

2026/2027

Thank you for your interest in The Preschool Academy. We have a variety of programs available to meet the needs of your family.

To secure your child a spot for the 2026/2027 school year you will need to go to our website at [ThePreschoolAcademy.net](http://ThePreschoolAcademy.net) follow the link to Brightwheel to create account. Once you have created your account you will be able to register and pay \$125 registration fee. Applications are accepted on a first-come, first-serve basis and according to class availability. Submitting your registration quickly is important to ensure the day and time you desire is available. Application fee is non-refundable and does not count toward tuition. Your registration fee will be refunded if your child is not accepted to The Preschool Academy. If you have further questions, please call or stop by to speak with one of our teachers.

In the past we have taken the students to the Children's Center for developmental screenings once school has begun. However, in partnership with the Children's Center we are asking that you, as a parent, take your child to the Children's Center prior to the start of the school year. This will give us a starting framework as to where each student is as they enter our program and enables us to best fit their needs from day one. More information will be shared in the acceptance letter you receive.

-The Preschool Academy Staff



THE PRESCHOOL ACADEMY  
UNLEASHING WONDER, ONE CHILD AT A TIME

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

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## Mission Statement

At The Preschool Academy we believe childhood is a precious gift from God—a time of wonder, joy and endless possibility. Guided by Christian values, our mission is to nurture each child’s natural curiosity in a loving, joyful environment where they feel safe to explore, imagine, and grow. We cherish every question, celebrate every discovery, and guide little hearts and minds with warmth and care.

Our teaching staff knows that learning isn’t one-size-fits-all. That’s why our curriculum is thoughtfully updated each year to reflect the latest best practices in early childhood education. Our experienced teachers continuously observe, assess, and adjust to meet the unique needs and interests of each child

We align our learning goals with local and national kindergarten readiness standards, focusing on the building blocks of success: early literacy, math foundations, social-emotional skills, independence, and a love of learning. But we also know that play, imagination, and wonder are just as important—so we blend skill-building with joyful, hands-on experiences that make learning feel like a grand adventure.

Regular teacher training, family communication, and developmental assessments help us ensure every child is progressing confidently toward kindergarten—academically, socially, and emotionally.

## Programs Offered

### Preschool Classes

The classroom provides a nurturing environment which fosters creativity, new experiences, and developmentally appropriate practices. Learning opportunities are made available through play, literature, and a personal relationship with each child. Children attending the 3 & 4-year-old class must be 3 by September 1st, 2026, and be fully and independently potty trained.

### Lunch bunch

A great way to make the fun last longer! Lunch bunch is your child’s own social hour and an easy solution if you need a little extra time in the day. Lunch bunch is an optional program scheduled for children to stay an extra hour each day or come an hour early the day they attend school. Each child will bring his or her own lunch and participate in additional learning activities. Reservations will be made monthly. Drop in for lunch bunch is not guaranteed as we plan for sufficient staff. The fee for lunch bunch is \$6 a day. The drop-in rate is \$8 if there is space available.

### Club MED - my extended day

Club MED is our extended day program and is offered to all students at The Preschool Academy. Students will have the opportunity to extend their learning before or after their preschool class starts through various enrichment programs and activities.

Club MED participants will be required to sign up the month prior to participate. A drop-in fee of \$5 per day will be charged in addition to the Club MED fee if there is space for your child.

Club MED AM:	7:30am – 9:15am	Price: \$10	Drop In \$15
Club MED PM:	3:15pm – 5:30pm	Price: \$10	Drop in \$15
Club MED PM:	11:45am – 5:30pm	Price: \$25	Drop in \$30
Full Day Option:	7:30am – 5:30pm	Price: \$30	Drop in \$35

The registration form and \$125 registration fee must be completed and paid to secure your child a place in the class. The remaining items will be required prior to your child starting the fall session.

- \* Medical and Release information form
- \* Immunization record (copy)

**Tuition prices are monthly**

Pre-Kindergarten (ages 4 & 5)

\$275 Mon, Wed, Fri	Time: 9:15 am - 11:45 am
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\$225 Tues & Thurs	Time: 9:15 am - 11:45 am
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\$500 Mon-Fri	Time: 9:15 am - 11:45 am

Pre-school (ages 3 & 4)

\$225 Tues & Thurs	Time: 9:15 am - 11:30 am
\$275 Mon, Wed, Fri	Time: 9:15 am - 11:30 am
\$500 Mon-Fri	Time: 9:15 am - 11:30 am

\$6 Lunch Bunch	
\$10 Club MED AM	Time: 7:30 am - 9:15 am
\$10 Club MED PM	Time: 3:15 pm - 5:30 pm
\$25 Club MED PM	Time: 11:45 am - 5:30 pm (lunch bunch included)
\$30 Full Day	Times: 7:30 - 9:15 am, lunch bunch, 3:15pm -5:30pm