



*Faith Family Academics Service*

**S** Joseph School  
RICE LAKE

Preschool

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# Welcome to St. Joseph Preschool Center!



Dear Parents:

Thank you for inquiring and for giving us the opportunity to touch the life of your child. We are excited about the coming year and working with you to give your child the best education possible.

We believe you, as parents, are the most important teachers of your young child and we value you as a partner in their education. Comments, questions and idea-sharing throughout the year are always welcome. Feel free to call us as well as write us notes when the need arises.

This booklet will give you Program information. Tuition information can be found on our school website.

Register online at [www.sjsricelake.org](http://www.sjsricelake.org) or by calling the Main Office 715-234-7721. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to call.

Together for Children,

*Mrs. Shannon Holthaus*

*Mrs. Alicia Kreier*

# What makes us unique?

- Highly Qualified, Caring Staff
- Licensed teacher and a teacher aid in each classroom, for low student/teacher ratio
- 4K students start attending Mass halfway through the school year
- Faith-Based
- Specialists Classes - Physical Education and Music (4K-2x per week, 3K - 1x per week)
- Buddy Programs with older students - Multi-Grade Recess
- Teaching to the Whole Child - Religion taught weekly
- Community/Family Events



# Curriculum and Assessments

## 9 Classroom Environments:

Fine Motor - Sensory, Writing, Table Time, Hands-on Learning

Social/Emotional - Housekeeping, Conversation Time.

Art and Music / Crafts

Faith - Bible Stories, Stories of God's love, Take-home

Faith for family

Large Motor - Gym, Playground, Recess

Learning Centers - Snack Time, Circle Time

Cognitive - Cooperative Games, Discover Centers

Literacy / Language - Book Center, Storytime

Assessments - 1x per month - Always ongoing.



# Program Options

## **3K Program (3 years by September 1)**

- Three-year olds are taking on new challenges every day! New words, thoughts and friendships are being formed.
- They plan engaging hands-on lessons that guide children's learning.
- Must be toilet trained

→ • **Schedule is Thursday and Friday 8:00 am - 11:00 am**



## **4K Program (4 years by September 1)**

*Four-year olds are ready for the continued academic and social challenges before them. Language and critical-thinking are in rapid growth. They are starting to think logically and can use language to express their thinking. They are eager to explore more about the world!*

- They plan engaging hands-on lessons that encourage discovery through play.
- Must be toilet trained/Bathroom Independent

→ • **Schedule is Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, 8:00 am - 3:00 pm**

# Daily Schedule



## **3K Program**

8:00 am - Arrive at School

8:10 am - Table Work

8:30 am - Circle Time/Learning Centers

9:15 am - Free Choice/Project

9:50 am - Music / Gym (Rotate)

10:10 am - Religion 1x per week

10:30 am - Prayer/End of day Routine/Playground

11:00 am - Dismissal



## **4K Program**

8:00 am - Arrive at School

8:05 am - Table Work

8:40 am - Calendar/Weather/Pledge/Circle Time

9:15 am - Bathroom Break/Snack

9:30 am - Recess

9:50 am - Large Group Learning (Literacy / Math)

10:40 am - Bathroom Break

10:50 am - Lunch/Recess

11:40 am - Story/Rest Time

12:10 pm - Religion

1:00 pm - Recess

1:20 - Bathroom Break/Snack

1:30 pm - Free Choice - Special Focus small group or individual work/assessment/Science

2:15 pm - Physical Education/Gym (Rotate)

# How to Enroll / Tuition

For tuition and registration fees, refer to our website page at <https://sjsriceLake.org/tuition-financial-assistance/>.

## Payments Schedule options

- Yearly - Due September 1
- Bi-Yearly - Due September 1 and February 1
- Monthly - Due 1st or 15th of the month beginning September 1

## To Enroll

- Complete online enrollment form [sjsriceLake.org](https://sjsriceLake.org) > enroll
- Pay non-refundable Registration Fee.
- The Tuition Contract and Direct Payment Plan Form (if using ACH) needs to be fully completed, signed and returned with the registration fee.
- An original copy of your child's birth certificate (this will be returned to you) and your child's current immunization records.

