

## Special Activities

Calvary Murrieta Preschool has several events and activities planned throughout the year to encourage and build our partnership in your child's early education.

- Meet Your Teacher Day
- Back to School Night
- Special Event Days
- Open Door Policy—Parents are always welcome to visit and participate at any time
- Weekly Newsletters
- Open House
- Family Fun Day
- School Pictures
- Seasonal Programs
- Yearly Parent-Teacher Conferences
- Progress Reports
- Weekly and Monthly Bible and Learning Unit Themes

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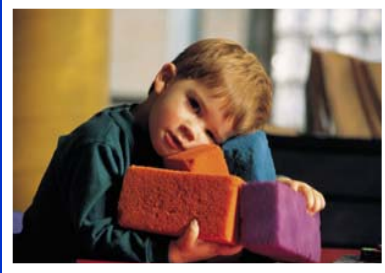


*"Let the little children come to me,  
and do not hinder them,  
for the kingdom of heaven  
belongs to such as these."*

*Matthew 19:14*

## Our Commitment

Calvary Murrieta Preschool is a part of the overall ministry of Calvary Chapel Murrieta and exists as an outreach to the community by assisting parents with their role as the primary educators of their child.



We are committed to meeting the needs of young children while fostering caring and lasting relationships with families. Our program offers age-appropriate activities to promote positive learning in a loving and enriching environment.



Our staff of Christian professionals is carefully selected for their love and dedication to children. Each staff member has

received college education in Early Childhood Development and is experienced in working with young children.

With God at our center and parents as our partners, our goal is to nurture the whole child to grow in physical, emotional, social, creative, cognitive, and spiritual areas of development.

## Our Enrichment Program

We believe that children learn by actively participating, exploring, and discovering (Proverbs 20:11). Our classrooms invite children to choose from activities that capture and hold their interest. Our teachers provide a balance of playtime with structured learning experiences that include pre-reading and writing, pre-math, science, social studies, music, art, literature appreciation, gross and fine motor development and spiritual development. Our program is designed to provide endless active learning opportunities that:

- Place an emphasis on Christian values
- Encourage learning God's Word through Bible stories, songs and daily activities
- Engage children in hands-on learning
- Promote literacy and language development
- Build pre-math skills
- Encourage children to explore, question, experiment, and discover answers
- Encourage physical development and large and small motor skills
- Promote creative art and music activities
- Include cooking projects
- Explore God's world through science and nature activities
- Encourage health, safety, and nutritional practices
- Include dramatic play
- Build socio-emotional skills, cooperative play, and friendships

## Our Classrooms & Curriculum

We offer full and half-day classes 2, 3, or 5 days a week for children 3 to 5 years of age (toilet trained required).

We provide an academically based, age-appropriate curriculum that encourages creativeness, cognitive thinking, social and verbal skills, spiritual development, following directions, and physical development. This is achieved by offering a flexible daily schedule that includes circle time where we learn to work together, listen to stories, share ideas and questions, sing songs, and play games. We believe children learn by doing, so our classrooms are designed with a variety of active learning centers and the children have opportunities throughout the day to explore in meaningful, hands-on experiences such as:

- Block Play
- Creative Arts
- Music & Movement Activities
- Science Discovery
- Dramatic Play
- Reading and Writing Centers
- Math and Manipulative Materials
- Outdoor Physical Activities

Our curriculum allows for observation and recording of each child's on-going growth and development. This information is used to assist teachers in planning themes, projects, and activities.