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FOR HEALTHY LIVING
FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

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**DAVIS FAMILY YMCA PRESCHOOL
2023-2024 SCHOOL YEAR**

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OUR PHILOSOPHY

We believe the values and skills learned early on are vital building blocks for quality of life. At the YMCA Preschool, kids have the opportunity to be creative, explore their environment, and develop problem solving skills through self discovery and teacher assisted activities. They learn their ABC's, learn to share, learn sportsmanship, and, most importantly, learn how to be themselves. That makes for confident kids today and contributing and engaged adults tomorrow.

OUR MISSION - To put Christian principles into practice through programs that build healthy spirit, mind, and body for all.

OUR CAUSE - Youth Development, Healthy Living, and Social Responsibility.

OUR VALUES - Building character through the promotion of Caring, Faith, Honesty, Respect, and Responsibility.

OUR FEATURES

- State licensed through the Department of Job & Family Services.
- Incorporate Early Learning and Development Standards that focus on math, social studies, science, social, emotional, physical well-being, and motor development.
- Hands on learning centers.
- Gym class, swim time, and daily devotions.
- Small classroom groups that allows children time to explore their world as teachers learn child's individual strengths, build upon them, and teach a life-long love of learning.
- Parent/Child Field Trips.
- Family events to allow opportunities for children to enjoy activities with their parents.

HERE ARE SOME COMMENTS FROM FAMILIES:

- "We did extensive research on different preschoolers and the teachers at the Y made the difference!"
- "Incredible curriculum and having so many things to offer."
- "My daughter came here and LOVED it plus they include swim lessons, which is a big bonus."
- "I love it! This is my third child through this program!"

If you are interested in more information about our Preschool classes for your child, please contact Adele Taylor at 330-480-5657 or ataylor@youngstownymca.org.

3 Year Olds Ratio: 2 teachers to 14 children

This class is designed to introduce your young child to the concepts of socialization through group play, sharing, and taking turns. We use a curriculum that follows the Early Learning and Developmental standards with art, math, science, games, and alphabet recognition built into a fun-filled environment! Gym class and swim lessons are part of our weekly activities.

Age Requirement: Must be three years of age by August 1st, and potty trained.

Tue/Thu

Mornings: 9 AM - 12 PM or 9:30 AM - 12:30 PM

FEE: \$95 Registration (Registration fee is non-refundable)

MONTHLY FEE: \$115 Members / \$135 Non-Members

4 Year Olds Ratio: 2 teachers to 18 children

This class will help prepare your four year old for kindergarten using the Early Learning and Development Standards that will help each child develop skills crucial to their success in school! We offer gym class, swim lessons, and recreational swim! The 4 year olds will be meeting in our Preschool Rooms.

Age Requirement: Must be four years of age by August 1st.

Mon/Wed/Fri

Mornings: 9 AM - 12 PM, 9:30 AM - 12:30 PM, or 10 AM-1 PM

FEE: \$95 Registration (Registration fee is non-refundable)

MONTHLY FEE: \$145 Members / \$165 Non-Members

5 Year Olds Ratio: 2 teachers to 18 children

Our transitional kindergarten class is designed for the child who misses the kindergarten cut-off dates, or is a five year old that needs an extra year to prepare for kindergarten. The added class time allows us to explore a more challenging curriculum centered upon phonics, spelling, writing, and reading skills. We will also work on strengthening math concepts. Students will enjoy gym, swim lessons and so much more!

Mon/Wed/Fri 9:30 AM - 1:30 PM

FEE: \$95 Registration (Registration fee is non-refundable)

MONTHLY FEE: \$180 Members / \$200 Non-Members

TEACHERS

You'll find our staff serve as positive role models and provide care that is supportive, nurturing, warm, and responsive to each child's needs. Our teachers are dedicated to the learning process of young children and have Bachelor or Associate's Degrees in Early Childhood Education.



Register now for the 2023-2024 School Year!

Do you have a child between the ages of 3 and 5 years of age? Looking for a half-day program for them to learn, grow and thrive? We would love to have you come for a tour, see our wonderful classrooms and facility plus get any questions answered so we can welcome your child into our state-licensed Preschool program!

STATE OF THE ART FACILITIES

Preschool Center - Our classroom is ideal for exploration.

Multi-Purpose Room - A youth gym for us to move our bodies.

Aquatic Center - Instructors and pool time to help us learn to swim.

Turf Field/Outdoor Playground - A great place to play with friends.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Classes held September through May.
- Payment Options - Payment in full for the year or Monthly Bank Draft/Credit Card Draft.
- Volunteer Opportunities.
- Tours are available by appointment.
- **Financial assistance is available.**



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