



Our goal is to create a safe, stimulating atmosphere conducive to fostering your child's intellectual, social, emotional and physical development.

Our aim is to enable your child to explore, discover and create while encouraging her/his natural curiosity.

Our philosophy is based on the principle that children learn by doing, therefore, our approach is "hands-on". We recognize the fact that children develop at their own pace, therefore our teachers encourage individuality, and they have the capacity to meet the needs of each child, as well as, the needs of the class.

Our active approach to learning is supported through purposeful play and teacher facilitated activities.

Our unique facility allows us to provide a place for children to develop a healthy and happy lifestyle through physical fitness and learning. Thus enabling them to develop to their full potential.



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Curriculum

Saw Mill Club Pre-School's hands on, learning center based approach focuses on each child's attributes and strengths while addressing his or her interests, needs, and developmental levels. This approach ensures each child's response to a continuous and positive experience.

Learning Centers

Each classroom consists of various centers in which the children can freely explore all areas of the academic spectrum. Each center's objective is to enhance the child's social, academic and physical growth.

Creative Media

To develop, as well as refine your child's fine motor skills, your children will be working with a variety of creative media including: paint, crayon, chalk, clay, playdough, legos, sand/water table, and blocks.

Science

Your child will make real life observations and predictions through nature studies and simple experiments.

Math/Problem Solving

The children will be learning pre-math skills, number recognition and problem solving skills that will be useful in their everyday lives. Food preparation, measuring and counting are a few examples of these useful skills.



Physical Fitness

Gross Motor skills and coordination are developed through a variety of physical fitness activities. Creative movement, running, jumping, balancing, stretching and climbing are some of the activities the children will participate in.

Music and Movement is incorporated into the program for Tot Time, Seekers, Adventurers and Explorers once a week. Creative Arts is also once a week for all four classes. It is a multi media experience.

Swimming lessons are provided in the Adventurers and Explorers programs. Tennis & language lessons are part of the Explorers program

Seekers

This program is for 2½ to 3 year-olds. One teacher and one teacher's aid is assigned to this class.

Adventurers

This program is for older 3 year-olds. One teacher and one or two teacher's aids are assigned to this class.

Explorers

This program is for 4 year-olds. One teacher and two teacher's aid are assigned to this class.



Afternoon Enrichment

for 3 year-olds

Within a small group atmosphere, limited to ten students, the children will have the opportunity to relax and unwind after lunch with music and a story. Then it is on to free play and circle time. The afternoon will end with a different and special activity each day: cooking, tennis, yoga and swimming

Afternoon Enrichment

for 4 & 5 year-olds

Within a small group atmosphere a teacher and teacher's assistant will work one on one with your child through a structured reading and readiness program. Work sheets and math skills will also be an integral part of the program.

Each day there will be a special activity: cooking, tennis, yoga and swimming.

Other Programs Available

Tot Time

Pre-nursery school program that is tailored to the social, physical and creative world of the toddler to two-year old.

Lunch And Play 12:00-2:00PM

A structured lunch time is followed by playtime activities. This is available for the full 2 hours or if your child is attending an afternoon program, staff will assure your child has properly eaten and take them to their scheduled activity within the Children's Center. It is staffed with two experienced Childcare Providers.