

## **Current class descriptions:**

### **2 ½ year old Toddler Time Program:**

These classes are designed for the very youngest of preschool children. A relaxed non-threatening introduction to the educational environment. The purpose of these classes is to help trigger the development of a child's most basic and fundamental social skills. All children must be 2 ½ by **September 30<sup>th</sup>** to enroll for fall classes. Children **do not need to be potty trained** to attend this class.

*An additional one-day per week Toddler class will begin early February for these children who turn 2 ½ between October 1<sup>st</sup> and January 30<sup>th</sup>.*

### **3-year-old program 2-day:**

This class is planned for the 3 year old that may not have had any previous preschool experience. The purpose of this class is to help the child develop social skills, become involved in-group activities and make new friends. **All children must be 3 years old by September 30<sup>th</sup> and totally potty trained to enroll in this class.**

### **3-year-old program 3-day:**

These classes are somewhat more comprehensive than the 2-day class due primarily to more time spent in the classroom, as well as slightly more involved activities. The nurturing of basic three-year-old appropriate social skills is still their primary purpose. **Children must be 3 years old by September 30<sup>th</sup> and totally potty trained to enroll in this class.**

### **4&5-year program 3-day:**

These classes are designed for children who are moving up from the 3 year old program as well as for the child who is experiencing preschool for the first time. Classes provide children the opportunity to continue to grow both socially and academically by way of a wide variety of developmentally appropriate hands on activities. **Children must be 4 years old by September 30<sup>th</sup> and totally potty trained to enroll in these classes.**

### **4&5 year old program Pre-K Program 4 or 5 day**

This class is designed for the younger 5 year old that is ready for an everyday routine but not quite equipped to handle the structure or demands of Kindergarten. The child may be moving up from one of our other programs or joining us for the very first time. These students are challenged to grow socially, and to be exposed to a wide variety of developmentally appropriate readiness activities that are provided via benefits of a consistent daily routine. This class is an excellent final preparation for the child who needs a little more "growing time" before moving onto Kindergarten. **The 4-day option is only open in the afternoon program. Children must be 4 years old by May 30<sup>th</sup>.**

*Please refer to the next pages for supplemental program opportunities currently being offered at HUMNS*

### **SUPPLEMENTAL PROGRAMS AVAILABLE AT HUMNS**

**Preschool Extended Day Enrichment:** PEDE is intended to provide three and five-day students the opportunity to be involved in an in-depth developmentally appropriate preschool experience based on a wide variety of curriculum topics (including but not exclusive to; art, science, foreign language, movement). Class size is limited. Monday, Wednesday, and Friday classes are available to all 3, 4 and 5 year old students of HUMNS. Each day will offer different activities, so your child has the opportunity to participate in more than one day. This program runs mid-September through the end of the school year. Registration will be held at the same time as registration for regular preschool

independently from normal tuition. Additional information concerning PEDE is available upon request.

**Explorer Program:** The Explorer program is a program designed for 4 and 5 year olds. The children **explore** technology, literature and make friends in this program. They will also be working on literacy, exploring the world and all it has to offer, and they will become young scientists. The program meets on Tuesdays and Thursdays and runs mid-September through the end of the school year. Registration will be held at the same time as registration for preschool classes. The Explorer program is a self-supporting program with tuition paid independently from normal tuition. Additional information concerning the Explorer program is available upon request.

*If minimum class size is not met, class is subject to cancellation. If you have any additional questions about programs offered at HUMNS feel free to call 330-650-4091 ext.106 or e-mail [humns@windstream.net](mailto:humns@windstream.net)*

## Preschool Extended Day Enrichment

The Preschool Extended Day Enrichment (PEDE) program is intended to provide students with the opportunity to be involved in an in-depth developmentally appropriate preschool experience based on a variety of curriculum topics.

### Enrollment Eligibility:

Students with three and five day classes at HUMNS will be eligible for full year enrollment, with classes starting in mid-September.

Registration will take place at the same time as regular registration.

### Enrollment Procedures:

Follow the 10 easy steps to registration as outlined in the registration packet.

### Schedules: Sample

9:00-11:30 **morning** classes attend am preschool class

10:30-11:30 8 afternoon class students attend PEDE class

11:30-12:30 All 16 enrichment students eat parent provided lunch With the enrichment teachers. They will also have gym, stories, and Games during this time.

12:30-3:00 Afternoon class students attend normally scheduled Classes

12:30-1:30 8 morning class students attend PEDE class.

### Tuition:

The PEDE tuition will be paid in advance each semester. There will be no refunds or substitutions for classes missed due to student absences.

### Parent Responsibilities:

Parental responsibilities include but are not limited to:

1. Complete all registration procedures
2. Pay tuition on time
3. Make every effort to arrive promptly at arrival and departure
4. Provide student with a nutritious lunch remembering no nuts.
5. Notify staff in writing if someone other than parent will be picking up

## **Explorer Program**

The Explorer Program is intended to provide students with the opportunity to be involved in an in-depth developmentally appropriate preschool experience based on a wide variety of topics.

### **Enrollment Eligibility:**

Students enrolled in any 4 or 5-year-old classes at HUMNS will be eligible for full year enrollment with classes starting mid-September. Registration will take place at the same time as regular registration.

### **Enrollment Procedures:**

Follow the 10 easy steps to registration as outlined in the registration packet.

### **Scheduling: Sample**

This program meets on Tuesday and Thursdays

9:00-11:30 Morning classes' students attend normally scheduled

Class.

10:00-11:30 Afternoon class students attend the Explorer Program and do a variety of activities.

11:30-12:30 both morning and afternoon classes will eat there Parent provided lunch with the teachers. They will also have Gym time, stories and games during this time.

12:30-3:00 Afternoon children attend there the Explorer Program.

12:30-2:00 Morning class students attend the Explorer Program and do a variety of activities.