manage and express own feelings
- Begin to use feeling words
- Use face, body and voice to guide own feelings

Self-Help Skills

The student will be given the opportunity to:

- Eat a meal by themselves with a spoon or a fork
- Give up bottle and pacifier completely while at school
- Indicate the need to use toilet
- Start toilet training when ready
- Wash and dry hands with assistance

Cognitive Skills

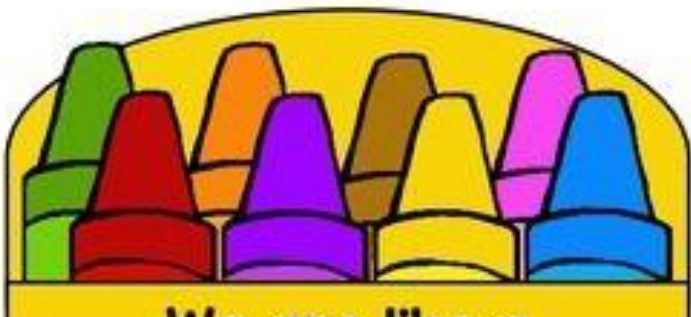
The student will be given the opportunity to:

- Recognize eight basic colors
- Match object with like picture
- Match sounds with animals
- Remember where objects belong

Music Skills

The student will be given the opportunity to:

- Participate in group singing
- Enjoy musical instruments



Sing phrases of songs