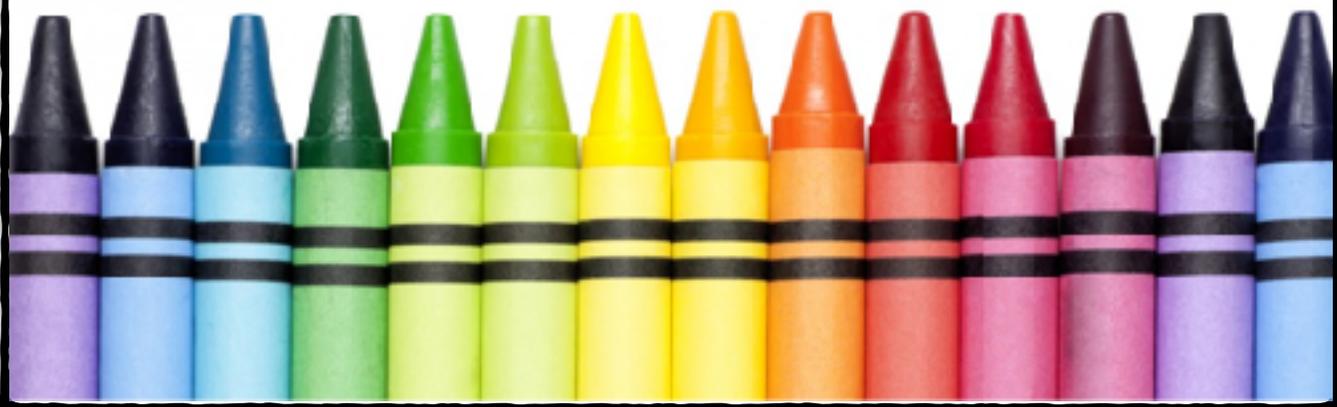


# Trinity Lutheran Preschool Information Packet



## Preschool Curriculum:

Our classroom curriculum will be driven by alternating preschool learning themes and character virtues. Our virtues of focus will be in reference to Galatians 5:22-23, the Fruit of the Spirit: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. Preschool learning themes will be chosen for each month and will have a different focus within each week of that theme.

## Requirements for children:

Children must be three years of age by September 1st, 2018 to be enrolled in the 3 year old classroom. Children must be at least 4 years of age by September 1st, 2018 to be enrolled in the 4 & 5 year old Classroom. All children in the preschool program are expected to be toilet trained.

## Requirements for families:

Monthly tuition payments are due by the 1st of each month. Most school supplies will be provided by the preschool through the \$50 materials fee you pay upon registration. Families will be asked to contribute 4 classroom snacks throughout the school year. Families are encouraged to be active participants in their child's education. Although it's not required, we would love to have parent and/or grandparent volunteers in our classroom.

## Schedule:

Trinity Preschool will follow the Tea Area School District (TASD) academic calendar. Trinity Preschool will be in session as normal during TASD half days. The Preschool will also follow TASD in the declaration of snow days.

## Fees and Discounts:

Upon registration, families must apply a \$50 registration fee and a \$50 materials fee to their account. Save 10% when you pay for the entire year by August 1st, 2018. When you have multiple children enrolled in preschool at once, a second child discount of 10% and a third child discount of 15% is available.

3 year old classroom \$115 per month	4 & 5 year old classroom \$140 per month
Tuesday & Thursday 8:30am to 11:30am	Monday, Wednesday & Friday 8:30am to 11:30am

## About the Teacher:

Megan Lanphere will be serving as the Preschool Director and Lead Teacher. Megan lives in Tea with her husband, Nick, and their three children: Wyatt, Callie and Hudson. The Lanpheres have been members of Trinity since their move to Tea, 2 years ago. Megan has a Bachelor of Science degree in Early Childhood Education from the University of Wisconsin - Stout. The Lanpheres are originally from Wisconsin.

## Our Mission:

To establish a foundation of faith for children to build upon throughout their lifetime.

## Our Vision:

We envision developing a future generation of disciples of Christ who, above all else, love God and love one another.

## Our Philosophy of Education:

Through exploratory play, children will discover God's creation. A play-based approach provides a child-centered curriculum directed by teachers in which children are encouraged to construct their own knowledge. Teachers will provide activities that are age-appropriate and interest driven. Teachers will differentiate instruction to ensure that all students are engaged in the learning process. Teachers will cultivate the whole child by providing activities that incorporate all 5 senses and learning styles. Learning outcomes will enhance a child's spiritual, social-emotional, physical and intellectual development. To further guide children's spiritual growth, pastoral staff will be present in the classrooms on a regular basis.

## Our Goal:

Every child's development is unique and complex. Although children develop through a generally predictable sequence of steps and milestones, they may not proceed through these steps in the same way or at the same time. At Trinity Preschool, our goal is to provide opportunities for children to grow and develop at their own pace through play and exploration.

# Registration is open now!

Find a registration form on the Preschool bulletin board or contact [Preschool@TeaTrinity.org](mailto:Preschool@TeaTrinity.org) for an online registration form.

## Have questions?

Contact Megan at [Preschool@TeaTrinity.org](mailto:Preschool@TeaTrinity.org)