

Philosophy

The Arroyo Grande United Methodist Children's Center is a non-profit organization. We are dedicated to providing a sense of security that nurtures and values each child along with fostering family relationships. It is our goal to offer developmentally appropriate environments. Children learn through play and exploration experience both inside and outside the classroom. While preserving the integrity of our own Christian identity, we respect diverse religions and cultural backgrounds of all people. We hope every family feels welcomed and connected to our program.

Directions

Coming from San Luis Obispo, take 101 South. Take the Halcyon Road Exit and stay in the left lane. Go straight through the light. Make your first right on Bennett Avenue. Turn into the first driveway on the left.

Coming from the South, take 101 North. Exit Brisco Road. Turn Left on Brisco Rd. Turn Left on El Camino Real. Turn Right on N. Halcyon Road. Make your first right on Bennett Avenue. Turn into the first driveway on the left.

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**We are a non-profit organization
that has been providing quality care
since September 2005 to families with
children 18 months to five years of age.**

Welcome To AGUMCC!

We are so glad you are interested in our program. We hope the information will aid you in determining if our school is the “right fit” for you and your child. We offer a toddler and preschool program that values and nurtures a child’s individual development while fostering family relationships. We are a Christian ministry that serves the community with “Open Hearts, Open Doors, and Open Mind.” Please call to schedule a tour. We will be happy to show you what we have to offer.

Our Goals For Children

- To increase a healthy self-esteem by providing a nurturing environment for growth and development.
- To promote the child’s self-direction, and encourage them to take responsibility for their actions.
- To help children achieve a solid foundation for future academic success.
- To help children develop an ability to express needs to others.
- Care for others and respect people’s space, body, and feelings.
- To develop a concept of a healthy nutrition.
- To learn that each child is valued by family, teachers, peers, and God.
- To provide a safe environment for children.

Schedule Options

Whether you need quality, full-time care, or you desire a developmentally appropriate enrichment program for your child, there are many schedule options to accommodate your family.

Registration: Year Round \$125.00

Day Options: 5 days (Monday—Friday),
3 days (M/W/F), or 2 days (T/TH)

Hourly options:

Toddlers Half Day: 8:30 – 12:00

Preschoolers Half Day: 8:30 -1:00

Full Day: 8:30-3:30 Extended Day: 7:00-5:30

Our Toddler Schedule

*7:00 - 8:30 am Early Birds

For children who arrive before class begins. The group plays indoors, and in the courtyard.

8:30 - 12:00 am Morning

Morning class offers group and individual experiences: free choice, art, sensory, snack, song, story and outside play.

12:00 - 12:30 pm Lunch

Pack your child a healthy lunch and they will enjoy eating with other toddlers.

12:30 - 3:00pm Nap / Rest Time

Children bring their own bedding for nap and participate in our full day program.

3:00- 3:30 Outside Play

* 3:30-5:30pm Extended Stay

Children enjoy outside play or inside play, snack story time, art and free choice activities.

Our Preschool Schedule

* 7:00 – 8:30 am Early Birds

For children who arrive before class begins. The group plays indoors, and in the courtyard.

8:30 -12:00 pm Preschool

Morning class offers group and individual experiences: stories, art, free choice activities, snack, music and outside play.

12:00 -1:00 pm Lunch

Parents bring a nutritious packed lunch for their child. Children eat with their teacher followed by toileting, stories and/or play.

1:00-3:00 pm Nap / Rest Time

Children bring their own bedding. Rest is for 1 hr followed by quiet indoor activity then outside play in the backyard.

3:00- 3:30 Outside Play

* 3:30 -5:30 pm Extended Stay

Children enjoy outside play or inside play, snack story time, art and free choice activities.

*** May be added to daily schedule for an additional fee.**

Age Requirements:

Toddler Age: Children must be between 18 and 30 months of age by start date.

Preschool Age: Children who are 3 and 4 year old by start date and **potty trained** may attend until they begin kindergarten.

Calendar Year: We offer year round care. We are closed most Federal Holidays, the week of Christmas, and the last week of June. For more information visit: www.agumcc.org.