

WESTMINSTER NURSERY SCHOOL AND KINDERGARTEN

T CLASS INFORMATION

T Class Starting September 2017

This class is designed for children who have completed one year in the 4 year old program and will not be moving on to kindergarten due to their birthday occurring after the school cutoff date of September 1st or who need more time to prepare for the rigors of a kindergarten program.

The curriculum consists of kindergarten readiness objectives with the added emphasis on STEAM education. It is developed using the Key Kindergarten Readiness Indicators of the American Federation of Teachers (AFT), PA Department of Education (DOE) Curriculum Standards and NAEYC (National Association for the Education of Young Children) school readiness statement.

Children will gain greater proficiency in:

- The social and emotional foundations necessary to succeed in kindergarten and beyond;
- Problem Solving Skills;
- Advanced approaches to learning;
- Expressive and Receptive Language Skills;
- Literacy, Phonological Awareness and Print Knowledge in a print rich environment;
- Mathematical Concepts such as predictions, measurement, addition and subtraction.
- STEAM Educational Foundations which integrate science, technology, engineering, arts and math while children explore the world around them. It provides an avenue for formally teaching the inter-relationships of how subjects like math and science relate in real-life. STEAM-style education can be enjoyably and meaningfully delivered in more engaging and deeply embedding ways within the already well-established Westminster Curriculum.

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We build the attitude & skills necessary for all future learning by providing an environment which nurtures independence, creativity and curiosity

**Registration begins
February 1 at 10am
at wnsk.org**

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