# We Offer

Little Lambs strives to provide opportunities for children to learn in many ways.

- \* Programming encourages respect of others while fostering a sense of responsibility for oneself and individual actions that helps prepare each child for the school years ahead.
- Small class size (5:1 ratio) allows for children's needs to be addressed, whether to move on to more advanced skills, or reinforcing areas of concern, allowing the child to grow and mature at their own rate as they prepare for kindergarten.
- **Balanced programming** allows staff to assist the child in his/her style of learning
- Kindergarten readiness skills to help prepare four-year-old students for success in kindergarten. Little Lambs uses guidelines of area school districts.

### Hours & Class Options

Monday/Wednesday \$175/155\*/month Tuesday/Thursday \$180/ 160\*/month Monday/Wednesday/Friday \$220/200\*/month

All classes: 9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon

For children ages 3, 4 & 5

For children at least 4 years old

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londay—Thursday	\$285/265*/month
Ionday—Friday	\$310/290*/month

\*\$20/month tuition discount for those who sign up for automatic payment, or for those who pay by semester.

\$45/family non-refundable registration fee Due to register and hold a child's spot in a class. Supply, music instructor fee: \$60/year.

- Late August: Family Orientation Meeting
- Little Lambs Preschool begins classes the day after Labor Day and concludes the week before Memorial Dav.
- Little Lambs Preschool follows the calendar of the DeKalb District #428 for vacations, holidays, and emergency school closings.

## Our Day

- \* **Circle Time:** Lively discussion about the theme, weather, calendar, assignment of classroom jobs, number and/or letter of the week
- \* Discovery Time: Use of themes and fun activities help encourage a child's desire to learn about their world, with time for discovery through hands-on experiences, art projects, learning centers, group work, and motor activities
- \* Small Motor Development: Various fun & creative techniques of sensory exploration to foster small muscle control for skills such as cutting and writing. As children progress they practice writing upper and lower case letters, and learn sounds of vowels and consonants
- Music: Creative music led by a music teacher meets weekly with each class.
- \* Snacks: Time to re-energize and socialize
- \* Bible Time: Bible themes are incorporated into daily class activities through music, science, art and stories as well as Weekly Chapel talks with **Biblical themes**
- \* Math, Science, and Reading: Theses concepts are incorporated within table, circle, group, and discovery times. Concepts of numbers, numerical sequence, and value.
- \* Active Play/Large Motor Development: Large outdoor fenced in playground for large motor skill development. Large indoor play area with climbers, bikes and scooters are incorporated in the schedule on days with inclement weather.
- \* Washroom Routine: A great opportunity for practicing toilet training through peer role modeling.

### Special Programming and Enhanced Learning Opportunities

**Field Trips** Trunk-or-Treat Spring Sing Preschool vision and hearing screening available

**Special Guest Speakers Christmas Program** "Mystery" Readers"

**Class Parties** Graduation" Picnic

**Fall Open House** 

daycare experience,.

backgrounds.

\* Children are divided into classes based on age, preschool and/or

\* Little Lambs Preschool is open to children of all religious

Spring & fall parent/teacher conferences

### Enrollment Regulrements

- \* Classes open to children ages three to five years.
- \* A child must be potty-trained.
- \* A child should be a minimum of three years old to begin class.



Little Lambs Preschool is licensed by the State of Illinois, Little Lambs follows all CDC guidelines in cooperation with DCFS to help ensure the health and safety of each child.







elcome!!! We are excited to introduce ourselves to you! Little Lambs Preschool's primary purpose is to provide a quality, loving Christian atmosphere to encourage growth for children and their families by providing a loving and safe environment that fosters social, academic and spiritual health. We feel that a quality education in a

Christian setting is

Our staff works in

important for all children.

utilizes both an academic & Christian-based curriculum.

partnership with families in

setting, we strive to provide

positive example that

successful.

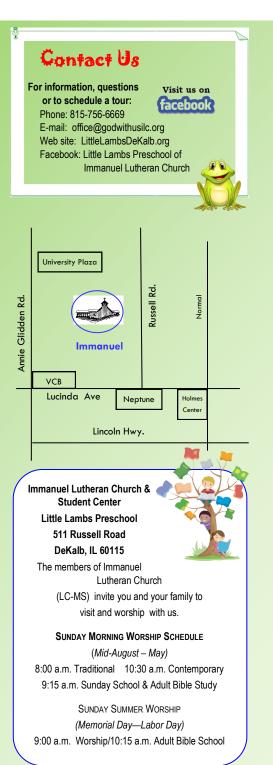
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children are most Little Lambs Preschool. a ministry of Immanuel Lutheran Church, was established as a Christian Preschool in 1996 with a desire to serve the community through

education, care and service. We do this in response to the Biblical teaching: "Bring up a child in the way he should go..." -Proverbs 22:6



2022-2023



Little Lambs Preschool of Immanuel Lutheran Church

Come learn, explore & grow with us!



An excellent play-based education in a loving environment for children and their families, that prepares your child for the school years ahead, academically, socially and spiritually.

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