

St. Paul Preschool Newsletter  
September 2017



Welcome to St. Paul Preschool! I'm looking forward to this school year and getting to know all the children!

**Meet the Teacher Night:** Wednesday, September 6<sup>th</sup> is meet the teacher night, it will begin at 6:30p.m.

**Teddy Bear:** Please have your child bring a Teddy Bear or a favorite stuffed animal to school for the first two weeks. Your child may leave this stuffy in his or her cubby or bring back and forth in their backpack. Please label with your child's name.

**Photos:** Please bring to school one or two photos of your child & family to share with class and post on bulletin board.

**Lessons:** This week we have been focusing on what we do at preschool; the rules, the routines and procedures. The first study units are called, *Beginning the Year, Friends, & Bears*. We will also be learning about our Zoo-phonics animals, the first one is Allie Alligator. More information about the Zoo-phonics program and lessons will be coming.

September's letter of the month is A, numbers 0,1,2, & 3, color is red and the shape is a circle. Each of the children is at a different place socially and emotionally, as well as academically; I will be adjusting the lessons and activities to meet each child's needs.

**B.E.A.R. Book:** B.E.A.R. stands for Bring Everything Always Ready, to Learn, Play and Follow Jesus. This book will be a great way for us to share information about what is happening at school and at home.

- Weekly information will be placed in the book.
- Please return the book daily.
- Please do not allow your child to color or write in or on the book.
- Lined paper in the book is for parent to teacher communication. Please feel free to write notes on the paper as needed.

**Schedule:** Included in the B.E.A.R. book is the daily schedule. The schedule is flexible and may change as according to the lessons and activities of the day.

**Snack:** Snack will be provided for the first two weeks of preschool. Families are asked to provide snack; there will be a sign-up sheet out for snack on Wednesday.

**Backpacks:** Your child will need a large backpack to bring to school everyday. Please put his or her name on the backpack.

**Extra Clothes:** Please bring a change of clothes (shirt, slacks, socks, underpants) that can be left here at preschool. Also, please remember that we do messy things at preschool and dress your child in comfortable clothing and sturdy shoes. (For example, gym shoes, tennis shoes, shoes your child can play in and not fall out of.)

**Phone number & Email:** The phone number for St. Paul School is 989-725-7766.

My email is [ageppert@spsowosso.com](mailto:ageppert@spsowosso.com). I will be using the **Remind app**. Please see attached note.

**Birthdays:** It's always fun to celebrate birthdays! If you would like to bring in a treat for your child's birthday (cupcakes, cake or some other treat) please let me know ahead of time.

My number one priority is the children, so if you have any questions or concerns please let me know!

Sincerely,  
Anna Geppert

