



## KINDERGARTEN INFORMATION



**All children registering for Kindergarten are required to attend a Kindergarten Screening. Our 2026 Screening Date is June 2<sup>nd</sup>.**

### Philosophy and School Policies

Kindergarten provides an organized transition from home and pre-school activities into a formalized school setting. Genuine care for the individual and the development of the child socially and academically is at the heart of our program. The same philosophy and school policies which apply to all students at SGCS apply to Kindergarten. This includes being potty trained and being able to dress/undress to use the rest room independent of an adult.

### Curriculum

A full academic program is offered following both state and Archdiocesan guidelines. Included in the curriculum are:

Religion	Reading	Math	Science
Music	Art	Social Studies	Health
Handwriting	Computer	Language Skills	Spanish
Physical Education			

### Applying for Kindergarten

Children must be five by **August 31<sup>st</sup>** of the current year and provide a copy of their birth certificate. All children applying for Kindergarten must participate in our Kindergarten screening to determine if they are ready for our program.

### Medical Records

Before a child may attend Kindergarten in the State of Ohio, he/she must have the following immunizations:

- Two (2) doses of MMR vaccine (Mumps, Measles and Rubella).
- Four or more doses of DtaP/DTP/DT (Diphtheria, Tetanus and Pertussis).
- Three or more doses of Polio vaccine.
- Three or more doses of Hepatitis B vaccine.
- Two (2) doses of Varicella (chicken pox) vaccine or documentation of the disease.

Records from a doctor must be in the school office **before the first day of school.**

### Uniforms

Kindergarten students wear the same uniform as students in grades 1 – 8. However, they are not required to have a belt. See the Uniform Policy on our website for specifics about our uniform requirements.