

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL SCHOOL

TRANSITION (3 year olds) YEAR AT A GLANCE

The aim of St. John's Episcopal School is for each child to grow in maturity, knowledge, and in spirit. Our goal is to foster positive self-esteem through engaging learning experiences. St. John's small class size enables faculty to focus on each child and meet his or her individual needs.

Language Arts / Reading

- Thematic units are used throughout the year in conjunction with Frog Street PK Curriculum
- Heggerty Phonemic and Phonological Awareness
- Mastery of letters, sounds, while increasing vocabulary
- Book knowledge, phonological and phonemic awareness
- Concepts of print, mastering own name
- Listening and oral language skills
- Introduction to rhyming

Mathematics / Science

- Within the thematic units basic math and science concepts are covered
- Mastery of numbers 1-15 in print and sequence
- Identify and copy patterns
- Sort by attribute
- Observe and perform simple science experiments

Motor Skills

- Growth in physical and motor skills to help reinforce each child's development
- Practicing holding pencil, crayon and scissors correctly
- Exhibiting healthy behaviors, body coordination, and self-expression through music and dance

Social / Emotional Skills

- Playing cooperatively in a small and large group
- Reinforcing responsible behavior in social situations
- Reinforcing citizenship skills and showing respect to others
- Recite Pledge of Allegiance and St. John's Eagle Creed

Enrichments

- Music, Spanish, P.E., Technology, Godly Play and Library

Religion

- Attend Chapel two days a week (Tuesday for Praise and Worship, Thursday for a Class Lead Chapel)
- Lead two Praise and Worship Sessions and one Class Lead Chapel
- The students also learn Bible stories in the classroom to promote Christian character

St. John's Episcopal School strives to instill within our students a healthy love and desire for learning. Helping each child make a successful transition from home into the educational environment is an important goal of our transition program.

CURRICULUM