

The Pomona Preschool program is a quality full-day early childhood education program that uses a state-approved curriculum. Each of the classrooms are taught by a certificated staff member and at least one assistant who has 60 college credits.

In addition, the program provides transportation from a student's home to school and back again free of charge. All students are provided with a nutritional breakfast. Families who are eligible can become part of the free or reduced lunch program. Lunch may also be purchased.



POMONA PRESCHOOL

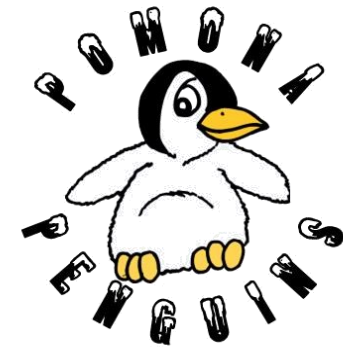
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## PRESCHOOL EXPANSION GRANT PROGRAM

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## OUR CURRICULUM



We are using one of the state approved curriculum for our program. Creative Curriculum is a developmentally appropriate curriculum that focuses on the whole child.

All of the state approved preschool teaching and learning standards are incorporated into the curriculum.

Those standards include:

- Social/Emotional Development
- Visual and Performing Arts
- Health, Safety, and Physical Education
- English Language Arts
- Approaches to Learning
- Mathematics
- Science
- Social Studies, Family, and Life Skills
- World Languages
- Technology

## THE TYPICAL DAY

The typical school day for our students in the morning includes arrival organization, breakfast for all students, (including cleanup and handwashing), a morning meeting, gross motor work, read aloud, and free play/centers.

The afternoon begins with lunch as well as, rest and quiet activities, gross motor time, limited choices, and small groups, a read aloud, and getting ready for departure.

The specific work for each of the activities is determined by the needs of our individual students as well as the curriculum.



## WE ARE NOT A CHILD CARE OR DAYCARE FACILITY!

The District Attendance Policy is followed. Drs. notes are required for missed days. The purpose of our work is to ensure that students are exposed to a variety of learning activities in order to do the following:

- Provide appropriate responsibilities and jobs in the classroom.

- Encourage students to see tasks through to completion.
- Improve their language and math skills.
- Use positive strategies to guide children's behavior and help them learn how to cooperate with others.

## THE IMPORTANCE OF PRESCHOOL EDUCATION

The research shows that a high quality preschool program helps children to learn language earlier, to think better, to work cooperatively with others, and provides experiences earlier to those who otherwise might not be in such a program.



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