

FAITH-BASED PROGRAM

North Branch Reformed Church Preschool offers a Christian based program focusing on the emotional, social, physical, intellectual, and spiritual needs of every child.

ADMISSIONS & PROGRAMS

North Branch Reformed Church Preschool, established in 1957, offers morning and extended day programs. The Preschool opens at 9am each morning, closes at varied times, and serves children ages 2 ½ to 6 years old. Classes are offered between September and June. Registration begins in January. Registration and tuition information can be found online or by calling the Preschool. Our policy is to accept children without regard to race, religion, or ethnicity. Every child has a place at the Preschool!

CURRICULUM

North Branch Reformed Church Preschool encourages children to be actively involved in the learning process, to experience a variety of developmentally appropriate activities and materials, and to pursue their own interests as members of God's world.

Learning experiences are provided within a supportive environment to help each child increase individual awareness, recognize capabilities, build a healthy self-image, and develop the confidence necessary to move successfully into the next stages of education.

All groups are involved in an integrated religious education program, building on Christian values. The daily schedule is planned to balance activities including indoor-outdoor, quiet-active, small group-large group, large muscle-small muscle, child initiated-teacher initiated. These activities are selected to foster a positive self-concept, develop social skills, encourage the development of language, physical skills and creative expression, and to enhance sound health, safety, and nutritional practices. Developmental milestones are assessed as the children progress through the program. Kindergarten readiness skills are an ongoing part of our curriculum.

SPECIAL PROGRAMS

- * Halloween Parade
- * Thanksgiving Feast
- * Christmas Pageant
- * Father's Saturday
- * Week of the Young Child
- * Mother's Day Tea
- * Grandparent's Week
- * In-House Programs
- * End-of-the-Year Show
- * Visits from Community Helpers
- * Class Field Trips

FAMILY INVOLVEMENT

Families are an extremely important part of the North Branch Reformed Church Preschool. Families are encouraged to be actively involved in the life of our Preschool. Input from parents is sought throughout the year as we continually seek ways to improve

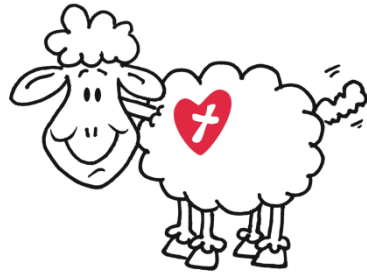
our program. Numerous volunteer opportunities allow families to better the program offered at the Preschool. We welcome and encourage parents to join our Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) and to assist with classroom activities and school-wide events, which are planned throughout the year

FACILITIES

Our seven brightly colored classrooms, located in the education building of the church, offer a variety of developmentally appropriate learning areas, which include literacy, science, math, computers, art, dramatic play, and blocks. Children participate in a number of enrichment classes, which include Gym, Language Arts, and Music in Fellowship Hall, the Upper Rooms, and the Music Room. Our new oversized, fenced playground is well maintained and offers areas of shade and sun. The playground is equipped with numerous structures for climbing, balancing, crawling, swinging, and sliding.

EDUCATIONAL STAFF

Our faith-filled, professional teaching staff and administration bring years of dedication and experience in the field of early childhood education. The Preschool maintains low student to teacher ratios. Open communication is encouraged and evident through conferences, newsletters, emails, daily teacher letters, parent information boards, PTO meetings, and ongoing parent/teacher interaction.



CONTACT THE PRESCHOOL

908-725-2326

www.nbrc.com

2014 - 2015 CLASSES

Monday/Wednesday/Friday 3's

9-11:30am

(Born between 8/1/010 and 12/31/11)

Monday/Wednesday/Friday 4's

9-11:30am

(Born on or before 12/31/10)

Monday/Wednesday/Friday- Extended Day

9-2pm

(Born on or before 12/31/10)

Tuesday/Thursday 3's

9-11:30am

(Born between 8/1/10 and 12/31/11)

Five-Day Class

9-11:30am

Open only to children with prior preschool experience who will turn five-years-old on or before 3/1/15 (older 5's) or by 12/31/15 (younger).

Five-Day Class – Extended Day

M/W/F 9-2pm, T/TH 9-11:30am

(Same requirements as Five Day Class.)

Little Lambs

Thursdays 9-10am

Thursdays 10:30-11:30am

Introduction to Preschool Class!

2 ½ to 3 ½ year old program where adult stays with child

MWF 4's and 5-Day Class

Enrichment Programs

(additional fees apply)

Choices may include the following options:

**SCIENCE
EXPLORERS**

(Fall and Spring Sessions)

ART WITH ANNA

(Fall, Winter, and Spring Session)

LUNCH BUNCH

(Fall, Winter, and Spring Sessions)

HEALTHY CHEFS

(Winter Session)

T/Th Class

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(Winter Session)

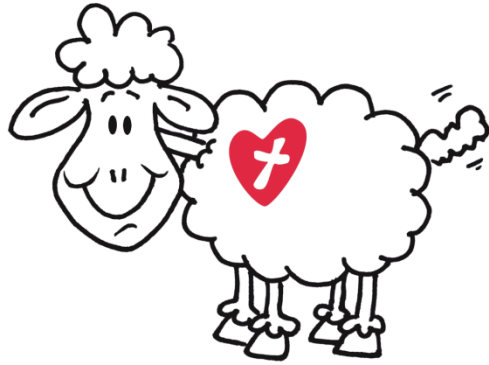
**WIGGLE and
GIGGLE**

(Winter and Spring Sessions)

ART WITH ANNA

(Spring Session)

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