

Kindergarten Entrance Expectations

2024-2025

Reading Readiness

- Identifies name
- Prints name using upper and lowercase letters
- Understands reading left to right
- Recites alphabet
- Can identify and name some or all of upper and lower case letters
- Can hear beginning sounds in words (/b/ bat, /m/ man)
- Can hear parts of words (syllables) and sounds (/c/ /a/ /t/) in words
- Understands rhyming words

Motor Skills

- Runs
- Walks a straight line
- Jumps
- Hops
- Stands on 1 foot
- Throws a ball
- Buttons and zips
- Builds with blocks
- Draws and colors using 3 finger grip
- Holds scissors correctly
- Ties shoes

Math Readiness

- Recognizes primary colors
- Names shapes- triangle, rectangle, square, and circle
- Counts at least 10 objects
- Identifies numbers 1-10
- Sorts by color, size or type

Social Emotional

- Shares
- Respects peers during structured play
- Sits and listens for up to 5 minutes
- Expresses self verbally
- Cares for belongings
- Uses manners- Please, Thank you
- Takes care of toileting needs
- Dresses self (zips coat)
- Easily separates from parent

Listening and Sequencing

- Follows simple directions
- Retells a simple story in sequence
- Listens and responds to simple questions

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