

Dear Pre-Kindergarten Parents,

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Most of you have already made the decision. A few are still thinking and praying about it. Whether it's the first time or the fourth, it's important. Kindergarten is your child's first step into school and therefore needs to be as positive as possible. Because our ministry prepares now for fall classes, we want to make sure your child is appropriately placed. We need to know as soon as possible if your child will be attending Kindergarten next year. We are available to help in any way we can.



Our Point of View

- We believe the Kindergarten class is for children attending Kindergarten in an “elementary” environment.
- If your child will be waiting a year before attending Kindergarten or if you are placing your child in a Junior Kindergarten class, then the PBC Pre-K class is the best fit.

Why Wait to Move to Kindergarten Class?

As the child moves up to Kindergarten and on to other classes, he/she will move with the same group of children. This provides comfort and consistency for the child. One of Children's Ministry's goals is to foster strong peer relationships in the Church. This happens more readily when children begin associating with a consistent peer group at a young age--the earlier, the better.

Can You Help Us?

Please sign your child up for either the Pre-K or Kindergarten class on the fall class reservation webpage. Look for the link on the PBCC website.
(www.pbcc.org/ministries/infant-5th.php)

If you have any questions regarding this or anything else in the ministry, please don't hesitate to call us. As always, it's a pleasure serving you and your children. They are a delight.

Respectfully,

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Children's Pastor

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Preschool Director

Just in case you wondered...

We promote all classes in the Children's Sunday School Ministry (except Infants-Toddler II's) in October.

Helpful Resources:

Your Five Year Old
-Ames & Ilg
Better Late Than Early
-Raymond Moore