



St. Luke's Preschool & Kindergarten
Registration Packet 2022-2023
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Dear Parents,

We thank you for considering St. Luke's as a place to nurture and teach your young child during a most formative time in his/her life. It is sincerely our privilege to serve you and your family in any way possible.

The St. Luke's community believes that we exist to serve people. St. Luke's purpose is to seek out and bring people into a personal relationship with Jesus Christ as their Savior and Lord. The purpose of our educational programs at St. Luke's is to affirm children and their families of God's love for them. We partner with parents to provide a solid foundation that meets the spiritual, mental, emotional, and physical needs in this important developmental stage of their child's life.

We are blessed with a well-trained staff! St. Luke's has been providing quality education for 3-5 year olds & Kindergarten in the Federal Way community for 52 years.

Enclosed in this packet is an explanation of the programs and classes that St. Luke's will be offering for the 2022/2023 school year along with the tuition and fees. The required registration forms are to be completed electronically and can be found at - stlukes-school.curacubby.com/fst/registration

If you are registering your child for Kindergarten, please note that a copy of your child's Birth Certificate must accompany the above listed forms. Students will be enrolled in the order in which we receive completed forms and the registration fee. *(Returning students do not need to complete a second immunization form unless new vaccines and/or immunizations have been administered since completion of last received form.) The Birth Certificate is required by the State of WA for Kindergarten.*

Please note that the **first tuition payment is due June 1**. The second payment is due September 1. All payments thereafter are due by the 1st of each month.

We look forward to a year filled with exciting growth for your child. By providing your child with a safe environment surrounded by loving, caring Christian teachers, developmentally appropriate curriculum, positive social interaction, and meaningful experiences and activities, we will, with our Lord's direction, nourish the seed that has been planted in your child's life, a seed that will grow and continue to blossom.

In His Service,

Mary Schuldheisz
School Administrator

ST. LUKE'S PRESCHOOL AND KINDERGARTEN

Programs and Classes

2022-2023

Preschool for 3-year-olds

Age 3 by August 31, 2022

Tuesdays and Thursdays

9:00 am – 12:00 pm

***Monthly Tuition** for 10 months: \$200 - 1st tuition payment is due 6/1/22 secures enrollment, will be applied in advance to the final month's (June 2023) tuition, and is nonrefundable. September tuition payment is due 9/1/2022.

Registration Fee: \$185 - nonrefundable and due w/registration form(s) (**Note:** If you are re-enrolling, an alumni or a member of St. Luke's the Registration Fee is \$135.00)

****Supply Fee:** \$75 – nonrefundable and due 6/1/2022

Pre-Kindergarten

Age 4 by August 31, 2022

Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays

9:00 am – 1:00pm

Students bring a packed lunch and eat together as a class.

***Monthly Tuition** for 10 months: \$320 - 1st tuition payment is due 6/1/2022, secures enrollment, will be applied in advance to the final month's (June 2023) tuition, and is nonrefundable. September tuition payment is due 9/1/2022.

Registration Fee: \$185 - nonrefundable and due w/registration form(s) (**Note:** If you are re-enrolling, an alumni or a member of St. Luke's the Registration Fee is \$135.00)

****Supply Fee:** \$100 – nonrefundable and due 6/1/2022

S.T.E.A.M.

Age 4 by August 31, 2022

Fridays

9:00 am – 12:00pm

***Monthly Tuition** for 10 months: \$85 - 1st tuition payment is due 6/1/2022, secures enrollment, will be applied in advance to the final month's (June 2023) tuition, and is nonrefundable. September tuition payment is due 9/1/2022.

Students may enroll in this class as a supplement to Pre-K or as a stand-alone class.

Registration Fee: \$110 (**Note:** Waived for currently enrolled students.)

****Supply Fee:** \$50 – nonrefundable and due 6/1/2022

Kindergarten

Age 5 by August 31, 2022 (**Birth Certificate Required**)

Monday – Friday

8:30 am – 3:00 pm

Students bring a packed lunch and eat together as a class.

***Monthly Tuition** for 10 months: \$595 – 1st tuition payment is due 6/1/2022, secures enrollment, will be applied in advance to the final month's (June 2023) tuition, and is nonrefundable. September tuition payment is due 9/1/2022.

