

ST. JEROME EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER CURRICULUM GUIDELINES - TWO YEAR OLDS

The developmental milestones outlined below provide an overview of the curriculum emphasized in St. Jerome ECC's two-year-old program. The skills noted are typical, expected outcomes for children at the conclusion of their two year old program. The concepts have been compiled using the following resources for this specific age/developmental level.

I. Faith Curriculum

Resources: Wee Learn Curriculum, Two Year Olds; & Celebrating the Lectionary

Faith Development Concepts

1. Plays, works, and prays happily with others.
2. Develops a sense of awe, wonder, respect, gratitude, and stewardship for God's creation.
3. Develops a sense of community and worship.
4. Knows that God loves, protects, and provides for them.
5. Recognizes that prayer is talking with God.
6. Learns traditional prayers including; the sign of the cross, daily and table prayers.
7. Asks for, listens to, and talks about Bible stories.

II. Florida Early Learning & Developmental Standards Birth to Kindergarten (2017)

Additional resources: Creative Curriculum for Preschool, 5th Edition

NAEYC Accreditation & Program Standards (2018)

Diocesan Standards & Benchmarks for Early Childhood (Age 3-Gr.2)

Refer to the separate publication with the above title for the full and detailed list of standards for each of the following domains.

- I. Physical Development
- II. Approaches to Learning
- III. Social & Emotional Development
- IV. Language & Literacy
- V. Mathematical Thinking
- VI. Scientific Inquiry
- VII. Social Studies
- VIII. Creative Expression Through the Arts