

A TYPICAL DAY IN PRESCHOOL 2009 – 2010

Instruction is in French with one hour of English daily.

ARRIVAL

7:30 - 8:15: *Extended Day care available.*

8:15 - 8:45: Children are brought into the classroom by their parents, signed in, and welcomed by the teachers. Time for the children to socialize with friends.

MORNING ACTIVITIES

- Free choice; time to socialize with peers.
- Clean-up, followed by circle time. This first hour of instruction can be in French or English.
- Recess. (Snack is provided by the school.)
- Story time.
- Organized activities. These activities may start with a circle time to re-focus the students. They can be large or small group activities.
- Organized gross motor activities in the mini-gym or on the playground.

LUNCH

- PK students eat lunch from 11:30 to 12:00 and have recess from 12:00 to 12:30.
- MK students eat lunch from 12:00 to 12:30 and have recess from 12:30 to 1:00.

AFTERNOON ACTIVITIES

- Preparation for *rest time*: bathroom, hand-washing, and setting up beds.
- Quiet time or nap time. Some children nap longer than others. Children who do not nap can engage in arts and crafts, science or gardening.
- Clean-up time and short circle before leaving to review the day's activities, look at art projects, or sing songs.

DISMISSAL

- 3:10 - 3:30: Dismissal from the preschool playground. Children must be signed out.
- 3:30 - 6:00: *Extended Day care available.*