

Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these."

Matthew 19:14

The staff at Midway Global Methodist Church Preschool is committed to providing a quality preschool program for the children in our care. Our teachers are dedicating their lives to be a part of your child's early childhood experience.

Our staff will model the importance of leading a Christian life. They will teach your child how to grow spiritually while having fun learning skills, both academic and social, that are necessary to prepare them to be successful in kindergarten, as well as, elementary school and beyond.

We want your child to have a positive, fun preschool experience where they feel loved, safe and supported.

Studies show that children who attend a quality preschool, typically have bigger vocabularies, read more, do better on standardized tests and are less likely to be retained or need special education. They are more likely to graduate from high school, attain higher education and wages and less likely to need welfare or be involved in criminal activities.

Your investment in your child's future is the foundation for everything they will do in life, starting in kindergarten and continuing through adulthood.

Early childhood education creates successful students, creates solid citizens and creates better communities.



JOIN THE FUN!

We offer year-round enrollment depending on age/class availability.

Enrollment is on a first-come, first-serve basis with paid registration.

Tours are available.

Director: Lauren Landfried
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We follow the Davidson County School cut-off date for kindergarten; therefore, your child must turn the age of the class he/she is enrolled by August 31.

Midway GMC Preschool is an inter-faith community outreach ministry and has served northern Davidson County for more than 55 years.

You're welcome to Visit Anytime!



Our classrooms are bright and colorful and we add new teacher and classroom resources each year. We also evaluate our preschool program yearly, based on the changes in the county/state kindergarten curriculum.

We want you to feel confident that we have the children's best interests in mind when making decisions.

We want to offer you the most comprehensive preschool program at the most competitive prices in northern Davidson County.



2024 - 25 Registrations

**Open registration begins:
Monday, March 4, 2024**

We anticipate our classes will be full and on waitlist when school begins in September. Please register early so you'll have the best chance to have a spot!

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Mission Statement:

The purpose of Midway Global Methodist Preschool is to provide a safe, Christian atmosphere where children ages 2 - 5 can develop spiritually, socially, emotionally, cognitively and physically. Each child is an unrepeatable gift from God and we celebrate each child's gifts and abilities.

Registration

Tours available upon request

Call or email the Preschool Office
for classroom availability.

We will enroll most students throughout the preschool year if space permits. We don't accept any new 4's after March 1st due to graduation and end-of-year preparations.

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Office Hours: 8 am - 4 pm

Preschool Hours:

8:30 am - Noon

Tuesday after Labor Day - 3rd week of May (typically)

Davidson County School Calendar

We follow DCS calendar for closures/holidays

www.davidson.k12.nc.us

DCS Inclement Weather

- ◆ 2 hour delay: PS opens @ 10 am
- ◆ 3 hour delay: PS closed
- ◆ DCS Closed: PS Closed
- ◆ DCS Remote Learning: PS Closed

MinistrySafe

Background checks for staff

Speech & Occupational Therapy

Available for children after their third birthday.
Contact the office at the elementary school where you are districted to set up an appointment for an evaluation.

Curriculum

Midway Preschool's pacing guide was developed by licensed teachers and incorporates the Christian-based Pinnacle Curriculum. Staff complete and execute age appropriate lesson plans each week, using the curriculum's monthly themes and Bible focus materials. Children will learn to make faith connections while participating in our daily activities.

Your child will be introduced to the alphabet, as well as, letter and sound recognition, numbers, colors, calendar, weather, songs & rhyming, writing their names, grouping, patterns, sequencing, and more. Many of our 4's know sight words and are emergent readers upon graduation. Our 4's staff are licensed educators who have decades of public/private classroom experience.

Classroom discipline is learned by raising hands, taking turns, lining up, listening, sharing, cooperating, and good manners.

Skill building is accomplished through circle time, show & tell, job helpers, arts & crafts, play centers, coloring, cutting, gluing, music & dance, books & story time, science, cooking, games, playground, field trips, and more.

Our objective is to provide each child with the necessary cognitive skills he/she will need to be successful in kindergarten, provided they are emotionally and socially ready to start school.

Our goal is to lift up the Lord and have FUN while learning.

We welcome all children, ages 2-5, but may not have the trained staff to properly serve all children depending on existing and/or future diagnoses. We want the absolute best possible outcome for every child and are open to partnering with families, but we may not be the ideal placement for every student. Some students may be better served in other settings that offer professional services. In these cases, we'll make recommendations accordingly.

Beyond the Curriculum

Daily:

All children will receive a daily snack and visit the playground daily, weather permitting. On inclement weather days we can use the rainy-day room and/or do large motor skill activities inside.

Weekly:

All children will attend Chapel and go to Enrichment. If we add additional programs, children will attend once per week.

Additionally:

During the school year, we have classroom *parties for holidays and special events. We invite families to join us for some events and others we celebrate in-house. We also celebrate *birthdays and parents are welcome to send a sweet treat to share with the class.

**** All foods donated for classroom use must be commercially prepared with food labels - we have many preschoolers with allergies and health concerns.***

We give you an opportunity to purchase fall, spring, class, and graduation photographs. We have one fundraiser per year to help off-set needs beyond tuition. We celebrate graduation for rising kindergarteners. We plan many other fun events throughout the year!

Our preschool program is an inter-faith community outreach ministry of Midway Global Methodist Church. It has served the early childhood educational needs of children from both Davidson and Forsyth Counties since the mid-1960's. The day-to-day operations are overseen by the preschool director. The director and the church's pastoral staff, work year-round to provide our preschoolers with a quality program that includes faith, fun, and age-appropriate activities.