About Our School

The Nursery School of Christ Church was founded in 1967, and currently serves over 100 children. It is a New Jersey licensed, full day pre-school and child care program for infants from 6 weeks to 6 years. Open year-round, our program is designed to meet a child’s educational, emotional, and spiritual needs through a developmentally appropriate curriculum. As a direct ministry of Christ Church, all are welcome in our school.

Our Programs & Curriculum

**Infant Care**
For babies 6 weeks to approximately 18 months

**Toddler Program**
For children 18 months to 2.5

**Pre-School Program**
For children ages 2.5-4.5

**Kindergarten**
For children ages 4.5-6

We offer children a rich, language-based curriculum that:
- Is nurturing, developmental, and wholesome
- Encourages self-expression through art, dance, music, and drama
- Includes discovery programs in natural sciences, as well as a music program
- Develops social, verbal, and listening skills
- Extracurricular programs in soccer, dance, yoga, gymnastics
- Expands small- and large-muscle dexterity
- Provides Spanish lessons to children from toddlers through Kindergarten

Hours of Operation

Open 7:30am–6:00pm
Monday–Friday

Regular school hours
8:30am and end at 3:00pm
Before and after care is an added cost
We observe all major holidays and follow the Bloomfield School District weather advisories

Contact us:
director@nsccnj.org
973.743.7582
Testimonials

We have been NSCC parents for 10 years. As working parents, we have peace of mind knowing that our children are well-cared for while having the opportunity for age-appropriate learning and play. Our oldest began in the infant room ten years ago. The same caregivers were there five years later when our twins entered daycare, and those caregivers are still there today! We feel like the staff at NSCC is our extended family. — Tammy & Rich

My son loves the Nursery School at Christ Church. The teachers are so dedicated and second to none. He adores them. He is provided with many learning opportunities including music, foreign language and art, not to mention the socialization with the best friends he has made. The School also has a huge gym and a playground for play and exercise. I can’t wait for my second son to begin! — Colleen S.

And more...

- Introduces the basics of reading readiness, mathematics, and computer skills
- Provides ongoing progress reports to parents
- Outdoor play yard with gated bike area
- Fully equipped indoor gym with mats and riding toys
- Easily accessible location, convenient to public transportation, including the Glen Ridge Train Station
- Competitive tuition and fees, including a flexible schedule for extended care hours (before 8:00am and after 3:00pm)
- Limited financial aid assistance available

Joyful Noise Service

Each Wednesday at 11am, Mother Diana leads a “Joyful Noise” service. This service offers a hands-on and interactive approach to spirituality that covers the basic elements of worship and prayer.

Our Staff

Patrice Noyes
Director

Johnnice Rodriguez
Assistant Director

We have 8 teachers, 18 assistant teachers, all having background checks and meet annual NJ state CEU requirements. All of our staff members are trained in First Aid, CPR, and Safe-Guarding God’s Children (as required by the Episcopal Church).