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January 2022

REGISTRATION INFO FOR FALL 2022-2023

Planning for our September 2022 school year has begun! Currently enrolled students are guaranteed a spot in our program, siblings are placed next, then church members, alumni, & wait list families, followed by the public.

*** If we are closed the week of January 3, please plan on turning in your forms and fee(s) when we return on January 10. We will make sure that our current families have a spot in our program before our church, alumni, waitlist and public. ***

Procedures & Dates for 2022-2023 Registration*:

- In House Registration begins on Monday, January 3, 2022.
- Registration forms were handed out the week of December 6. Your teachers have extras for siblings and in case your forms have been misplaced.
- We will collect the forms from you child's class file folders on January 3. Please remit the registration fee of \$180 for your first child and \$85 for each sibling.
- If you are going to be out of town the week of January 3, please email to let us know your form and payment will be in the mail.

After January 18, we will not be able to guarantee you a spot in our program as our registration opens to Alumni/Church/Waitlist families. Public registration begins on January 13.

*Reminder for Bunny families—if you want certain days, you need to turn your registration form in early with your registration payment. Checks made payable to ITBP. We cannot accept cash at this time. ❤️

OUTDOOR FRIENDSHIP HOUR IS HERE!

*** DUE TO THE WEATHER WE ARE POSTPONING THE START OF OUR FRIENDSHIP HOUR UNTIL FEBRUARY AS IT IS MEANT TO BE AN OUTSIDE PROGRAM ***

Detail information on what FH is all about:

Friendship Hour is our after school program that provides your child an hour of fun with his/her friends in a loving and caring environment with our

exceptional teachers. Think of it as a 'playdate' but at Preschool!

The Bears, Tigers, Hippos and Lions are invited to this extended day. (We can only accept potty trained students.)

Friendship Hour is offered on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 1:10 pm — 2:15 pm. Teachers Denise and Lori will be in charge. This outdoor program is designed to be hosted on our playground. However, if the weather turns, we will play in the lobby.

Pick up is at the playground at 2:15 pm.

If the weather dictates that we need to play in the lobby, our preschool's welcome sign that is out every morning will be brought in so you know to pick them up in the lobby and not up at the playground.



Sign up is easy!

- Simply fill out our monthly registration form and choose 1 or 2 days a week. The cost is \$20 per day. Sign up for both days to get a 10% savings!
- Sign ups are month to month and you need to sign up for the entire month (no drop-ins).
- Registration forms for January 2022 already went out in your child's folder. Please return completed forms Jan. 3
- The registration form will be emailed out with our monthly newsletter starting in January for the following month and is **due by the 20th** of each month in your child's file folder.
- A confirmation email will be sent by the 25th of each month.

Tidbits to make this hour enjoyable for your child:

- ◇ **Wear warm clothes, outerwear and wear close-toed shoes or boots**
- ◇ **Have a snack ready for your child when you pick them up. They might be hungry!** ❤️

*** FOR THOSE FAMILIES THAT ALREADY SIGNED UP, WE WILL CONTACT YOU AND FIND OUT IF YOU WANT TO JOIN US IN FEBRUARY. IF YOU DO NOT, WE WILL RETURN YOUR PAYMENT. ***



Dear Preschool Families



Happy 2022!

We can now hold a greater capacity of hope in our lives now that we are adjusting to our new normal as we courageously have endured this pandemic. The human race has forever been transformed by the COVID-19 Pandemic. I pray you will look back on this time in your life and remember the better, the more authentic person you are becoming and how you have made the lives of others more meaningful. That you have felt the Love of God every day even when your struggles have seemed to never end or you could not remember what day of the week it was? I want to share one of my favorite prayers that, no matter what was going on in my life, has always brought me back to center—God. ST. Theresa’s Prayers of Avila:

“May today there be peace within.

May you trust God that you are exactly where you are meant to be.

May you not forget the infinite possibilities that are born of faith.

May you use those gifts that you have received and pass on the love that had been given to you.

May you be content knowing you are child of God.

Let his presence settle into your bones, and allow your soul the freedom to sing, dance, praise and love.

It is there for each and every one of us.”

Amen.



Thank you for all of your prayers and support this school year—we feel them. Be strong and resilient knowing you are exactly where you are meant to be. God has plans for you and He is making way for all to be right again. Trust in His timing and know you are loved by Him.

Happy New Year and wishing your soul the freedom to sing, dance, praise and love always. Wellness, Peace and Grace, Kathryn and Staff ♥

JANUARY 2022



- 1/1 **Happy New Year!**
- 1/3 Welcome Back to School
- 1/3 Scholastic Books should arrive this week or the next.
- 1/3—18 2022-2023 Current Families Registration
- 1/3—20 Friendship Hour (FH) opens for **February** Registration - see website for Registration Procedures & Forms
- 1/8 January Tuition due
- 1/ 10-11 Church, Alumni & Waitlist 2022-2023 Registration Opens
2-3pm Drive-up collection of Registration forms*
- 1/13 Public Registration Opens—Tours available
- 1/ 17 **NO SCHOOL—Martin Luther King Day**
- 1/20 FH February registration closes

FEBRUARY 2022

- 2/1 February Tuition due & FH starts
- 2/2—18 Friendship Hour (FH) open for **March** Registration
- 2/14 **Happy Valentines Day!**
- 2/18 **FH March** registration closes
- 2/21 **NO SCHOOL—**2nd Winter Br
- 2/28 Welcome Back



*These dates/times are for Drive up/ Drop-off of registration forms and Registration Fee on for Church, Alumni & Waitlist families:
> Monday, January 10 from 2-3 pm
> Tuesday, January 11 from 2-3 pm
(Front of lobby doors off of main parking lot)