

# Welcome to PreKindergarten



May 20-24, 2019

In **PreKindergarten** we practice these things every day: Play interaction (free choice time), clean-up, prayer song, reciting the Pledge of Allegiance, the Lord's Prayer, updating the calendar (patterns, numbers and days of the week), ABC's, counting, recognizing the weather, a lesson on the monthly theme, exercising with movement activities, saying a blessing before snack and lunch, show and tell (assigned), and closing song and prayer\*\*. This week we also worked on:

Literacy	Math	Science	Religion
Alphabet review: letters, sign language, sounds Letter/sound matching Letter recognition game Favorite shark book vote Memorial Day talk Opposites match Noah's Ark Alpha puzzle Alpha placement with puzzle pieces  <i>Library with Mrs. Smith</i>	Calendar and patterning Counting and adding friends at circle Tangrams Bug sorting Bug patterning Ladybug dominoes Sea splash math Different ways to make 10 Counting to 20 Mental Blox Making shapes using sticks and on the white board Individual counting 1-20	Playdough with transportation cutters Light table with grasshoppers Sea life exploration Sand with sea creatures Earth's many surfaces Walrus facts Squid and Octopus facts	What the Church Believes and Teaches: remaining pages Sign of the Cross Guardian Angel Circle time and meal time prayers Bible stories and songs Things we see in church Chapel time
Music/Dramatic Play	Art	Gross Motor/Movement	Fine Motor (skills)
Trains and track Family and dollhouse Slippery Fish felt Sea creatures Cornerstone Café Slippery Fish Beach Boys songs Octopus' Garden Big Ship Sailing	sea life stamps <b>Easels:</b> sea stars walruses Easels: dolphins squids Easels: octopus pictures	CD dancing Outside play Active movement	Pencil, scissor, glue practice Markers, crayons, colored pencils, oil pastels Writing Numbers 1-4 Stringing cut straws Buttoning and zip boards Beads on grid Drawing shapes Cut, glue, & trace activity Cutting squid tentacles

\*Children who stay all day have lunch, rest time, afternoon free choice and they practice the lessons of the morning.