

Where inclusion  
is typical and  
everyone is  
special.



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# All About meeec

- Established in 1973
- Non-profit mission of Bethel Lutheran Church
- Inclusion model, where typically developing children side-by-side with children who are differently-abled
- Serving 18 months to 6 years old
- Low Student-Teacher Ratio
- Autism Scholarship Provider
- Speech Language Therapy On-Site

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# Class Offerings

## Great Beginnings

18 Months to 3 Years

▶ Times: 9:15 - 11:15 | 2, 3, or 5 days

Small Classroom  
Maximum 6 Children, 3 Adults

## Stepping Stones

4 - 5 Years

▶ Times: 9:30 - 11:30 | 2, 3, or 5 days

Large Classroom  
Maximum 18 Children, 3 - 6 Adults

## AM Wee Threes

3 - 4 Years

▶ Times: 9:30 - 11:30 | Thurs., Fri.

Large Classroom  
Maximum 15 Children, 3 - 5 Adults

## Pre-Kindergarten

5 - 6 Years

▶ Times: 11:15 - 2:15 | 3, 4, or 5 days

Large Classroom  
Maximum 18 Children, 3 - 6 Adults

## PM Wee Threes

3 - 4 Years

▶ Times: 11:15 - 2:15 | 2, 3, or 5 days

Small Classroom  
Maximum 8 Children, 2 - 3 Adults





# A Day at meeec

- Small Group Instruction
- Circle Time
- Gym / Motor Time
- Freeplay
- Snack
- Speech Language Therapy\*

*\* Add-on Service*

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# Small Group Instruction

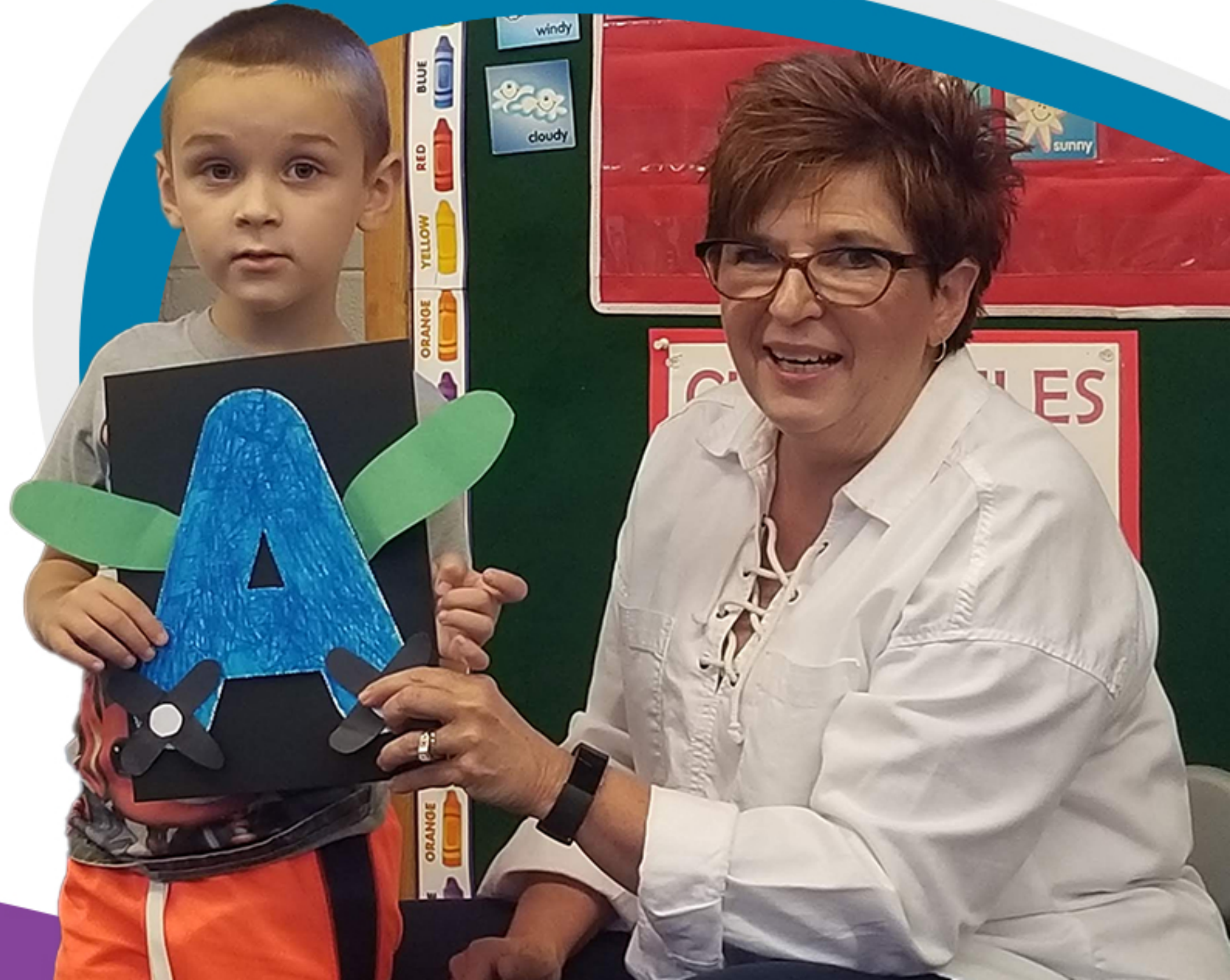
- Fine Motor Skills
- S.T.E.A.M. Activities
- Academic Readiness Skills
- Artistic Creative Expression
- Sensory Activities





# Circle Time

- Songs, fingerplays and movement activities
- Story Time
- Introduction to academic concepts
- Listening and speaking skills





# Gym / Motor Time

- Daily obstacle course (jumping, crawling, rolling, balance beam, etc.)
- Group games
- Movement and dance
- Building strength and endurance





# Freeplay

- ▶ Child initiated choices from three play centers
- ▶ Cooperative play and turn taking
- ▶ Adult facilitation and modeling





# Snack

- Self-help skills
- Manners
- Conversational skills





# Speech Language Therapy

- Sensory-motor based activities
- Whole child approach
- Individual or peer-mediated sessions
- Team collaboration with reinforcements in the classroom setting





# Family Communication



- Introductory parent night
- Scheduled conferences
- Scheduled observations
- Daily communication
- Monthly newsletter
- Remind App





# Family Involvement

- Family lounge
- Field trips
- Fundraising events
- Volunteer opportunities
- Halloween performance / Parade
- Christmas with Santa
- Ice cream social / Art show
- End of the year picnic
- Graduation ceremony





- Qualified staff averaging 18 years of experience
- Degrees varying from Associates to Master's
- Training in child development and intervention strategies
- Continuing education for all staff





# Special Accommodations

- Additional one-on-one supports
- Individual adaptations
- All levels of development accepted
- Toilet trained not necessary





# School Safety & COVID Protocol

- Secure key fob entry system
- Fire, tornado & lock down drills
- Adult supervision at all times
- Daily temperature checks for all staff & children
- Face coverings for staff
- Curbside drop-off and pickup during COVID
- Routine hand washing and disinfecting
- Individual supplies and assigned chairs and cubbies





# Contact Us



➤ Schedule a personal tour today!

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