Registration Fee: \$185 - nonrefundable and due w/registration form(s) (**Note:** If you are re-enrolling, an alumni or a member of St. Luke's the Registration Fee is \$135.00)

****Supply Fee:** \$125 – nonrefundable and due 6/1/2022

****Monthly tuition is based on an annual rate with payments divided evenly over ten months. The monthly tuition amount remains the same regardless of the number of days your child will be attending class during any given month (i.e. vacation, non-school days, sick days.) If payment is not received by June 1, you will be contacted either by phone or mail. If payment is not received by June 15, your student may be removed from the class list and put on a waiting list.***

The 2nd tuition payment is not due until Sept. 1 and will be applied to the September tuition. The remaining tuition payments are due thereafter by the 1st day of each month.

***** The supply fee is in lieu of bringing supplies to your child's classroom. All supply fees are due with the registration fee and are non-refundable.***

******Tuition discounts may not be stacked or combined.***

St. Luke's School

Tuition Rates for 2022-2023

<u>Class</u>	<u>Tuition Rate</u>	<u>Member / 2nd+ Child / Childcare</u>
2-Day Preschool	\$200.00 (\$2000/yr.)	\$180.00 (\$1800/yr.)
3 Day Pre-K	\$320.00 (\$3200/yr.)	\$289.00 (\$2890/yr.)
S.T.E.A.M.	\$ 85.00 (\$850/yr.)	\$ 75.00 (\$750/yr.)
Kindergarten	\$595.00 (\$5950/yr.)	\$535.50 (\$5355/yr.)

Annual Registration Fee

– Nonrefundable - Due at Registration –

New Enrollment	\$185.00
Re-Enrollment/Alumni/Members	\$135.00
S.T.E.A.M. Enrollment	\$110.00 (waived for currently-enrolled students)

Annual Supply Fees

– Nonrefundable - Due 6/1/21 –

2-Day Preschool	\$ 75.00
3-Day Pre-K	\$100.00
S.T.E.A.M.	\$ 50.00
Kindergarten Supplies	\$125.00
Kindergarten Tech Fee	\$250.00

St. Luke's Preschool - 3-Year-Old Program

Class Description

This is a first exposure class that fosters a sense of security and confidence in the child through its structure and routine. Children are encouraged to be independent, active and responsible members in their classroom experiences. Curriculum encompasses colors, shapes, letters, numbers and patterns, as well as exposure to fine motor skills such as letter formation and scissor use. Daily activities include Bible stories, calendar, weather, art, music, learning center and outdoor play. Special activities are chapel, field trips and holiday celebrations.

Entering Student Profile

Independent toileting skills
Able to verbally express desires and needs
Able to separate from parents
Able to follow simple directions
Able to attend to "tasks" for 10 minutes

Teaching Topics

Bible – Chapel time as a school, Bible stories from both Old and New Testaments, Christian songs, prayers, and devotions which aid in creating an atmosphere for developing a personal relationship with Jesus Christ.

Language Arts – Recognition of alphabet letters and sounds, rhyming; reinforced by use of alphabet tubs and Show and Tell. Later in the year, children will learn to verbally spell and formulate the letters of their names.

Math – Exposure to mathematical concepts such as recognition of numbers 1-10, shapes, and patterns.

Science and Social Studies – Discovery and exploration of their world and the world around them, i.e. animals, nature, customs and cultures.

Art and Music – Children alternate between Free Art (child guided) and Directed Art (teacher guided) using various artistic mediums. Music is introduced into the program using a range of songs, rhymes, instruments and special programs.

Gross and Fine Motor Skills – Assembling puzzles, coloring, scissor use (activities introduced later in the year), regular outdoor playtime which helps to develop/strengthen running, jumping, climbing and throwing a ball.

St. Luke's Pre-Kindergarten Programs

Class Description

The Pre-Kindergarten programs encourage children to learn through observation, imitation, experimentation, practice, and interaction with other children and teachers. We focus on the spiritual, emotional, physical, social, and academic growth of our students. This class provides rich readiness skills in a structured group setting as well as many opportunities for creative expression and individual choice activities.

