**Bethany Lutheran Preschool, 3-Year Old Classes**

**Our objectives are to:**

   Help each child develop positive attitudes toward educational fulfillment.

   Provide programs, play materials & guidance aimed to encourage healthy growth & development – mentally, physically, emotionally, & socially.

   Help each child realize his/her fullest capabilities for growth and development.

   Provide first-hand experiences that are challenging and meaningful.

   Adapt to group learning by teaching them to share materials, space, and attention.

   Stimulate learning through love, curiosity, language skill, and encouragement of their desire to discover and explore for themselves; and

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| 9:15 a.m. | 9:40 a.m. | Welcome, Table Toys, Conversation |
| 9:40 a.m. | 9:55 a.m. | Circle Time, Attendance, Calendar, Weather, Movement |
| 9:55 a.m. | 10:45 a.m. | Free Play / Art / Learning Centers |
| 10:45 a.m. | 11:00 a.m. | Story Time, Snack Prep |
| 11:00 a.m. | 11:15 a.m. | Prayer, Snack, Library |
| 11:15 a.m. | 11:40 a.m. | Outside or Gym, Small Group Activity |
| 11:40 a.m. | 11:45 a.m. | Dismissal |

We have a choice of 3 different classes for our 3's:

* Monday, Wednesday, Friday class from 9:15 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.
* Monday – Friday class from 9:15 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.
* Tuesday & Thursday class from 9:15 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

We have up to 16 children in each class, with a teacher and an assistant.  Our teacher is Mrs. Terri Camilleri, who is also our Preschool Director, and the assistant is Mrs. Katie Meyer.

Our 3's do not leave the building - we have field trips come to them.  We have a dental hygienist, the fire department, the librarian, a llama or Critter Caravan will come to visit, Mystic Aquarium comes and brings some sea creatures.  We also have a professional photographer come in to do pictures.

Parents are asked to send their child to school with a healthy snack each day. Please note that we are a nut-free preschool. Our classes do celebrate holidays. We have parents sign up to bring a special snack on these days and parents can also sign up to come into the class to help.

All 3's must be potty-trained prior to attending preschool. We are not licensed for diapers, therefore, pull-ups are not allowed as they are considered a diaper).

All children must be up-to-date with immunizations and must have a flu immunization prior to December 31st.