



KINDERGARTEN INFORMATION



All children registering for Kindergarten are required to attend a Kindergarten Screening. This screening is mandatory and must be done before your child will be put on our eligibility list.

Philosophy and School Policies

Kindergarten provides an organized transition from home and pre-school activities into a formalized school setting. Genuine care for the individual and the development of the child socially and academically is at the heart of our program. The same philosophy and school policies which apply to all students at SGCS apply to Kindergarten.

Curriculum

A full academic program is offered following both state and Archdiocesan guidelines. Included in the curriculum are:

Religion	Reading	Math Readiness	Science
Music	Art	Social Studies	Health
Handwriting	Computer	Language Skills	Spanish
Physical Education			

Registration

Children must be five by **August 31st** of the current year and provide a copy of their **birth certificate**. All children registering for Kindergarten must pass a Kindergarten screening before being eligible to attend our program. All children must register prior to attending screening.

Children are eligible for early entrance testing if they are five before the first day of January. Testing will be administered by the local public school district's psychologist, who will determine eligibility for early admission.

Medical Records

Before a child may attend Kindergarten in the State of Ohio, he/she must have the following immunizations:

- Two (2) doses of MMR vaccine (Mumps, Measles and Rubella).
- Five (5) doses of DtaP/DTP/DT (Diphtheria, Tetanus and Pertussis).
- Four (4) doses of Polio vaccine.
- Three (3) doses of Hepatitis B vaccine.
- Two (2) doses of Varicella (chicken pox) vaccine or documentation of the disease.

Records from doctor must be in the school office **before the first day of school.**