Entering Student Profile

Independent toileting skills
Able to verbally express desires and needs
Able to separate from parents
Able to follow simple 1 and 2 step directions
Able to attend to "tasks" for 10 minutes

Teaching Topics

Bible – Chapel time as a school, Bible stories from both Old and New Testaments, Christian songs, prayers, and devotions which aid in creating an atmosphere for developing a personal relationship with Jesus Christ.

Language Arts – Recognition of alphabet by name, sound, and phonemic awareness. Communication skills will be learned and strengthened through social interaction with peers, following directions, listening to rhymes, stories and singing songs.

Math – Students are exposed to numbers 1-100, and counting by rote to 100 with an emphasis on writing and number values for numbers 1-20. Introduction to geometric shapes, patterning and sequencing. Students develop an understanding of size and positional concepts.

Science and Social Studies – Students explore our world through different thematic units such as weather, plants, animals, etc.

Art and Music – Students express their personalities through the use of many different art mediums. Singing is an important part of each school day. Children have the opportunity to share their musical talent with their families several times a year.

Gross and Fine Motor Skills – Different activities are implemented in the daily curriculum to help children develop their gross and fine motor skills. Running, skipping, painting, writing, scissor use, assembling puzzles, and using manipulatives are part of our daily routine.

St. Luke's S.T.E.A.M. Program

Class Description

This class explores God's world through the topics of Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math. These subjects are a part of daily life. Imagination and curiosity are cultivated as students explore S.T.E.A.M. through experiments, discussions, books, crafts, games and more. The rapidly developing brain turns the ordinary into extraordinary with S.T.E.A.M. This class can be a stand-alone class or a supplement to St. Luke's Pre-K classes.

Entering Student Profile

Independent toileting skills
Able to verbally express desires and needs
Able to separate from parents
Able to follow simple 1 and 2 step directions
Able to attend to "tasks" for 10 minutes

Teaching Topics

Science – Students conduct fun, silly experiments in a safe environment. A discussion and conclusion on the topic accompany the experiment.

Technology – Use of simple tools such as pencils and rulers are implemented, in addition to more complex tools such as magnifying glasses and a microscope.

Engineering – Students engage in innovative activities that involve problems and testing out a solution.

Art – Students express their personalities through the use of different art mediums as well as expression through drama and music.

Math – Math concepts are introduced through games and activities which incorporate numbers, patterns, shapes and organizational skills.

St. Luke's Kindergarten

Age Criteria: 5 by August 31 (copy of birth certificate required)

Class Description

Our Kindergarten curriculum is designed to value the unique skills and abilities of each student while preparing them for the academic standards and requirements of First Grade. A Christ-centered environment nurtures students to develop intellectually, spiritually, emotionally, physically, and socially.

Entering Student Profile

- Able to take care of personal needs
- Able to verbally express desires and needs
- Able to separate from parents
- Able to follow directions
- Able to attend to "tasks" for 10 minutes
- Able to use crayons and scissors
- Able to work independently, with peers and in a group setting
- Able to demonstrate a basic knowledge of numbers and letters
- One year of preschool experience recommended

Teaching Topics

Bible – Chapel time as a school, Bible stories from both Old and New Testaments, Christian songs, prayers, and devotions which aid in creating an atmosphere for developing a personal relationship with Jesus Christ.

Language Arts – Recognition of the alphabet by name and sound, rhyming, recognition of numerous sight words, phonics instruction to develop reading skills, shared reading of quality literature, a variety of writing experiences, and building comprehension of the things we read as a class and as individuals.

Math – Students develop a foundation of skills relating to number concepts, measurement, geometry, data/graphing, algebraic concepts such as patterning and sorting, and solving simple addition and subtraction equations.

Science and Social Studies – The use of specific units as well as seasonal STEM projects and experiments help emphasize scientific and social exploration of the world around them. Arranged field trips highlight certain units. (Past trips have included the Museum of Flight, Northwest Trek, etc.)

Art and Music – Students explore art concepts through the use of colors, lines, shapes and different types of media. Musical instruction through singing, playing instruments, and movement provides a rich environment for musical expression and for learning important academic concepts.

Gross and Fine Motor Skills – Students are exposed to a variety of projects and experiences to develop fine motor skills. Emphasis is placed on learning how to use daily utensils. Gross motor skills such as hopping, skipping, galloping and ball skills are taught.