

# Monthly Academic Goals Preschool

At *Family of Christ Child Development Center*, we engage the Preschooler in hands-on learning combined with teacher directed activities. A list of *Monthly Academic Goals* will be sent home at the beginning of each month. Your child will be exposed to these goals, and since we expect our students to develop at different paces, our intention is to make them feel proud of all their accomplishments.

*Family of Christ* Preschool Curriculum is divided into 6 main components. They are:

**Social Skills:** The students will be given an opportunity to learn and practice the social and emotional vocabulary/skills needed for continued success in school.

**Math Readiness:** The students will be introduced to counting, patterning, sequencing, size comparison, greater than and less than through hands on games and activities throughout the course of a day.

**Motor Skills:** The students will be introduced to a wide variety of opportunities that encourage fine/gross motor skill development. (cutting with scissors, puzzles, building with blocks, manipulatives, art activities, running, jumping, kicking, catching and balancing).

**God's Wonderful World** (Science & Social Studies): Students will participate in Science experiments and use tools to observe, predict and discover God's wonderful world. Students will become more aware of God's Community through a variety of unit themes.

**Literacy Readiness:** Students will experience early literacy with an exposure to an array of literature, flannel stories, story sequencing, songs, expanding vocabulary, dictations, pre-writing practice and other Circle Time games and activities.

**Bible Time:** Daily Bible Time will give students an opportunity to learn about God's Word. Weekly Bible themes will be presented in creative lessons and songs to let the students know that Jesus loves them.

