



## Northshore Christian Academy

### Early Learning Center

### New Student Enrollment 2018-2019



A Ministry of Northshore Christian Church ~ [www.northshorechristianschools.org](http://www.northshorechristianschools.org)

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Welcome to Northshore Christian Academy's **Early Learning Center**! We are so glad that your family is interested in our program.

Our goal is to provide your family with a Christian environment where your child will be nurtured and loved by teachers and staff. We provide an enriching program of social development, character quality training and practice, developmentally appropriate opportunities, academic readiness activities and Biblical training. Our ultimate goal is to give children a well-rounded experience while in our care.

We have a fantastic staff whose primary goal is to provide a safe, secure, and happy environment where every child feels confident to explore, learn and play.

In His Service,



Ms. Sarah DuCette

Early Learning Center  
Director



Miss Melissa Mackin

ELC Administrative  
Assistant and Registrar





# A Peek at Our Curriculum...

**Bible...**Pre-K classes use the *Jesus Storybook Bible*; Preschool classes use the *Read & Learn Bible*; the Two's classes use *The Beginners Bible* and the One's class uses *The First Step Bible* and *The Beginners Bible for Toddlers* to teach God's Word. Weekly Bible verses are taught and character qualities are addressed at Chapel each week.

**Math...**Pre-K uses *Every Day in Pre-K Math* and builds upon the *Math Their Way* program started in Preschool. These are highly effective programs that teach sorting, classification, pattern extension, prediction, measurement and more! Our Toddler classes incorporate math concepts in art and movement activities.

**Phonics/Language...**We immerse our students in language and poetry every day to help them develop a rich vocabulary. Pre-K and Preschool classes use *Moncure* letter books; Pre-K use *Alpha Tales*; and Preschool use *Alphabet Stories* (puppets and word stories) to teach letter and sound recognition.

**Handwriting...**(Pre-K only) *Handwriting Without Tears* is an exciting, research-based program that uses a wide variety of kinesthetic materials to help children learn to form upper case letters and numbers.

**Science...**We introduce children to the amazing world that our God created through stories, art, and hands-on activities.

**Art...**Art experiences are many and varied to encourage children to explore both self-directed and teacher directed projects.

**Social Studies...**Our themes help children explore the world around them, creating rich experiences and introductions to the world beyond their own front door.

**Music...**Miss Katy brings a special music time to each classroom twice monthly.

