

Our Redeemer's Lutheran Preschool

2018 - 2019



It is our mission to provide age appropriate opportunities for each child to experience learning success in a Christian setting.

3580 N. Benton Avenue
Helena, MT 59602
442-7842 x 20

Our Redeemer's Preschool is a ministry of Our Redeemer's Lutheran Church. We believe each child is unique and precious - a child of God. Allowing children to experience the joy of learning through both play-based and instructional methods, our ultimate goal is to prepare them for continued success in their education, and in their lives.

We provide opportunities for each child's individual growth in the following areas:

- **Cognitive** - Explore and learn
- **Physical** - Our bodies are amazing!
- **Emotional** - How to share feelings
- **Social** - Spending time with friends
- **Spiritual** - God loves me!

Our Redeemer's Lutheran Preschool, established in 1999, is staffed by experienced teachers who hold degrees in education and are devoted to positive early childhood learning.

Registration

Children are placed into classes based on their ages as September 10, 2018.

To enroll, please return completed registration form **and** \$90 Supply Fee to:

Preschool Director
Our Redeemer's Lutheran Church
3580 N. Benton Ave.
Helena, MT 59602

For more information, please contact:

(406) 442-7842 ext. 20
preschool@ourredeemerlives.org

ORLP accepts students of any race, color, and national or ethnic origin.

A Day at preschool...

We strive to provide each child with the opportunity to be actively involved in their learning through play, exploration, and hands-on experiences. Our class sizes are small, which enables us to provide a safe, nurturing atmosphere.

A typical day includes:

- Circle time
- Art/craft projects
- Music and movement activities
- Learning centers/free play
- Snack
- Outdoor/nature play
- Literacy activities and story time
- Weekly chapel time
- Ample opportunities to practice friendship, social, and school skills

Throughout the year we also offer enrichment activities for students and families. These may include:

- Spanish instruction
- Music enrichment
- Literacy events/bookmobile visits
- Field trips/neighborhood outreach
- Guest speakers and instructors
- Family gatherings
- Art show
- Parent workshops



Class Offerings 2018-2019

Three-Year-Old Classes

Child must be 3 by Sept. 10, 2018

Tuition- \$115/month

Supply Fee- \$90 due at registration

- ◇ Monday and Wednesday
8:45 - 11:00 a.m.
- ◇ Tuesday and Thursday
8:45 - 11:00 a.m.

Skill development will be emphasized in the following areas:

- Colors and Shapes
- Introduction to Alphabet
- Counting to 10 and above
- Verbal skills/friendship skills
- Coloring, gluing, cutting activities
- Gross motor activities
- Group participation
- Good manners
- Self-care
- Following directions
- Development of the teacher/child relationship

Parents are asked to volunteer in the classroom about once a month. This provides a good opportunity to participate in your child's educational experience.

Four-Year-Old Classes

Child must be 4 by Sept. 10, 2018

Tuition- \$155/month

Supply Fee- \$90 due at registration

- ◇ Monday/Wednesday/Thursday
8:45 - 11:15 am
- ◇ Monday/Wednesday/Thursday
12:15 - 2:45 p.m.

Skill development will be emphasized in the following areas:

- Introduction to letter recognition and letter sounds
- Numbers 0-10 (recognition/value)
- Counting to 20 and above
- Coloring, gluing and cutting activities
- Verbal skills
- Group participation
- Good manners
- Friendship skills
- Self-care
- Gross & Fine Motor skills

Parents are asked to volunteer in the classroom about once a month. This provides a good opportunity to participate in your child's educational experience.

Pre-Kindergarten Classes

Child must be 4 by Sept. 10, 2018

Tuition- \$215/month

Supply Fee- \$90 due at registration

- ◇ Monday through Thursday
8:15 - 11:15 am
- ◇ Monday through Thursday
12:00 - 3:00 pm

Skill development will be emphasized in the following areas:

- Letter recognition and letter sound development
- Number concepts
- Math skills
- Science concepts
- Handwriting, coloring, gluing and cutting activities
- Communication skills
- Good manners
- Friendship skills
- Self-care
- Gross & Fine Motor skills

Volunteer days are available but are not mandatory.

Things to Know...

- ◆ Children are placed according to their age as of September 10, 2018.
- ◆ Children should be potty-trained, or working toward self-sufficiency with bathroom needs.
- ◆ Family orientation meetings will be held in August– be watching your mail.
- ◆ We offer a \$5/month discount for families with more than one child enrolled, and for preschool board members.
- ◆ The Supply Fee is due when registering and covers all classroom supplies (this breaks down to \$10/month). The Supply Fee is non-refundable, unless your child cannot be placed in desired class.
- ◆ Volunteer days *are required* in the three- and four-year-old classes. They are a wonderful opportunity to participate in your child's education (as well as a great help to the teacher).
- ◆ Should withdrawal become necessary, we require a 30-day written notice.
- ◆ We follow the Helena School District calendar (with a few exceptions).

Please direct questions to:

preschool@ourredeemerlives.org

Or call us at:

406-442-7842 ext. 20



**Our Redeemer's Lutheran Preschool Registration Form
2018-19 School Year**

Please indicate 1st and 2nd choice:

Three-year-old Sessions Four-year-old Sessions Pre-K Sessions

_____ M/W a.m. _____ M/W/Th a.m. _____ M-Th a.m.

_____ T/Th a.m. _____ M/W/Th p.m. _____ M-Th p.m.

Child's Name _____ Gender _____ Birthdate _____

Parent/Guardian Name _____ Home/Cell Phone _____

Address _____ Zip _____ Work Phone _____

E-mail Address _____

Special circumstances _____

Would you like more information about serving on the Preschool Board? Yes ___ No ___

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