

## ELC PROGRAMS

The Early Learning Center at Assumption provides many different programs to fit the needs of your child. We provide a well-balanced curriculum in a safe Christian environment that promotes growth and development of each individual child to meet his or her physical, emotional, social and cognitive needs. The uniqueness of each child inspires our work.

<b>PreK</b>		
<p>Our PreK program is a readiness program for 4 and 5 year olds. This program is more structured than our other early learning environments. It provides all the necessary environmental components for each child to develop at their own pace yet encourages the growth that is needed to experience success in Kindergarten.</p>		
<b>Ages Served</b> 4-5 years old <i>your child must be 4 by August 31</i>	<b>Time</b> PreK AM Monday-Friday 8:15 – 11:00 am  PreK PM Monday – Friday 12:00 – 2:45 pm	<b>Cost</b> \$275 per month
<b>PreK Jr.</b>		
<p>For our younger preschoolers, we offer PreK Jr. This program is for children not quite ready for the structure and readiness that PreK offers but focuses on learning basic skills of listening, speaking, learning rhymes, learning finger plays and communicating in both Spanish and English. We also focus on honing the student's fine motor skills with name writing, cutting, crafts, etc.</p>		
<b>Ages Served</b> 3 ½ to 4 years old <i>With teacher approval</i>	<b>Time</b> M/W/F, 8:00 – 11:00 am	<b>Cost</b> \$175 per month
<b>Preschool</b>		
<p>This program is for the littlest preschooler. This class caters to the early learner in that we are inspired by their movement and interests. Each child is welcome and allowed to broaden their world in a safe manner. We realize that the transition for this age is much harder. It is a small class therefore the child's needs are recognized and met.</p>		
<b>Ages Served</b> 3 years old <i>By August 31<sup>st</sup></i>	<b>Time</b> T/TH 8:00 – 11:00 am	<b>Cost</b> \$140 per month

<b>Childcare</b>		
<p>Our childcare program is open all year round. At the ELC we take our job as an extension of your love and warmth very seriously. Your child will be made part of our ELC family. The Early Learning Center at Assumption is licensed to serve children 30 months through 11 years of age. The ELC cannot accept children under the age of 2.5 years (30 months) who are not potty-trained. Details on all ELC policies are in located in the Parent Handbook.</p>		
<b>Ages Served</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Cost</b>
Minimum 2.5 years old (30 months)	Monday-Friday 7:00 am – 5:30 pm	<p>Full Time - \$40 per day</p> <p>Part Time - \$40 per day or \$27 per half day (less than 5 hours)</p> <p>Drop In - \$46 per day or \$30 per half day (less than 5 hours)</p>
<b>After-school Program</b>		
<p>Our After-school program serves the Assumption Grade school. We serve other school aged children but do not provide transportation. This program is held at the ELC and runs on the school schedule.</p>		
School-aged children	Assumption School release time – 5:30 pm	<p>\$11 per day after school</p> <p>\$27 per day on noon release days</p> <p>\$40 per day on no school days</p>

When children feel needed and supported, they feel secure. Secure children experience the most successful learning. Children’s early learning experiences pave the way for future success, and the Early Learning Center at Assumption provides a solid foundation for education within the Walla Walla Catholic Schools.