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Welcome to the MVPC Nurtury Preschool!

MVPC Nurtury Preschool is a Non-Profit Christian preschool established in 1984. Nurtury provides a safe, loving preschool on the beautiful campus of Moraga Valley Presbyterian Church for children ages 2 years until Kindergarten attendance.

Developmentally appropriate, engaging themes are taught and experienced each week. We believe all children have a desire to learn and master their environment. We also believe children have different learning styles, temperaments and past experiences that influence how they perceive their world. The key in our view, is to discover how each child learns and absorbs information so that each child is able to benefit from our strong curriculum. We teach the child vs teach the curriculum. The classrooms will look playful and full of wonder because they are - learning is a wonderful experience!

Nurtury Preschool Program Registration

Online Registration will begin in
February 3, 2021!

To get on our email list to
receive more information,
please completed the interested
link on the website.

The link to Pre-Registration will
also be on the Nurtury Website
Registration Page on
February 3, at 10am.

Once the Pre-Registration is
complete, we will contact
families regarding availability
and the final steps to complete
Registration.



Open Registration for Begins February 3, 2021 (New Students)



Nurtury Preschool Tours

In person tours are currently
not being offered unless we
have immediate availability.
Please visit our "Virtual Tour" on
the Nurtury Website!

Tours for families that have
pre-registered for the 21-22
school year will have an
opportunity to tour Nurtury by
appointment.

To be added to our email list,
contact the Nurtury Office or
visit the Nurtury website and
click on the "Sign up to learn
more about Nurtury"!



Curriculum

Planned Thematic Curriculum
Developmentally Appropriate

Engaging and Meaningful

Language Arts

Math Concepts

Science

Art

Construction

Cooking

Dance/Music

Gardening

Bible

Dramatic Play

Large and Small Motor Activities

Life Skills

Social Coaching

Kindergarten Readiness Program



Special Events

(all special Events are on-campus)

Farm Days (with a petting zoo)

Christmas Nativity Program

Pajama Days

Breakfast with Dad

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Beach Days

Regular Together Time with visits
from the Fire Fighters, Dental
Office, Dance Group, etc.

** Because of Covid—Some special
events will be cancelled*



Care and Safety

Excellent Teacher/Child Ratios

Highly Trained & Dedicated
Teachers

Very High Staff Retention

All Staff are CPR/First Aid
Certified

Clean, Sanitary and Well
Maintained Classrooms

Age-appropriate Materials &
Equipment

Monthly Disaster Drills (including
fire, earthquake, and dangerous
stranger)

Fully Equipped for a 3 day Shelter
in Place Scenario & Supplies

Covid Protocols
(Visit the Nurtury website for
more info)

Parent Community

Room Parent Program

Organizes monthly social activities
for class outside of school and
social activities for parents. Our
Room Parent program also offers
support for families in celebration
(birth of a child) or crisis.

Parent Education

Parent Education opportunities
offered during the school year

** Because of Covid — Some
adjustments have been made to
events.*



Nurtury Daily Schedule

(Sample Schedule - Schedule varies by class)

Morning Bunch

8:00-9:00 Activities and Free Play

Morning Program Schedule:

9:00 - 10:10 Learning Centers (art, construction, manipulatives, dramatic play, sensory station, literature corner, science center, cooking)
10:10 - 10:20 Clean-up
10:20 - 10:35 Circle (calendar, weather, helpers chart, concept of the week)
10:35 - 11:00 Wash-up & Snack
11:00 - 11:30 Outside Play
11:30 - 11:45 Story Time
11:45 - 12:10 Music Movement or Concept Related Activity
12:10 - 12:15 Clean-Up & Wash-Up
12:15 - 12:30 Closing Circle (songs, fingerplays, stories or Bible lesson)

Extended Day Schedule:

12:30 - 1:00 Lunch
1:00 - 1:30 Quiet Activities (Non-Nappers)
1:00 - 3:00 Nap Time (Nappers)
1:30 - 3:00 Large Group Activities, including cooking, science, music, movement and art
3:00 - 3:30 Snack
3:30 - 5:00 Large Group Activities

Kindergarten Readiness Skills Taught at Nurtury Preschool

Recognize and write first name
Recognize upper case letters
Build and begin to write upper case letters
Understand that letters form words
Experiment with letter sounds
Alliteration
Work across the page left to right/top to bottom
Memorize and recite short poems, verses
Positional words (over, under, next to, etc...)
Opposites
Rhyming
Recognize numbers 1-10
Understand quantities of numbers 1-10
1 to 1 correspondence
Recognize shapes
Sort / group / match / pattern / sequence
Estimate and predict
Recognize/ name basic colors
Hold scissors correctly
Cut straight and curved lines
Hold writing tools correctly
Glue skills



First time listener
Able to stand in and follow the line
Take turns and share
Participate in group activities
Able to work independently
Follow three simple directions
Express self appropriately and effectively
Able to control body and impulses
Take responsibility for ones belongings
Self-help skills (toilet and dress)
Manners
Balance and hop on one foot (each foot)
Jump over objects
Bounce ball under control
Kick rolling ball
Peddle 3 wheel bike
Throw and catch ball

