

First Presbyterian Church

Child Care Center

An Accredited Child Care Center

Dear Parents,

On behalf of the Board of Directors of the First Presbyterian Church Child Care Center, the members of the First Presbyterian Church and the staff of the center, we welcome you and your child to the center. Our goal is to provide a safe, loving and Christ centered environment for children whose parents work outside the home. We are a non-profit organization that is supported by our fees, grants and the members of the First Presbyterian Church.

When you leave your child with us for the day to go to work, we want you to feel comfortable and secure in the knowledge that your child's emotional and spiritual needs are being met as well as any physical needs that your child may have. You will find our discipline and behavior policies outlined in this manual. Our approach is centered on respecting the dignity and uniqueness of each child. After having read this section, if you have questions or concerns please speak with the director.

Our other important goal is to help prepare your child for academic success. We maintain educational standards that are consistent with many of the surrounding school districts. The Director, staff and teaching professionals have worked together to assure our curriculum and daily lesson plans yield positive outcomes for the children, both now and when the child enters the public school system.

Our Christian Education curriculum is biblically centered and provides children with the basis of Christian faith. Since the material is basic, it does not promote any particular denomination, but teaches the sovereignty of God and the story of salvation in Christ Jesus. The five basic tenets of our curriculum are God creates, saves, helps, calls and gathers people.

We hope that your children and family will feel nurtured and supported while you are here with us.

Yours in Christ, Allana Horn, President,

Board of Directors