

Key's Scholars (3-5 years)

*Our Preschool program provides an Early Childhood Education to young minds and with improved coordination and thinking, they'll be ready to learn a range of skills that will help them to excel in Primary Education (elementary school). Along with Circle Time, read alouds, worksheets and hands-on activities, we will introduce Reading, Math, Science, Music, Art & Color with the online preschool curriculum [ABCMouse.com](http://ABCmouse.com) in conjunction with [Second Step Early Learning Program](#) which teaches preschoolers self regulation and social-emotional skills! (Any 5yr old enrolled in the program will receive a Kindergarten curriculum.)

Cognitive Development

- Understand history by discussing changes to the community
- Engage in pretend play alone or with others by taking on roles and using props
- Connect number words and numerals to the quantities they represent

Social and Emotional Development

- Express a variety of emotions during pretend play
- Seek out other children during play time and begin to build relationships with them
- Build relationships with familiar adults and express thoughts and needs with them

Language and Literacy Development

- Engage in longer conversations using a greater variety of words
- Identify and name five to ten letters and begin to know sounds for some
- Recognize his or her own name and the letters in it

Physical Development and Wellness

- Gain independence with self-care skills such as toileting and hand washing
- Trace letters and shapes while also showing signs of a right or left hand preference
- Identify likes and dislikes for different foods

Creative Expression

- Create detailed artwork that includes people, animals and things
- Play movement games that involve following directions
- Play a character role from a familiar book