

Welcome to Tolland Tykes Preschool!

The Tolland Tykes Program is sponsored by the Town of Tolland and is under the direct guidance of the Tolland Recreation Department. If you have any questions give us a call at 860-871-3610.

3 year old program:

Tuesdays and Thursdays

9:00 – 11:30am FEE: \$1025.00

4 year old program:

Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays

9:00 – 12:00pm FEE: \$1,580.00



Creative Education for

Little Learners

Children are encouraged to try many different types of activities. Some of the activities we offer are:

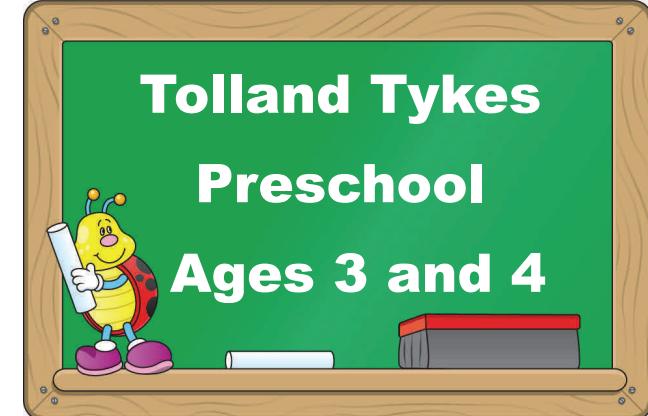
Indoor Activities

- Organized Free Play
- Music and Movement
- Story Time
- Creative Arts Projects
- Cooking
- Science / Social Studies Activities

Outdoor Activities

- Playground Activities
- Nature Walks
- Field Trips

A State Licensed Preschool



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Activities Schedule

Math – counting, number recognition, comparisons, shapes, colors, measurement skills, patterns, and calendar activities.

Science - discussions about animals, plants, seeds, weather, characteristics of seasons, as well as opportunities for hands-on exploration and discovery.

Music – songs, creative movement, musical instruments, exposure to different types of music.

Play – blocks, vehicles, dramatic play, manipulative games, sand table, rotating thematic play materials.

Health Education – proper dress for weather conditions, hygiene, handwashing techniques. Children must be toilet trained by the first day of class for both programs.

Field Trips – Periodically we will take trips to local areas of interest. A permission slip must be returned with any applicable fees in order for your child to attend. Parents are encouraged to join us on trips.

PARENT INVOLVEMENT

Parents wishing to observe classes are welcome. Arrangements should be made beforehand with

the appropriate teacher. Parents are invited to participate with holiday events, special events, and field trips. Special presentations by the students are scheduled periodically. Newsletters are sent home each month detailing upcoming activities. Parents will be asked approximately once a month to bring a nutritious snack to share with the class.

Language – stories and poems, show and tell, letter recognition, alphabet games and activities, many other early literacy and kindergarten readiness skills.

Motor Development – large motor activities and movement games, outdoor play, puzzles, crayons, pencils, paintbrushes, scissors, playdough, lacing cards, variety of manipulatives and fine motor pre-writing activities.

Art – Creativity is encouraged! We provide children with a wide range of art experiences including various types of painting, cutting, gluing, coloring, color mixing, and collage.



Mission

MAIN OBJECTIVE AND PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Our main objective is to provide a safe, positive, nurturing environment where children can grow and thrive in a group setting while at the same time continue their individual development. Tolland Tykes is a play-based, hands-on, developmentally appropriate preschool program. We use the State of Connecticut Early Learning and Development Standards to guide our curriculum and programming. The children are exposed to all of the major developmental areas including language and literacy, motor development, creative art, math, science, music, and play. At Tolland Tykes, the individuality of every child is valued and respected.

