

## 4 Year Old Curriculum Summary

### Math Readiness

- Rote counting to 20 (and beyond)
- Recognizes numbers (1-10)
- Recognizes shapes
- Recognizes sizes (small, medium, and large)

### Reading Readiness

- Identifies written name
- Identifies some letters and sounds
- Recognizes colors
- Prints first name
- Identifies feelings
- Enjoys language play
- Developing listening skills
- Sight word recognition

### Religion

- Respects all of God's creatures
- Shows kindness to others
- Makes sign of the cross
- Participates in prayer
- Recognizes the importance of each person
- Discovering God's World religious program

### Fine Motor Skills

- Holds and uses crayons and markers
- Holds and uses scissors
- Able to use easel paints
- Able to use Playdoh/Floam
- Able to string beads and make patterns
- Able to zip, button, and snap

### Gross Motor Skills

- Can walk in a line
- Can run
- Can jump in place
- Can hop on one foot
- Participates in games

### Practical/Life Skills

- States phone number and address
- Identifies main body parts
- Follows 2-3 step directions
- Able to use appropriate table manners
- Demonstrates age appropriate hygiene

### Social & Emotional Skills

- Shows respect and concern for people and things
- Plays and shares
- Reflects a positive self image
- Joins in with other children (cooperation)

### Listening & Speaking Skills

- Can listen quietly for an appropriate amount of time
- Speaks clearly
- Speaks in sentences
- Takes turns

### The Arts: Music, Art, Science & Social Skills

- Participates in music activities (songs, actions, finger plays)
- Creative exploring using a variety of materials
- Participates in art activities such as: cutting, gluing, etc.
- Participates in hands on activities