MISS PARKER'S

PRESCHOOL

NEWSLETTER



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WELCOME

A MESSAGE FROM MS PARKER

I am beyond excited to personally welcome you to the Miss Parker's Preschool family! As the co-founder and educator here, it brings me so much joy to know that you've chosen our preschool for your child's transition to school journey. This is a place where passion, care, and dedication come together, and I am truly honoured to have you join us!

At Miss Parker's, we believe in the power of nurturing curiosity, creativity, and a love for learning.

As a mother and educator myself, I've poured my heart into creating an environment where children will feel safe, valued, and inspired every day.

I am deeply committed to not only supporting your child's growth but also to building strong, lasting relationships with you, the families.

I can't wait to watch your children flourish in our school, and I'm so excited to work together in shaping a beautiful and memorable experience for them.

The adventure ahead is full of endless possibilities, and I'm truly thrilled to be part of this journey with you and your child!

With love, warmth and excitement, Ms. Parker





CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

PHASE ONE

We're excited to update you on the progress of our preschool construction! Phase 1 is well underway, with the land being prepared and the footings being laid for the building frame. Our new preschool is purpose-built to provide a classroom environment that encourages learning, along with a fun, comfortable, and secure space where your child can feel safe and happy. We're aiming for a late October opening and can't wait to welcome your little one into this special space soon!

DID YOU KNOW

Research shows that quality preschool programs in NSW help children develop important skills like reading, math, and social abilities, giving them a strong start for school. Kids who attend a good preschool are better prepared for learning and have more success in school. It's important to make sure the preschool your child attends is high quality to get the best results.

SMART START FUN ACTIVITY

NATURE COUNTING SCAVENGER HUNT

Make a list of things in nature for your child to find, such as leaves, rocks, sticks, flowers, or acorns.
Write the numbers 1-10 on a piece of paper.

As you go on your walk or explore the yard, ask your child to find and collect the items listed. For example, "Can you find 3 leaves?" or "How many flowers can you spot?"

SCHOOL READINESS TIP

INDEPENDENT TOILETING IN PRIMARY SCHOOL

Many early childhood facilities don't always expose preschoolers to the variety of taps, toilet flushes, and soap dispensers they'll encounter in formal school or public spaces. For example, some bathrooms may have push taps, sensor taps, or automatic soap dispensers, and children may not be familiar with how to use them. Additionally, getting used to locks on cubical doors or flushing toilets independently can be tricky. To help prepare your child, consider taking them to places like shopping centers or public parks where they can practice using these types of facilities. This will give them the confidence to handle bathroom tasks on their own when they start school.

WANT MORE GREAT ACTIVITIES





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EXPERIMENT OF THE MONTH

A fun and simple science experiment for preschoolers is the "Baking Soda and Vinegar Volcano!" It's a great way to introduce basic concepts of reactions in a hands-on way. Here's how you can do it:

What you'll need:

- 1. Baking soda
- 2. Vinegar
- 3. A small container (like a plastic cup)
- 4. Food coloring (optional, for extra fun!)
- 5. A tray to catch spills

Instructions:

- 1. Set up: Place the small container on the tray to catch any mess. Fill the container with a couple of tablespoons of baking soda.
- 2. Add color: If you want to make it more exciting, add a few drops of food coloring to the vinegar.
- 3. The reaction: Pour the vinegar into the container with the baking soda and watch the fizzing "lava" erupt!

Talk about it: Explain that the vinegar and baking soda are reacting to create bubbles (carbon dioxide gas), which is what causes the fizzing.

This activity is simple, fun, and helps young children explore cause and effect while also engaging their curiosity!

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