

History

The First Presbyterian Church Pre-School was organized in 1978. While sponsored by the church, the pre-school is open to families of any religious denomination and no specific religious education is involved in the curriculum.

Location

The Pre-School is housed in the church, located on seven acres of land equipped with the necessary materials for an enriched learning and social experience. In addition, excellent outdoor play equipment is available for the children's use.

Goals

The teacher and the assistant work together to foster the social, intellectual, and physical development of each child.



Enrollment Policies

The four and five year old class is open to all children who will be four years old by August 1. Classes meet Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 9:00 to 11:30 a.m. and from 12:30 to 3:00 p.m. The three and four year old class is open to all children who will be three years old by August 1. Classes meet on Tuesday and Thursday from 9:00 to 11:30 a.m. Children are welcome at 8:55am & 12:25pm and must be picked up by 11:30am and 3:00pm.

Parents must submit an updated copy of their child's immunization record. All enrolled children must be toilet trained prior to the start of school.

Enrollment is first offered to those who are currently enrolled in Pre-School, second, to children of the members of the First Presbyterian Church, and next, to those with siblings previously enrolled. All others will be given consideration for remaining openings.

Financial Responsibilities

A \$30.00 non-refundable registration fee is due for each child with your application for admission and a \$25.00 snack fee is due for the school year.

A supply/field trip fee of \$65.00 for the three and four year old class and \$85.00 for the four and five year old class is due by May 1. These fees must be paid on time to secure placement in his or her class. If not paid on time, you will forfeit your child's admission.

Tuition is \$65.00 per month for the three and four-year-old class and \$85.00 per month for the four and five year old class. Tuition is to be paid by the first of each month from September 1 to May 1. The same tuition is due each month regardless of the days missed due to inclement weather or vacation.

All checks should be made payable to the First Presbyterian Church Pre-School, and mailed to:

First Presbyterian Pre-School
215 East Dustman Road
Bluffton, Indiana 46714

Teacher Experience

Miss Betsy

Mrs. Betsy Gerber is the Pre-School Director and teacher of the 4/5 & 3/4 classes. She has her BS degree in Education from Indiana University.

Miss Gwen

Miss Gwen Stucky is the teaching assistant for the 4/5's Pre-School classes.

Miss Kim

Mrs. Kim Jutte is the teaching assistant for the 3/4's Pre-School class.

For more information, please contact Betsy Gerber at 260-824-0767.



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Established 1978
Celebrating 45 years

