The Anthony School Early Childhood Department PreK-3 Goals for Skill Mastery

Academic Development

Child can recognize most letters and their sounds.

Child can recognize beginning sounds that are alike.

Child can recognize own name in print and begins to trace/write name.

Child can recognize basic shapes and colors.

Child can recognize numerals 0-10.

Child can count 0-20.

Child can recite days of the week.

Child can repeat and continue a simple pattern.

Child can trace letters and numerals.

Child can sit, attend, and participate during circle time.

Child can complete a project.

Child can tell where we live - city, state, country and continent.

Child is familiar with the sequence of days, months, and seasons.

Child is beginning to learn simple Spanish - colors, numbers, days of the week, greetings.

Physical Development

Child can play safely on playground equipment.

Child dresses self well enough to use the toilet without assistance, except fastening.

Child enjoys using hands to work puzzles, string beads, build with blocks, manipulate play doh, etc.

Child begins to cut with scissors.

Child begins to hold crayons, pencils, chalk and markers correctly.

Social / Emotional Development

Child separates well from parent.

Child begins to express emotions verbally.

Child can be consoled by teachers/other adults.

Child begins to recognize the feelings of others.

Child uses age appropriate manners and is respectful of others.

Child transitions well from activity to activity with moderate prompting.

Child plays well with others and is willing to share.

Child participates willingly with a positive attitude.

Child can wait his/her turn willingly.

Child listens and responds to verbal guidance or instructions.

Child knows, understands and follows classroom rules.

Child can focus on one activity for 10-15 minutes.

Child can follow in a line.

Child demonstrates a sense of humor - can laugh and be silly.

Child helps with chores such as putting toys or books away.

Child responds to own name.

Child answers age appropriate questions. (name, age, boy/girl)

Child begins to role play or play make-believe.

