



# STILLWATER AREA SCHOOLS THREESCHOOL OPEN HOUSE

Jan. 19, 2022

## WHOLE-CHILD LEARNING EXPERIENCES

We believe that our classroom settings are laying the foundation for lifelong learning. Through the guidance of Creative Curriculum, our ThreeSchool teachers plan engaging whole-child learning experiences for children. We provide a play-based environment to ensure children are building their social competence, as well as becoming excited about the learning process.

Engaging, playful exploration in our ThreeSchool classrooms support all areas of children's development: social-emotional, physical, language, and cognitive. In addition, guided support from our teachers help children gain understanding of appropriate pre-academic concepts.

## COMMUNICATION

Consistent with the elementary buildings, teachers utilize Seesaw as the main form of communication. Emails, phone calls, and personal conversations are also always welcomed.



## THREESCHOOL REQUIREMENTS

- Children must be 3 years of age by September 1st
- Children must go through Early Childhood Screening within the first 90 days of school
- Families must provide transportation; there is no bussing available at the ECFC, except if a child has an IEP
- Children must be independent with toileting by Sept. 1 of school year (students with a disability which may prohibit independent toileting are exempt from this requirement)
- Children bring their own individually wrapped snack each day
- An extra set of clothing (socks, underwear, pants, and shirt) is to be kept in children's backpacks

## OUR CLASSROOMS

We are a 4-Star, Parent Aware rated program. Teachers are licensed with a four-year education degree, and care deeply about our youngest learners. We are an inclusive community, and our classrooms serve children of all skills and abilities. We provide outstanding opportunities for children, to assure they make a smooth transition into their next classroom environment.

## TYPICAL CLASSROOM ACTIVITIES

- Circle Time
- Student-led playful learning
- Teacher-led small group instruction
- Snack
- Songs/music
- Playground/recess/gym
- Dramatic play
- Large/small motor activities
- Sensory exploration
- Read alouds



## EXTENDED SCHOOL CARE

For ThreeSchool students, flexible extended care is offered at the ECFC. In order to best fit the needs of families, there are multiple options available. Space is limited. For more information please call 651-351-8300.

## LARGE MOTOR OPPORTUNITIES

In addition to movement games in the classroom, our ThreeSchool classes have daily access to the ECFC school playground and gym- both of which were designed specifically for our youngest learners.



Financial scholarships are available for those who are eligible. Please contact the main preschool office for more information.

Main Preschool Office:  
651-351-4000