

## • Tuition & Fees •

### Registration Fees

There is a registration fee for each year the child is enrolled in the program.

Registration fee is payable at time of registration and is non-refundable.

### Tuition

Tuition includes the cost for Special Programs during the year such as Mystic Marine Life Aquarium, Zoo Mobile for all classes as well as Weekly Reader for the MWF classes.

There will be no deduction in tuition or make-up days for school closings due to weather or other circumstances over which we have no control.

Please call for current tuition fee information.

## • Objective •

Our objective at Helen King Reynolds is to provide a pleasant and safe environment for the social, physical, emotional, and intellectual development of the child. In order to accomplish this, the school program will include many opportunities for social development, large and small muscle coordination, aesthetic appreciation, creative expression, and musical expression. Reading readiness, number concepts, and language development will also be integrated on an informal basis.

## • Goals •

### A. For the Child:

1. To provide opportunities to be with other children in a setting conducive to the development of wholesome social relationships.
2. To provide appropriate play experiences that contribute to the developmental needs of the child.
3. To provide opportunities for meaningful play that are based on the child's individual needs, interests, handicaps, and abilities, and that will build important foundations for future reading skills and other academic pursuits..

### B. For the Parent:

1. To provide opportunities to meet and work with other parents and teachers who have as their common concern the interest and needs of the preschool child.
2. To provide care for the child while the parent pursues his/her own work or other interests.

### C. For the Community:

1. To help meet the needs of the community for an early childhood facility.
2. To contribute to the wholesome growth and development of the future citizens of the community.
3. To provide a setting in which people of various religious and ethnic backgrounds can work together for the good of their children.

## • Staff •

All of our staff is First Aid, CPR, and Emergency Medication certified.

Each year we exceed the number of hours required for continuing education.



## • Calendar •

Our school year begins the week after Labor Day and ends the last week of May. We are not in session on legal holidays. We are closed for two weeks during December holidays and follow the Stratford Public School calendar for winter and spring vacations.

## • F.A.Q.'s & Other Info •

### What are the staff's educational/qualifications?

*This ranges from masters and bachelors in education, early childhood education certificate, and CDA. All staff is 1st Aid, CPR and Emergency Medication certified, and involved in continuing education.*

**What about staff turnover?** *Our staff is very stable. Our current staff joined HKR between 1985 and 2009.*

**Are parents allowed to visit?** *Absolutely! Parents may visit at any time, celebrate a birthday, or volunteer for our monthly parent participation days.*

**How do you handle discipline?** *Close adult proximity, redirection, anticipation of behavior and interception before problems occur, using words, and other problem solving techniques.*

If you need information in a language other than English, we will coordinate with Stratford Community Services to provide an interpreter/translator and will provide written program information in the language required.





## Daily Program

**Tuesday/Thursday Classes**  
8:45 - 10:00am/12:15 - 1:30pm

Arrival & entrance

Free Play

Project

10:00-10:10am/1:30-1:40pm

Attendance & welcome

Clean-up time

10:10-10:20am/1:40-1:50pm

Bathroom

10:20-10:35am/1:50-2:05pm

Snack

10:35-11:00am/2:05-2:30pm

Story

Music

Movement

11:00-11:30am/2:30-3:00pm

Outdoor play

## Monday-Wednesday-Friday Classes

8:45-9:55am/12:15-1:25pm

Arrival & welcome

Free play

Project

9:55-10:05am/1:25-1:35pm

Attendance & welcome

Clean-up time

10:05-10:15am/1:35-1:45pm

Calendar

10:15-10:25am/1:45-1:55pm

Bathroom

10:25-10:35am/1:55-2:05pm

Snack

10:35-11:00am/2:05-2:30pm

Story

Music Activity

(science project, Weekly Reader,  
pre-math, other)

11:00-11:30am/2:30-3:00pm

Outdoor play

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## Philosophy:

We believe in:

- The whole child
- Developmentally appropriate early childhood education
- The value of early childhood education
- Supporting parents as the primary influence on their children's education
- The delight of a child's first school experience
- Creative opportunities for small children
- The school as an integral part of the community



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