



### Early Education Program

Children learn best from physical involvement with the learning process. In our program, children are encouraged to explore, experiment and make choices that will lead to a series of interrelated discoveries about their world. The teacher guides the child's learning, providing opportunities for a variety of learning experiences, while the child feels the joy and excitement of participating in his own successes.

The way a child perceives themselves influences their behavior and their ability to learn. Our program concentrates on the child's self-concept in the school environment. Each child is important, and feels individual worth.



In order to achieve maximum success in education, a child must first understand the concepts of learning. These concepts become his/her tools with which to work. Plumfield Pre-School & Kindergarten places a strong emphasis on promoting the concepts of language, mathematics and science, increasing sensory and perceptual skills, and developing the child's ability to solve problems.

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*Helping shape  
tomorrow's leaders . . .*



### Our History

Plumfield Pre-School & Kindergarten opened in 1972 and is currently under the ownership and direction of Kim Cordoba. Kim has a long history with Plumfield, beginning as a 2½ year old toddler enrolled in the program.



*Kim Cordoba, Age 4*

After completing a BS in Business Management, she received her Early Childhood Education certification, and now proudly carries on the Plumfield tradition of providing excellence in education for young children.

### Our Philosophy

The philosophy of Plumfield Pre-School & Kindergarten is to provide an exciting learning environment that fosters positive self esteem and focuses on the development of the whole child, socially, emotionally, cognitively and physically.



### Our Curriculum

Plumfield Pre-School & Kindergarten recognizes that children learn best through play. Therefore, the curriculum has been designed with an age appropriate learning environment that recognizes the individual needs of each child and his/her natural curiosity for learning.



### Admission Policy

As a pre-school/kindergarten, Plumfield tailors its program to young children from 2½ to 6 years of age. All children must be potty trained prior to enrollment. We do not discriminate based upon sex, ethnicity or religion. We foster the uniqueness brought by each child.

### Staff

All staff members are selected on the basis of proven education, experience and maturity. A warm and caring attitude along with a sensitivity to a child's individual needs are prerequisites. Our staff maintains a high level of professionalism by frequently taking advantage of on-site training and seminars. They also meet all requirements of the State Department of Licensing.



### Hours & Activities

Full Day Program: 7:00am – 6:00pm

Each day the children will be involved in the following activities:

- Literature
- Creative Art
- Science
- Perceptual Motor
- Freeplay
- Rest
- Language Experiences
- Music and Movement
- Manipulative (pre-reading and pre-math)



### Goals

- To provide an environment which promotes active exploration and interaction with adults, other children and materials with the teacher as a facilitator.
- To provide learning activities and materials that are concrete, real and meaningful to the lives of young children.
- To foster self-esteem through relationships with adults who express acceptance and respect for all children.



- To recognize that all children are different and to allow such differences to surface in daily activities.
- To allow outlets for the expression of each child's individual creative potential.
- To create an environment that allows children to utilize problem solving techniques with peers and adults in social situations with guidance and supervision as needed.



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