

Early Childhood:

A typical day in the PreK/K Classroom

While every day is a little different, we know that young children thrive on routines. Our schedule balances a wide array of specialists with the consistency of the classroom community.

8:00 Arrival and Outdoor Play

8:30 Morning Meeting

8:40 Focused Learning (more information on reverse)

10:00 Snack and Story

10:15 Recess

10:30 Library (half groups) and Spanish/Music (half groups)

11:00 Spanish/Music (half groups) and Library (half groups)

11:30 Lunch

12:00 Recess

12:30 Focused Learning

1:00 Story and Rest Time

2:00 Activity Time

2:45 Gather & Reflect

3:10 Dismissal

4:30 Bus Departure

Our youngest learners occupy the first floor of the Early Childhood Building, and have two large, bright classrooms at their disposal. In addition, they utilize the library, PreK/K art room, music classroom and auditorium, technology lab, maker space, gymnasium, and dining hall. Students in PreK/K enjoy three recesses each day on our expansive playground, and have many opportunities to be outdoors.

SCHOOL SCHEDULE

PreK - Grade 8

8:15 - 3:10 M - F

Early Birds Program

Daily, beginning 7:30 a.m.

Free, drop-ins welcome

Extended Day & Enrichment Programs

Daily, until 6:00 p.m.

Additional fee, yearly and drop-in rates

Lunch and snack are
provided daily



Sample Schedule

PreK/K	Monday		Tuesday		Wednesday		Thursday		Friday	
8:15-8:45	Arrival & Morning Meeting		Arrival & Morning Meeting		Arrival & Morning Meeting		Arrival & Morning Meeting		Arrival & Morning Meeting	
8:45-9:00	Handwriting		8:45-Art	9:15 Literacy Groups	8:45-Art	9:15 Literacy Groups	Handwriting		Math	
9:00-9:30	Weekend News						Theme			
9:30-10:00	PE		9:15-Literacy Groups	9:45 Art	9:15-Literacy Groups	9:45 Art	Theme		Theme wrap up	
10:00-10:30	Snack & Recess		Snack & Recess		Snack & Recess		Snack & Recess		Snack & Recess	
10:30-11:00	Tech	Math	Spanish/Music	PE	PE		Library	Spanish/Music	Assembly	
11:00-11:30	Math	Tech	PE	Spanish/Music	Story Workshop		Spanish/Music	Library		
11:30-12:00	Lunch		Lunch		Lunch		Lunch		Lunch	
12:00-12:30	Recess		Recess		Recess		Recess		Recess	
12:30-1:15	Theme		Math		Social & Emotional Learning		Math		12:30 Spanish/Music	1:00 Literacy Groups
1:15-2:00	Story & Rest Time		Story & Rest Time		Story & Rest Time		Story & Rest Time		1:00 Literacy Groups	1:30 Spanish/Music
2:00-2:45	Activity Time		Activity Time		Activity Time		PreK-2 Activity Time		Activity Time	
2:45 - 3:10	Pack Up & Dismissal		Pack Up & Dismissal		Pack Up & Dismissal		Pack Up & Dismissal		Pack Up & Dismissal	

PreK/K Specials

Technology

Tech focuses on using physical tools, learning to create simple electrical circuits, introducing programming through block-based languages and physically acting out instructions, and engineering physical structures for robots to navigate through.

Spanish & Music

The Spanish & Music program is based on *Canta y Baila Conmigo*®, a unique program where young children experience another culture and language firsthand while exploring and developing musically in an age-appropriate manner.

Library

The library is a place to develop a love of books and understand that this is a special place where books are kept, cared for, and respected. Children discover the joy of reading, enrich their vocabulary, and develop listening skills during read-aloud story-time.

Physical Education

P.E. is developmental and skill-based. Through movement, students learn how to activate and control the many ways in which their bodies move. They practice skills through frequent repetition.

Art

Art aligns with classroom studies. The focus is on exploring a range of art materials and developing self-esteem, with an emphasis on self-expression.