

Lakeshore Preschool Curriculum

<i>Social/Emotional Development</i>	<i>Physical Development</i>	<i>Cognitive Development</i>	<i>Language Development</i>
<p>Sense of Self</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◇ Shows ability to adjust to new situations ◇ Demonstrates appropriate trust in adults ◇ Recognizes own feelings and manages them appropriately ◇ Stands up for rights <p>Responsibility for Self and Others</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◇ Demonstrates self-direction and independence ◇ Takes responsibility for own well-being ◇ Respects and cares for classroom environment and materials ◇ Follows classroom routines ◇ Follows classroom rules <p>Prosocial Behavior</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◇ Plays well with other children ◇ Recognizes the feelings of others and responds appropriately ◇ Shares and respects the rights of others ◇ Uses thinking skills to resolve conflicts 	<p>Gross Motor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◇ Demonstrates basic locomotor skills (running, jumping, hopping, galloping) ◇ Shows balance while moving ◇ Climbs up and down ◇ Pedals and steers a tricycle (or other wheeled vehicle) ◇ Demonstrates throwing, kicking, and catching skills <p>Fine Motor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◇ Controls small muscles in hands ◇ Coordinates eye-hand movement ◇ Uses tools for writing and drawing 	<p>Learning and Problem Solving</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◇ Observes objects and events with curiosity ◇ Approaches problems flexibly ◇ Shows persistence in approaching tasks ◇ Explores cause and effect ◇ Applies knowledge or experience to a new context <p>Logical Thinking</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◇ Classifies objects ◇ Compares/measures ◇ Arranges objects in a series ◇ Recognizes patterns and can repeat them ◇ Shows awareness of time concepts and sequence ◇ Shows awareness of position in space ◇ Uses one-to-one correspondence ◇ Uses numbers and counting <p>Representation and Symbolic Thinking</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◇ Takes on pretend roles and situations ◇ Makes believe with objects ◇ Makes and interprets representations 	<p>Listening and Speaking</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◇ Hears and discriminates the sounds of language ◇ Expresses self using words and expanded sentences ◇ Understands and follows oral directions ◇ Answers questions ◇ Asks questions ◇ Actively participates in conversations <p>Reading and Writing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◇ Enjoys and values reading ◇ Demonstrates understanding of print concepts ◇ Demonstrates knowledge of the alphabet ◇ Uses emerging reading skills to make meaning from print ◇ Comprehends and interprets meaning from books and other texts ◇ Understands the purpose of writing ◇ Writes letters and words