

Happy New Year! Welcome to 2025! I hope & pray that 2025 is filled with exciting adventures & some special memory-making family times!

In the beginning of January, we usually hear a lot about resolutions. Do you create a personal "New Resolutions" list? Seems like the most common resolutions revolve around getting more exercise, eating better foods, breaking a bad habit, or eating smaller portions. In preschool, we don't discuss "resolutions", but there is a close parallel as we talk about doing the right thing by the choices we make. In January, our Bible focus is on *obeying God by making right choices*. Our Bible Verse is from Psalms 106:3 – "Happy are those who do right."

The concepts that we are emphasizing along with Bible Stories this month will include some of the following:

- I will do what God wants me to do!
 (Shadrach, Meshach, Abednego in Fiery Furnace from Daniel 3)
- I will take care of my body!
 (Daniel & friends chose healthy foods from Daniel 1)
- I will do my best work!
 (Joseph works in Egypt from Genesis 37, 39, 41:25-57)
- I will tell the truth! (Joseph's brothers lying to their father from Genesis 37)
- I will do right even when it's not easy! (Job from Job 1, 2, 42)



Other Bible stories that teachers may use in January go along with "Making Right Choices" are The Wise Man Built His House upon the Rock, The Good Samaritan, Man Born Blind, Jonah, Ten Commandments, and Solomon Builds the Temple.



Our Spiritual Application Focus will talk about:

- Am I making the right choices?
- How can I make right choices?
- Praise and compliment me when I make a right choice!
- Manners/Rules/Self-control
- What is a lie? Honesty

It is convicting to read through our Bible concepts and focus for January. I hope you are challenged as well as you consider how you can join your children in making right choices starting this month! Remember...it's never too late for new beginnings, new habits, and making right choices! God gives us a fresh start in January – but really, we have the opportunity with the beginning of each new day!



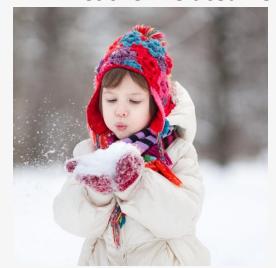


"Happy are those who do right." Psalms 106:3 January Bible Verse More information coming soon from the teachers about your child!



January Progress Reports will be handed out on Thursday, January 23 and Friday, January 24!

A Weather Related Reminder...



In case of severe weather,
Kidslink may dismiss classes. We will
send parent emails or texts to let you
know. You can also watch Channel 3, 10,
or 12 for closing or consult the
closings/delays list on their station
websites. We always understand if you
choose to keep your child at home and
not attend preschool during inclement
weather!

KIDSLINK PRESCHOOL ENROLLMENT FOR NEXT FALL 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR

Beginning on Monday, January 27 we will offer our current Kids Day Inn and Kidslink families the first opportunity to enroll for next year.

Affordable!





Kindergarten Readiness!





Loving & Qualified Staff!

Excellence in Early Learning!

Look for more information about our 2025-2026 KIDSLINK PRESCHOOL On-line Early Enrollment Week later in January!





DURING THE FIRST FEW WEEKS OF JANUARY

Due to shorter expiration dates on snack packages we didn't ask for the entire supply list in August. In the next two weeks will you please bring another snack box to preschool and give it to your child's teacher?

We like to vary our snack options each day! Please do not buy <u>Goldfish</u>, <u>Fruit Snacks or Cheez-its</u>, as we have an abundance of these! Our preschoolers would appreciate a change in options!

A small box of cereal would help us have some additional variety: Honeycomb, Life, Apple Jacks, Oreos-Cookies & Cream, or Fruit Loops.

Or

You may bring one box of your choice of the following:

Teddy Grahams, Veggie Straws, Graham Crackers, Pretzels, Vanilla Wafers, Mini Club Crackers or Animal Crackers.

Thanks very much!!!

Remember if you need to pick your child up early or if you are running late at the beginning or end of preschool:

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- 1. Park on the East side of the Pathway Building.
- 2. Come in the building.
- 3. Ring our Doorbell on the left of the Preschool Hall Doors.