



C H A R A C T E R V A L U E S E D U C A T I O N

Our comprehensive curriculum focuses not only on intellectual development, but also on healthy social and emotional growth through systematic character values education.

A C T I V E E N G A G E M E N T

Activities are designed to promote active learning through a “hands on” approach that allows children to explore the world in which they live.

R E S E A R C H - C E N T E R E D P R A C T I C E

Learning activities are grounded both in time-honored practice, such as learning through play, as well as in current research findings in the field of neuro-education. “Brain-based” learning strategies, for example, reveal that memory and creativity are enhanced by music, movement, and artistic expression.

E M B E D D E D C O N T E N T

Our fully-integrated curriculum is characterized by thematic units which combine the key skills of reading and mathematics with learning in the content areas of science and social studies.

S T A N D A R D S - B A S E D O B J E C T I V E S

Every learning activity is carefully planned to meet or exceed both national and state standards.

Mission Statement

Our goal is to nurture the development of each child's full potential—intellectually, emotionally, socially, and physically—in an atmosphere of safety and trust.

Core Values

- ◆ *We believe that each child is an individual, with his or her own unique set of strengths, talents, and gifts.*
- ◆ *We believe that every child has a right to excellence in all aspects of early childhood education.*
- ◆ *We believe in the importance of teaching character values, and more important, in modeling their use in our interactions with children, their families, and one another.*
- ◆ *We believe in the use of positive discipline strategies that lead children to become self-disciplined.*
- ◆ *We believe that honest and frequent communication between the school and the home positively impacts children's success.*
- ◆ *We believe in the importance of continuing professional development and personal growth through educational opportunities and supportive communities learning.*
- ◆ *We believe that every teacher and staff member can make a difference in the lives of the children and families we serve.*

