



Cross View Newsletter

A publication of the Early Childhood Center

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Welcome to our school

This September marks our 33rd year that the Early Childhood Center has been in the community to serve families. Whatever the name, schools are defined as a place of learning. Students come to grow and learn and they are taught in a variety of ways that are appropriate to their age. Even though Cross View Early Childhood Center doesn't have the word school in the name, our center is a place where learning is happening every day. Our teachers are continuously planning, creating, and organizing to teach the children in a variety of ways. The learning experiences are divided between the domains of Spiritual, Social and Emotional, Communication Arts, Expressive Arts, Wellness and Discovery about the World. The teachers also take time to assess children to see how they have grown and what learning is taking place for each individual child. Cross View is unique as our "school" weaves a Christian element throughout your child's day.

At Cross View Early Childhood Center, we have 4 core values that we follow in each of the classrooms. They are:

Be Kind

Be Helpful

Be a Good Listener

Be Safe

These core values help guide the management strategies we use in the classroom. These values help children learn acceptable behaviors and promote positive outlook. You can find these values posted in each classroom.

Many schools select values like Integrity and Responsibility for their schools. Our rules are much the same, only put into terms that a young child can understand. This is how we define our rules.

- ◆ Be Kind: to be loving and gentle to others
- ◆ Be a Good Listener: showing respect and following directions
- ◆ Be Helpful: to serve and care for others and being a part of a community
- ◆ Be Safe: keeping ourselves and others from getting hurt

We refer to them often in the classrooms. These rules are used to promote strong core values of "loving our neighbor." God tells us in the Bible "You shall love your neighbor as yourself." *Mark 12:31*

We use our core values to encourage God's Word to be a part of the children's lives and our school.

Happy September!

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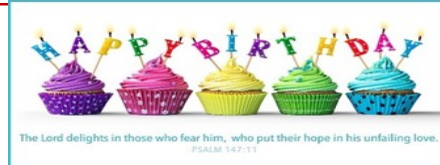
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Paige H.	1st	Jordan Z.	18th
Sophia V.	1st	Ms. Kelsie	24th
Reese Werler	6th	Ada R.	30th
Lydia W.	10th		

Special Class Days at Cross View

Tues. AM Gymnastics-Ducklings through Hoppers: Watch for a flyer coming out soon.

Wednesday-Chapel for Everyone

Thursday PM-Computers for Penguins & Hoppers: Confirmation of Sign ups will be out in the next few days.

Friday-Soccer Ducklings-Hoppers: sign up online at soccershots.com

School Pictures are on

September 16th!

Watch for More

Information Soon!

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Parent Teacher Conferences

October is conference time. This will be an opportunity to meet with your child's teacher and talk about development and set goals for the year. Infant/toddler & Cubs will be held the first part of the month, Siblings will be in the middle of the month and preschool will be held at the end of the month. Watch for the conference folders to be coming home soon!

Calendar Dates

Sept. 4th Center is Closed for Staff Development

Sept. 7th Center is Closed for Labor Day

Sept. 16th School Pictures

Oct. 22nd Early Release @ 5p.m.
for Staff Development

CROSS VIEW LITTLE LIBRARY

You may have noticed a little book house on the south side of the playground. Thanks to Danny Pahl a church member, who made us this library for his Eagle Scout Project. Please feel free to borrow a book or leave a book.



Parent Table Coming Soon

With the start of the new school year comes a new directory, new parent handbook, updates on emergency cards and a new CACFP form. We will be setting up a table in the lobby of the drop off/pick up area for you to come in and pick up the new handbook & directory as well as update your information. This will be happening in September. Watch for details.

Family Connections

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ECC Theme for the Month

All about Me

Each classroom will pick weekly themes that match with the monthly theme.

Bible Theme for the Month

God blesses Me

Each classroom will pick weekly Bible stories that match the monthly theme.



Verse for the Month-

“Serve one another in love.”

Galatians 5:13

Devotional for the Month-

Discuss with your child about your name and your child’s name and the meaning of their name. Then talk about with your child that God knows their name and knows everything about each of us. God knows your hair color, eye color, who you live with, where your house is, what your favorite food is, if you had a good day and many more things. Talk about the greatness of our God and how much He cares for each of us.

Family Activities

- ◆ Pray daily together- It is great for young children to get the experience to pray and see their parents pray.
- ◆ Try new food as a family– This is a good idea for the whole family. Talk about what each person’s favorite food are.
- ◆ Look at a family album together. Discuss with your child/children that God created each of us and that He blessed the family by bringing them into your lives.