#### **Throughout the Year**

We also offer enrichment activities for our students and their families. These may include:

- Music and movement enrichment
- Visits to the garden, local parks
- Community outreach
- Guest speakers and instructors
- Family gatherings and activities
- Christmas programs
- Art show
- Spanish language lessons

#### **Lunch Bunch**

We offer an optional add-on Lunch Bunch program to all students. Lunch Bunch allows children the experience of a longer school day and the opportunity to eat and play with peers, including friends from other classes. Students bring their own lunch, and are able to attend on a regular or drop in basis.

#### Daily (M-F) 11:00 AM - 12:15 PM

Lunch Bunch Fees:

2 days per week = \$65/month

3 days per week = \$85/month

4 days per week = \$105/month

5 days per week = \$125/month

Drop in = \$10.00/day

Lunch Bunch sign ups will take place at orientation in August. Availability is limited. Our Redeemer's Lutheran Preschool 2025-2026



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

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Scan QR Code for online Registration Form Our Redeemer's Preschool is a ministry of Our Redeemer's Lutheran Church. We believe each person 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 value the natural learning strategies of children:

- Using our **senses** to look, smell, touch, listen and taste.
- Engaging in play, imagination and games.
- Using language and story to create understanding, build relationships, and explore feelings.
- Engaging others in social interaction and collaboration.
- Feeding our **spirit** by experiencing God's love.

Our Redeemer's Preschool, established in 1999, is staffed by experienced teachers devoted to positive early childhood learning.

# **Registration**

To enroll, please return completed registration form with non-refundable \$100 Registration Fee. **There will not be an extra fee for snacks.** 

Our Redeemer's Preschool accepts students of any race, color, gender, and national or ethnic origin.



# A Day at Our Redeemer's 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
- Healthy snack
- Outdoor/nature play
- Literacy activities and story time
- · Weekly chapel time
- Ample opportunities to practice friendship, social, school skills, and play.

#### **Three-Year-Old Classes**

(Child must be 3 by September 2025)

Monday, Wednesday, and Friday 8:30 - 11:00 AM or 12:15 - 2:45 PM Tuition - \$285 month

Tuesday and Thursday 8:30 - 11:00 AM or 12:15 - 2:45 PM Tuition - \$220 month

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

## **Four- Year-Old Classes**

(Child must be 4 by September 2025)

Monday - Thursday (Friday optional)

Mornings

8:15 - 11:15 AM

Tuition - \$360 Month

Include Friday - Tuition - \$405 Month

Monday - Thursday (Friday optional)

Afternoons

12:00 - 3:00 PM

Tuition - \$360 Month

Include Friday - Tuition - \$405 Month

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

# **Pre-Kindergarten Classes**

(Child must be 4 by March 2025)

Monday - Friday

8:15 AM - 3:00 PM

All Day Tuition - \$810 Month

Includes snack and Lunch Bunch

Monday - Thursday (Friday optional)

Afternoons

12:00 - 3:00 PM

Tuition - \$360 Month

Include Friday - Tuition - \$405 Month

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
- Cooperation in a group setting
- Appropriate classroom behavior

### Things to Know

- Children are placed according to their age as of March (PreK) 2025
   & September (3's & 4's) 2025.
- Children should be potty-trained and working toward selfsufficiency with bathroom needs.
- Family orientation meetings will be held in August. Information will arrive by email.
- If full year tuition is paid up front,
   5% will be deducted from total tuition cost.
- The Registration Fee is due when registering and covers many classroom supplies. The Registration Fee is non-refundable, unless your child cannot be placed in desired class.
- Parent Volunteer days are appreciated but not required. This is 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 do reserve the right to recommend other resources/ placement for families of children that may find a better fit in another quality educational atmosphere.
- Classes start the week after Labor Day and then follow the Helena School District calendar (with a few exceptions).