

Junior Preschool & Preschool Benchmarks

Angels Academy program is designed to meet standards and benchmarks in preparation with the guidelines for the development of our balanced and comprehensive Junior Kinder Program. Below are the Learning objectives we will cover during the school year. The Creative Curriculum is the backbone, and we use an internal Academic assessment to measure the progress of the children.

Sense of Self

Shows ability to adjust to new situations

Demonstrates appropriate trust in adults

Recognizes own feelings and manages them appropriately

Stands up for rights

Responsibility for Self

And Others

Demonstrate self-direction and independence

Takes responsibility for own well-being

Respect and cares for classrooms and environment and materials

Follows classrooms rules

Prosocial Behavior

Plays well with others children

Recognizes the feelings of others and responds appropriately

Shares and respect the rights of others

Uses thinking skills to resolve conflicts

Gross Motor

Demonstrates basic locomotor

Skills (running, jumping, hoping, galloping)

Shows balance while moving limbs up and down and Pedals and steers a tricycle (or wheeled vehicle)

Demonstrates throwing, kicking, and catching skills

Fine Motor

Controls small muscles in hands

Coordinates eye-hand movement

Uses tools for writing and drawing

Learning and Problem Solving

Observes objects and events with curiosity

Approaches problems flexibility

Shows persistence in approaching tasks

Explores cause and effect

Applies knowledge or experience to a new context

Logical Thinking

Classifies objects

Compares/ measures

Arranges objects in series

Recognizes patterns and can repeat them

Shows awareness of time concepts and sequence

Shows awareness of position in space

Uses one-to-one correspondence

Uses numbers and counting

Representation and Symbolic Thinking

Takes on pretend roles and situations

Makes believe with objects

Makes and interprets representations

Listening and Speaking

Hears and discriminates the sounds of languages

Expresses self-using words and expanded sentences

Understands and follows oral directions

Answers/asks questions

Actively participate reading conversations

Reading and Writing

Enjoys and values reading

Demonstrates understanding of print concepts

Demonstrates knowledge of the Alphabet

Uses emerging reading skills to make meaning from print

Comprehends and interprets meaning from books to other texts

Understands the purpose of writing /Write letters and words