Kindergarten

The Kindergarten program at Learning Brooke offers a positive balance between social, emotional, cognitive and physical development. Children are encouraged to be active participants as they question, theorize and study themselves, their community and the world we live in. Long term investigations and projects inspire children to provide narrative and structure to the learning experience. Our teachers use observation, dialogue and documentation with children to develop and deepen the curriculum, while encouraging the children to explore and test new ideas. The children's theories are then expressed through different languages, both oral and written, clay, paint, dance, wood, wire and music, to name a few. In a naturally integrated and child directed way, children will acquire reading, writing, mathematical, scientific and social skills. This experience will help them achieve ownership of their learning and motivate them to question, analyze and theorize as their educational careers continue.

Objectives

- provide an enriched environment with many opportunities for social, emotional, physical, language and cognitive development
- foster active engagement with natural materials in the social world around us
- promote creativity and provide a range of opportunities to express feelings and ideas, with the focus on the process rather than the product
- instill collaboration, leadership and teamwork concepts
- incorporate families in the learning process within the classroom, and help
- develop a sense of community
- widen their experiences through use of critical thinking skills and problem solving
- empower children to succeed in school and in life

Kindergarten Enrichment

Children who attend public school morning Kindergarten are invited to join our program for the afternoon. Busing needs to be worked out with the school district, as Learning Brooke does not provide transportation. Please ask us for a Busing Request Form to fax to the transportation office. Once you hear a confirmation From the school district, we can proceed with enrollment. Each child should also bring a lunch with them.

Schedule

Before School

Kindergarten

8:30-9:15	Arrival and Learning Centers
9:15-9:45	Morning Snack
9:45-10:15	Reading/Writing Workshop
10:15-11:00	Learning Centers/Small Group Work

Kindergarten Enrichment children join the class.

11:00-11:30	Morning Meeting
11:30-12:30	Outside Time/Large Motor
12:30-1:15	Lunch
1:15 -1:30	Relaxation Time/Yoga
1:30-2:00	Reading/Writing Workshop
2:00-2:45	Small Group Work/Learning Centers

After School children join the class

After School

3:15-4:15	Outside Time/Large Motor
4:15-4:30	Afternoon Snack
4:30-5:30	Homework Support/Learning Centers

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Kindergarten	Daily	5-Day
Morning Kindergarten: 8:30-12:30		240
Full Day Kindergarten: 7:30-5:30		290

Before and After School	Daily	5-Day
Before School: 7:30-8:30	11	50
After School: 3:30-5:30	18	85
Before and After School	28	126

Kindergarten Enrichment	Daily	5-Day
PM Enrichment: 11:30-3:30	48	210
Enrichment with Before School	60	250
Enrichment with After School	65	260
Enrichment with Before/After School	70	285

Kindergarten & School Age

Program Information



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