

## **BRIGHT BEGINNINGS PRESCHOOL LEVEL 9 & 10 CURRICULUM**

Level 9 and Level 10 are designed to prepare your child to enter Kindergarten in one year. They differ slightly in the age groupings. The core curriculum is the same.

### **LEVEL 9: Children 4 years old by 12/2/19**

71.9411.11 Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 12 – 3 PM Room 4C \$525

### **LEVEL 10: Children 4 years old by 9/2/19**

71.0410.11 Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 9 AM – 12 PM Room 4C \$575

**Philosophy:** Bright Beginnings is a developmental preschool with curriculum that focuses on the whole child: emotional, physical, intellectual and social. A variety of strategies and techniques are used to accommodate different learning styles. Activities are designed to be hands-on and developmentally appropriate. Children in Bright Beginnings learn to be self-sufficient, problem solvers and thinkers. Parents learn how to participate actively and effectively to promote learning in young children.

**Core Curriculum:** Based on State Guidelines for Kindergarten

- Small group and large group learning centers: math (including number concepts: counting, simple addition & subtraction, sequencing and shapes), science, literacy, writing and scissor skills.
- Upper and lowercase letter recognition and introduction to phonics.
- Large and small motor activities including activity time in our motor-development gym.
- Development of listening and speaking skills through circle time activities and show & tell.
- Exploration time where each child can choose their activity and play area (inside & outside.)
- Music, art, directional games and dramatic play activities daily. Cooking project once / week.
- Daily health education including nutrition and exercise.
- 2 - 3 Community Field Trips / quarter.

**Parent Participation:** Parents are an integral part of the preschool program.

- Participate once each week in your child's classroom. Provide a sub for any absence.
- Wear a work card and supervise children at play, and at learning centers.
- Complete all tasks as directed.
- Provide a healthy snack for the class once each quarter following the school nutritional guidelines.
- Be prepared and participate actively in the classroom and at weekly parent meeting.\*
- Complete assigned reading, homework, projects and surveys as directed.\*
- Arrive and Leave on time.

\* These classes qualify for reduced fees through Adult Education Block Grant funding based on active parent participation described above.