

How do I know if my child is ready for Jr. Kindergarten?

If you are unsure whether this program would be a good fit for your child, ask yourself these questions.

Without help, can my child:

- Count to 30?
- Randomly identify the numbers 1 - 10?
- Randomly identify at least 13 letters?
- Write his/her name?
- Socialize well with other children?

If you answered yes to these questions, your child may be a good fit for Jr. Kindergarten. If you answered no, but would like your child to benefit from the extra academic exposure before Kindergarten, please speak to Ms. Yasheva or Ms. Tammy at the front desk. We will let you know if Jr. Kindergarten is possible for your child and provide you with ways to prepare your child to enter this class.

Jr. Kindergarten is also a commitment on the part of the parents. In this class, there are weekly homework assignments, reading bags every other week, and other fun activities that require parent involvement.

Children Learn What They Live

*If children live with criticism,
They learn to condemn.*

*If children live with hostility,
They learn to fight.*

*If children live with ridicule,
They learn to be shy.*

*If children live with shame,
They learn to feel guilty.*

*If children live with tolerance,
They learn to be patient.*

*If children live with praise,
They learn to appreciate.*

*If children live with fairness,
They learn justice.*

*If children live with security,
They learn to have faith.*

*If children live with approval,
They learn to like themselves.*

*If children live with acceptance and friendship,
They learn to find love in the world.*

- Dorothy Low



Jr. Kindergarten

Does your child:

- Miss the Kindergarten cut off date?
- Need time to grow in a supportive environment before entering Elementary school?
- Enjoy exposure to challenging new ideas and concepts with hands on lessons.

If you answered yes to any of these questions, Jr. Kindergarten may be the best choice for your child.



***Your Child Deserves
The BEST!!!***

About Jr. Kindergarten?

It's a fact, children born December 2nd or later are not eligible for Kindergarten. Regardless of academic or social preparedness, they simply must wait another year before entering Kindergarten. On the other hand, many parents feel that while technically eligible for Kindergarten, their child would benefit from additional time in a caring and personalized environment before entering a large elementary school classroom.

In both instances, these children are often among the oldest and most academically advanced in school. In a typical Pre-Kindergarten class, it can be difficult to challenge these students, without leaving the rest of the class behind. This can lead to behavior problems or a general disinterest in learning.

Jr. Kindergarten is a well-structured program with high academic standards that challenge and keep the interest of even the most advanced children. In Jr. Kindergarten, we use Kindergarten level programs in a relaxed atmosphere to explore language, writing, mathematics, and science in an enjoyable classroom atmosphere. Our goal within the Jr. Kindergarten program is to address the developmental needs and raise the readiness skills of each child to their fullest potential. This tremendously successful program is only available to a select group of children. Please ask the director to see if your child is eligible.

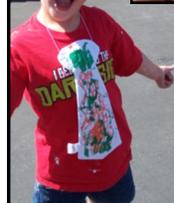
Core Curriculum

- Math
- Language
- Phonics & Reading
- Writing
- Social Studies
- Physical Education



Fieldtrips

- Discovery Museum
- Lazy 'H' Ranch
- Pumpkin Patch
- Planetarium
- & More



Enrichment

Classes

- Science
- Spanish
- Computers

- Art
- Music



Special Events / Parties

- Christmas Program
- Mother's Day Tea
- Donuts for Dad
- Grandparents Day Story
- Drama
- & More

In Jr. Kindergarten, children feel a sense of pride knowing that they are not just a "preschooler", but are a special. Children use computers weekly, have extra enrichment classes, and go on fieldtrips. They are given more exposure to academic concepts and the curriculum covers a wider range of subjects. In today's competitive environment, your child deserves the edge that Jr. Kindergarten will provide.

