

Parent Guidelines

1. If your child is newborn through 2 years old, he/she is welcome in the nursery. We also offer the J.O.Y. Club, a class available for 3, 4 and 5 year olds during the 10:45AM service. For Sunday School & Wednesday nights our guidelines are as follows:
 - * **Sunday School** - If your child turns 3 before August 1st, he/she will be in the 3-year-old Children's Ministry class for Sunday school. If your child turns 3 after August 1st, he/she will be in the nursery (for the Sunday School hour only).
 - * **Wednesday Nights** - As your child turns 3, he/she will be graduated into the 3-year-old Children's Ministry class.
 - * The 4 and 5 year olds follow the same August 1st cutoff guidelines for both Sunday school and Wednesday nights.
2. Fill out a child information sheet on each child. If you have not done this, it can be done when you check your child in.
3. Check your child in at the kiosk in the foyer, and then come to the counter in the nursery. Workers will be there to accept your child and give you a pager. Please attach the corresponding numbered clip to your child's diaper bag. Log your child in on the sign-in sheet.
4. Note special instructions you want the nursery team to know: teething, potty training, allergies, etc.
5. Label your child's belongings (i.e.- diaper bag, sippy cups, etc.).
6. Leave personal toys at home.
7. Please bring your child's special blanket (for comforting).
8. Do not bring medications for nursery workers to administer, they are not allowed to give medication to the children.
9. Only parents/guardians or people listed on your child's information sheet may pick up your child.
10. Present your assigned pager to pick up your child.
11. Prayerfully consider volunteering to work 1 Sunday or Wednesday night a month (1 hour time spot) in the nursery, if possible.
12. **Please do not bring sick children to the nursery. ***See Well Baby Guidelines******
13. **Parents must be on the church premises if you have any children in the nursery.**