



Classes for Twos

Two year old students have the option of attending two, three, or five days per week. Children are nurtured as they are introduced to the concept of being without their parents. A gathering time, free play, project, snack and outside play time fill up the three hours. Curriculum is centered around early literacy concepts of colors, shapes and word play, and counting.

Classes for Threes

Three year old students have the option of attending two, three, or five days per week. Three year olds "work" on letter recognition and beginning number skills. Again these concepts are casually introduced through discovery, play, stories, nursery rhymes and literature.

Pre-Kindergarten

Pre-Kindergarten classes are designed to provide children classroom experiences through play and hands on learning activities that enhance growth in the areas of social-emotional and cognitive development. Using "Big Day for Pre-K", a literature-based curriculum, enriches the learning as well. Our pre-kindergarten students have the choice of attending 3 or 5 half days (9:00 to 12 noon) and an option for Extended day (Wonder-Bunch) available Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays from 12 noon to 2:30pm. Wonder Bunch children have lunch together, a recess period and then resume class time. Wonder Bunch will provide children themed, center-based activities throughout the year that will further develop their classroom skills.

Tuition and Fees 2024-2025

Registration fee: \$60 per child

Tuition is an annual amount divided for your convenience over ten months; September through June.

Two days a week: \$280/month
Three days a week: \$399/month
Five days a week: \$580/month

Wonder Bunch program: Pre-K afternoon

12 noon to 2:30pm, Tues/Wed/Thurs
\$280/month

Lunch Bunch Program: (daily)

1 hour Lunch 12 noon-1:00 pm
\$10.00/day

Lunch Bunch 12 noon- 2:30 pm
\$25.00/day

Upper Dublin Christian Nursery School provides an environment where each child is nurtured emotionally, educationally, physically, and spiritually. We educate the whole child while learning through play.



ELCA Schools and Learning Centers

What makes UDCNS Unique?

Small Class Sizes

Our average class size is 10 children.

Experienced Teachers

Over half of our teachers have been here for over 10 years!

Play Based learning

Intellectual, physical, and social-emotional abilities emerge and are strengthened through play.

Accreditation & Curriculum

UDCNS is accredited through the ELEA, ELCA and we are committed to modeling the PBIS (positive behavior interventional support) approach to development.

Positive Behavior Intervention Support

Systematic approach using positive language and reinforcement to promote a child's social-emotional development.

Our Staff

Our director Kathleen Vega, has a Bachelors Degree in Elementary Education and is dedicated to helping the development of each child. Our lead teachers are certified, caring individuals committed to the growth of our students and the support of the families of our school. Our Classroom Assistants share those same commitments.

Our Facility

Our school is enhanced by our beautiful grounds with ample space for special events and a new playground. We have open space for group activities and a wooded area with paths and a stream for observing nature. Inside we have bright and airy classrooms, and full use of church facilities. Child-created work is always on display not only in the classrooms, but in the halls as well.

Our Programs

All areas of growth and learning are integrated into a play based program which includes language and reading readiness, communication and socialization, fine and gross motor skills, self-reliance, listening and sharing. We offer programs for two, three, four and five year old children.

Our school day is 9:00 am to 12 noon. Daily lunch bunch is available from 12 noon to 2:30pm. Our Pre-K classes also have an afternoon Wonder Bunch program from 12 noon to 2:30pm on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday afternoons.



Extra Curricular Activities

Students attend Chapel weekly. This is a fun, relaxed time in the sanctuary with our Children's Pastor. It is a wonderful introduction to church. Our other weekly classes include Music, a visit to our school Library, and a Physical Education period.



Annual Family Special Events!

- Popsicles and Playground
- Fall Festival
- Christmas Pageant
- Donuts with Dad
- Mother's Day Morning
- End of Year Picnic and move up celebrations

Summer Camp

Our successful summer camp now runs 6 weeks each year! Summer camp hours are 9 am to 1pm, where kids enjoy outdoor activities and water fun, then stay for lunch. The camp program is open to the community for kids ages 3-5. Sign ups are available in March.

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