

# New London Christian Preschool

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# Check out our classes 👀

<u>Turtle 2s</u> - Two class options for two-year-olds currently taught by Ms. Liz <a></a>



- Monday/ Wednesday- 8:30-11 a.m.
- o Tuesday/ Thursday- 8:30-11 a.m.

Turtles is a faith-based, hands-on class that provides a safe and loving environment for our students. This class focuses on learning self-help skills, making choices, following routines, learning to separate from caregivers, following single step directions, being exposed to diverse vocabulary, exploring new things, being able to communicate as their language skills begin to blossom, lots of sensory experiences and learning about Jesus' love for them. We foster excitement for school, while setting the stage for emotional growth and future independence.

\*Children must be 2 by September 1 of the current school year. The student/teacher target ratio is 4:1. Students do not need to be potty trained.

Bluebirds 3s - Two class options for three-year-olds currently taught by Ms. Dena



- Monday/ Wednesday/ Friday- 8:30-11:30 a.m. You may add lunch to extend the fun!
  - o Tuesday/ Thursday- 8:30-11:30 a.m. You may add lunch to extend the fun!

In Bluebird classes, students are taught how to become independent in classroom routines and develop self-control. They learn how to play with friends and how to communicate their thoughts with classmates and teachers. Children are introduced to numbers, counting, and number patterns. They become familiar with letters, focusing specifically on the letters that make up their name. Opposite pairs are introduced in an environment that is rich in vocabulary. Students sing, dance, listen to stories, and have lots of fun while learning developmentally appropriate content in a hands-on/play based classroom. Additionally, they are taught about God's truths and His world.

\*Children must be 3 by September 1 of the current school year. Students must be starting toilet training and wear a pull-up if they are still in the learning process. The student/teacher target ratio is 6:1.



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# Froglet OR Bee 4s- Five class options for four-year-olds and OR 🙀

 Froglet 4s 5-day Pre-K Half Day currently taught by Ms. Lauren: Monday- Friday- 8:30-11:30 a.m. You may add lunch to extend the fun!

- Bee 4s 3-day Half day currently taught by Ms. Mandy: Monday/ Wednesday/ Friday-8:30-11:30 a.m. You may add lunch to extend the fun!
- Bee 4s 2-day Full day currently taught by Ms. Mandy: Tuesday/ Thursday- 8:30-2:00 p.m. LUNCH TIME is Included
- All afternoon 4s classes may be taught by different teachers.

Our **5-day Froglet Pre-K Class** with Ms. Lauren provides the routine of five consecutive days, which will help your child be well adjusted and prepared for a 5 day/ full day kindergarten class the following year. The class is three hours long from 8:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. These three hours, five days a week allow for the consistency of skill development and provide additional time for reinforcement and one on one teacher support. Social and emotional learning is taught and practiced daily, which will help students gain confidence. The increased time also allows for more parent involvement. Monthly activities and events are held for parents/caregivers to come into the classroom and experience pre-k though the eyes of their child. This class adapts to the children and focuses on their interests as well as their ideas. Children can explore unique centers for writing, art, and STEM activities, as well as enjoy the fun of *Catch of the Day*! The beauty of this class is more time for learning and more time for fun. Lunch Llamas and afternoon classes can be added to further enhance the day.

All our four-year-old classes focus on kindergarten readiness by providing a hands-on, play driven, loving, and an engaging environment. Children learn how to independently carry out routines, develop and strengthen a proper pencil grip, communicate not only their wants and needs, but also their thoughts, ideas, questions, and predictions. Social emotional skills are an important focus. Children learn to identify and manage their feelings, how to problem solve, have empathy for others, and learn coping skills for real life scenarios. Children are introduced to various science topics about the world around them. They explore books daily and focus on pre-reading skills such as letter recognition, phonics/phonemes (letter sounds-blending sounds), rhyming, syllabication, and word families to name a few. Math content includes counting, patterns, classification/sorting, one to one correspondence, comparing, measurement, and so much more. They are one step away from kindergarten and these classes are the key to your child's success. In the four-year-old classes, your child will gain a deeper understanding of who God is and how to have a relationship with Jesus too!

\*Children must be 4 by September 1 of the current school year. Students must be **completely** toilet trained, wearing underwear daily. The student/teacher target ratio is 8:1.



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#### **LUNCH LLAMAS**

Lunch Llama 3s & 4s- Available Monday- Friday-11:30 a.m. -12:30 p.m.



This class provides time for lunch and socialization, along with games and activities that promote exercise, health, wellness, an understanding about the food they eat and more. Lunch is provided by families, and a fun, interactive, brief lesson is taught as children eat. The second half hour provides gross motor play outside on our playground (weather permitting) or inside in our "big room." (Sorry for any inconvenience, but we are unable to heat or refrigerate lunches.)

Lunch time can be **added** for a cost:

- Bluebird 3s
- Froglet 4s 5-day (2, 3, or 5 days of lunch may be added)
- Bee 4s- Monday/ Wednesday/ Friday

#### \*Lunch is included for this class option:

-Bee 4s Tuesday/Thursday Full day program

#### **AFTER LUNCH ADD-ONS (for 4s only)**

Imagination Station Available Monday, Wednesday & Fridays – 12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Imagination Station is an imaginative, student driven class. This class is perfect for creative thinkers, as well as for children who love arts and crafts. In this class, children are guided to imagine scenarios, which they then use recycled and crafty materials to create. Class begins with guided brainstorming, "What can you imagine today?"

**STEM Explorers** Available Tuesday & Thursdays - 12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

This class is **included** in the Tuesday/Thursday full day Bee option, but can also be chosen by the Froglet 5 Day Pre-K class to extend their days. This class will allow children to explore science and math through thematic units. Students will observe, experiment, measure, read, discuss, puzzle, explore and more. This will be hands-on fun in the STEM areas. This is a perfect option to prepare your little scientist for all areas of exploration.