

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

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2020- 2021



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



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

Registration

To enroll, please return completed registration form with \$100 Supply Fee to:

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Questions?

Please call us at 406-442-7842 x 20 or contact us at 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 our students and their families. These may include:

- Music/Movement enrichment
- Literacy events/Bookmobile visits
- Spanish instruction
- Science enrichment
- Field trips/Neighborhood outreach
- Guest speakers and instructors
- Family gatherings and meals
- Christmas programs
- Art show

Class Offerings 2020-2021

Three-Year-Old Classes

Child must be 3 by Sept. 10, 2020

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

Tuition- \$124/month

Supply Fee- \$100 due at registration

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
- Appropriate classroom behavior

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, 2020

- ◇ Monday, Tuesday, Thursday
8:45 - 11:15 a.m.
- ◇ Monday, Tuesday, Thursday
12:15-2:45 p.m.

Tuition- \$165/month

Supply Fee- \$100 due at registration

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
- Following directions
- Appropriate classroom behavior

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, 2020

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

Tuition- \$227/month

Supply Fee- \$100 due at registration

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
- Ability to work independently

Volunteer days are available but are not mandatory.

Things to Know...

- ◆ Children are placed according to their age as of September 10, 2020
- ◆ 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 about \$11/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.
- ◆ Classes start the week after Labor Day and then follow the Helena School District calendar (with a few exceptions).
- ◆ We offer an optional add-on Lunch Bunch program for all students. Sign ups for this program will be held during orientation in August.

