

CLASSES FOR CHILDREN: BIRTH TO 5 YEARS OLD (PARENT-CHILD TO PRE-K).

I want my child to be happy and self-assured. I want him to make friends easily and get along with others. I want her to love learning and have intellectual curiosity. Parenting is a tough, but rewarding job. As a co-op, our members take an active part in their child's growth. Children are young for only a short time. Participate in and enjoy these early years with the families and teachers at our preschool.

WHY NORTHPOINT COOPERATIVE PRESCHOOL?

- Warm, patient, & creative teachers with over 20 years of teaching experience.
- Support from Bates Technical College: child development, parenting skills, teacher development, preschool administration.
- Curriculum supports joyful hands-on approach to learning, problem-solving, and courage to try challenging tasks. Physical, intellectual, & social-emotional growth promotes confidence and respect for other children, adults, & the environment.
- Large, airy classrooms for music, art, dramatic play, building, science, math, literacy activities.
- High adult to child ratio (1 teacher & 3 parents per class) provide individualized attention.
- Fully-fenced outdoor playground: custom play structures, garden, tricycles.
- Large multi-purpose room for indoor play: riding toys, climbing dome, slides, balls, basketball hoops.
- Affordable tuition for a very high quality program.
- Field trips: art museum, farms, beach, nature preserve, theatrical performances, etc.
- School family events: New Members Tea, Harvest Party, Spring Fling, student performances, Graduation for kindergarten-bound students.

<u>PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT:</u> Requirements are spread out through the year & provide opportunities to participate in your child's development & make friends with other families.

- Work in the class 2-3 times a month as an art parent, snack parent, or teacher's assistant.
- · Serve in a committee or board position: playdough maker, auction planning, board member, etc.
- Earn parent-ed credits: attend orientation, parent-training sessions, Bates seminars, family events, etc.
- Earn volunteer hours: assist at big school cleanups, family events, etc.
- Procure donations for our auction, our 1 fundraiser for the year: fundraising supplements tuition fees to cover the costs of keeping the school running.

FIND OUT MORE ABOUT US:

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