



KINDERGARTEN PROGRAM

Instruction at Trinity Academy includes a hands-on, multi-sensory approach. Scripture and a biblical worldview are emphasized and integrated into each subject area.

CORE SUBJECTS

daily instruction

BIBLE:

Resource: Deep Roots Bible

- Study Noah, Abraham, Joseph, Moses, Joshua through Jonah and Christ
- Study the following topics: Creation, the Bible, the life of Christ, prayer and missions
- Memorize, recite and apply Scripture
- Attend weekly Chapel
- Learn to pray for each other

READING/LANGUAGE ARTS:

Resource: Saxon Phonics

- Demonstrate *pre-reading* skills: Print awareness, reasoning, rhyming, listening comprehension, alphabet recognition and phonemic awareness
- Code and read CVC (consonant-vowel-consonant) words
- Demonstrate *early reading* skills: Comprehension, predicting outcomes, oral communication and oral reading
- Read a variety of genres
- Write two sentences including words with silent letters

HANDWRITING:

- Letter formation
- Alignment and spacing

MATH:

Resource: BJU Press Elementary Math

- Recognize that God created all things with an order
- Progress in number sense, fluency, math vocabulary and basic math skills
- Demonstrate basic problem-solving skills
- Study shapes, patterns, and measurement

HISTORY/SOCIAL STUDIES:

Resource: ABeka History

- Recognize that all of history is God's history
- Learn about history, geography, people and great leaders of the United States
- Learn the Kansas symbols
- Study other countries and the children who live there
- Learn about community helpers

SCIENCE:

Resource: ABeka Science

- Understand and appreciate God's creation
- Study the five senses, seasons, weather, animals, and ocean life
- Experience hands-on activities

ENRICHMENT ACTIVITIES

- Field trip: Pumpkin patch in the fall
- Service opportunities throughout the year
- Fall program
- Spring program
- Kindergarten Recognition in May

SPECIALS

MUSIC:

Resource: Orff-Schulwerk/Kodaly Music

- Learn to keep a steady beat, using body percussion and instruments
- Develop an understanding of pitch
- Memorize selected songs for performance

PHYSICAL EDUCATION:

- Learn space awareness and the basics of throwing and catching through games
- Learn the basics of Christ-like teamwork and working together through games
- Play tag, volleyball, soccer and others

TECHNOLOGY:

- Access technology as a tool
- Be trained in the use of that technology

ART:

- Learn that God is a creative artist
- Identify and draw shapes and lines in animals and objects
- Create an original landscape that communicates ideas about nature
- Learn to use scissors, glue and a paint brush correctly
- Create sculptures with clay
- Create a self portrait