



# Early Childhood Center

## Welcome to The Preschool 3's

**"I believe that children learn best when given the opportunity to taste, feel, see, hear, manipulate, discover, sing, and dance their way through learning."**

**~ Katy Goldman**

**Welcome to the exciting world of our Preschool Three's! This program is designed for children who turn three years old by October 1<sup>st</sup>. Our Preschool program reflects a commitment to this very special age group, as considerable growth and change takes place in the first three years across all domains. Our goal with our three year olds is to challenge the natural curiosity these young children possess in an exciting and appropriately structured environment. There is so much development with language, motor skills and with socialization at this age, we work to support the children on their own individual journey of development, while respecting the uniqueness of each child by creating relationships with children and parents based on trust, respect and positive regard.**

**Our children learn to make sense of the world around them in a challenging yet nurturing environment, with a focus on social-emotional development, problem solving and reasoning skills, expressive and receptive language acquisition, and the development of a positive self concept and sense of self esteem. Our spiraling curriculum, which begins in our Two's, is inspired by the work of Reggio Emilia and other child-centered educators. From language, math, science and social studies, to music, foreign language, technology, creative arts and art history, children make connections and develop their own understanding under the guidance of educators who are attuned to each child's learning style and who know just how to challenge each child to extend their knowledge.**

**Children explore Shabbat and other Jewish holidays and are introduced to the concept of Tzedakah, Mitzvot and many core Jewish values. They take their place as part of our community wide effort toward "Tikkun Olam"... improving our world.**

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