

ENGLE JUNCTION PRESCHOOL

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Welcome to Engle Junction Preschool

Thank you for choosing Engle Junction Preschool at the Lindenhurst Park District to meet your child's needs. We are looking forward to a year full of learning, discovery, and fun! Each month we will be posting monthly newsletters on our web page and on the Homeroom App, to keep you informed about preschool events and curriculum activities. (Information regarding our Homeroom app will be given first week of preschool.)

A "What We Did Today" sheet will be posted outside your child's classroom on a daily basis. These worksheets will prompt fun discussions with your preschooler and keep you abreast on preschool daily activities.

Curriculum & Routines

The Engle Junction Preschool daily schedule is designed to incorporate individual, small group, and large group interaction between the children and their peers/ teachers. The children are kept active and engaged throughout the day. All aspects of the curriculum, as well as classroom centers and toys, are carefully selected to encourage exploratory learning. Each week your child will explore art, science, math, literature, music as well as both fine and gross motor activities. At circle time, the children will enjoy stories, games, and songs in addition to learning about letters, the weather, and the calendar. The predictable classroom routine makes learning enjoyable and comforting.

School Picture Days

PMI Photography, Inc. will take individual student and class photographs on September 17 (2yr, 3yr, Multi Age & Pre-K) and September 18 (4yr). Picture day order forms will be sent home ahead of these dates.

Building Our Classroom Community

At Engle Junction Preschool we incorporate Character Building Education to successfully build a community of children who genuinely care for one another. We will be working to create a classroom environment where students feel safe and loved. It is essential to the success of our learners. If students know they are loved, then they are willing to try. When they feel safe, they are willing to make mistakes. When students are actively engaged in the learning process with their peers, they retain skills and information at an exponentially higher rate where these virtues are not a focus. The virtue we will be focused on will be on the monthly newsletter and Homeroom. We encourage you to ask your child what they are learning!

Important Dates

- September 3
Pre-K, T/Th Multi-Age & Two's
Classes Begin
- September 4
MWF Classes Begin
- September 17 & 18
School Picture Days

Looking Ahead

- October 11
No School
- October 14
No School/Columbus
Day
- October 19
Lindenhurst Park
District's Haunted
Trail & Bonfire Event

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