

Does my child qualify for your VPK or preschool?

- If your child is 4 years old by September 1, 2021 they qualify for the FREE Florida VPK program!
- If your child is 3 years old by September 1, 2021, they qualify for our tuition-based 3-year-old program!

What hourly preschool options are available?

We have different options to fit your child's educational needs!

- VPK hours (free hours provided by the state of Florida) are 8:00am 12:00pm, Monday Thursday. If you are enrolling in VPK, your child must attend during these hours and follow the state attendance guidelines to qualify for the program.
- 3-year-old tuition based students can opt for a 2, 3, or 4 day option.
- We also provide an optional Friday program from 8:00am 12:00pm for an addition \$25/day.
 - This Friday program has an option to stay until 1:30pm (when our elementary school dismisses) for an additional \$10/day.

Do you offer extended care?

• Yes! Our Extended Preschool Care is offered Monday - Thursday from 12:00pm - 3:00pm for an additional \$5/hour.

Who can attend your preschool?

- Our preschool is open to our community and we are happy to serve the Maitland/Altamonte Springs area...and beyond!
- You do not have to be a member of our church to attend our preschool. However, please be aware that we are a Christ-centered classroom. Our curriculum, discipline, and social skills will be taught from a Biblical perspective.
- If you have concerns about any special needs your child might have, please contact the director to see if King of Kings is able to provide what is needed for your child.

How many students will be in each classroom?

- We are a small preschool and will have no more than 11 students in a classroom. This allows the teacher work with each child and meet their individual needs.
- The 3 and 4-year-old classes are in a combined classroom. This is to the benefit of both age groups and is a blessing of a multi-age classroom!

What curriculum do you use?

 We use a curriculum called High Scope. This curriculum provides child-led free-play planning and options. We provide a variety of toys and learning materials to create a rich, imaginative environment where you child can nurture their creative minds and provide multiple opportunities to practice social skills. We also organize our activities around a letter-of-the-week program that provides literacy, sensory, and hands-on activities that introduce the student to letter and number concepts.

Does my child need to be potty-trained to attend?

Yes! Children must be completely toilet-trained and be able to perform bathroom tasks
independently before joining our classroom. We have two bathroom facilities in our classroom.

Is there a uniform/dress code?

- Tops: red, black, or white polos or plain t-shirts.
- Bottoms: khaki, black, or navy pants, shorts, or skirts.
- These items can be found at Walmart, Target, The Children's Place, or other stores.

How do I pay my tuition of extended preschool care bills?

• We use a program called Gradelink/PaySimple. Once you are enrolled, we will add you to the program and you can view and pay your bill online.

This all sounds great! How can I register my child at King of Kings Lutheran Preschool?

- Request a tour of our classroom/campus! You will be able to meet the teacher/director and ask any additional questions you may have.
- Complete and submit the application form (obtained after the tour), along with the other forms in the enrollment packet that require a signature.
- Submit your child's current immunization and physical records.
- Submit your VPK Certificate of Eligibility (VPK students only)
 - Visit <u>familyservices.floridaearlylearning.com/</u> and click on the VPK link. From here you can fill out your child's information (and upload proof of residency and proof of age) to obtain their Certificate of Eligibility.

God's blessings to you and your family as you make this important decision regarding your child's education! ©

In His Service,

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