

Dear God's Garden Families,

We are looking forward to starting a new, exciting school year! This year's school theme is "All Creatures Great and Small, the Lord God Made Them All."

**Important Dates:**

- **Meet the Teacher will be August 5<sup>th</sup> from 4:00-7:00pm.** This is a drop-in event designed for a quick visit in the classroom and an introduction to your child's teacher. If you need additional time to speak with the teacher you can schedule an individual meeting. This time is important for ALL our families, both new and returning, as we have additional paperwork you need to fill out to complete your enrollment. \*We strongly encourage masks for this event
- **School starts Tuesday, August 10.** God's Garden will be **closed August 2-9<sup>th</sup>** to prepare for the new year.
- Our **parent committee will meet Wednesday, August 18 at 11:30am and again at 5:00pm** to make plans for the new year. You only need to attend one of the meetings. This meeting is open to anyone who would like to be involved for the 2021-2022 school year. We will social distance for this meeting and we encourage you to wear a mask.

**COVID-19 Practices:**

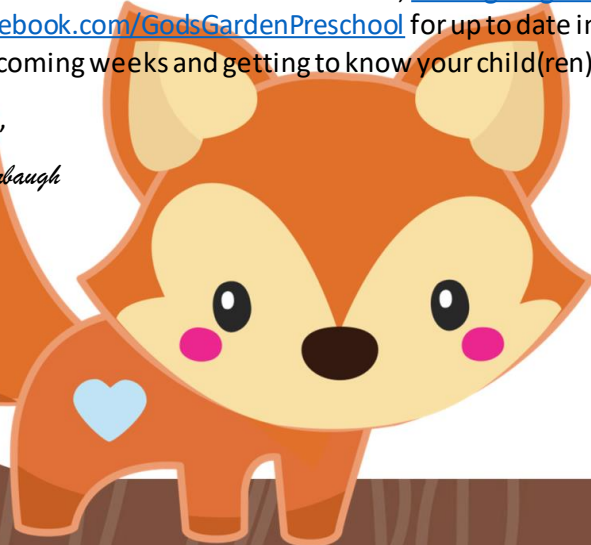
- We will check children's temperatures every morning upon arrival.
- Only one age group of children will be on the playground at a time. The playground equipment will be sanitized with a bleach/water solution between uses.
- Children age 2 and up are strongly encouraged to utilize our morning carline. If you wish to walk your child in, you will drop off and pick up in the foyer. Parents of Infants and Toddlers may walk them to class.
- We will continue our practice of sanitizing toys and surfaces throughout the day with our bleach/water solution and will remove and wash toys as needed.

Please see the attached sheet for school supply lists for this school year.

Make sure to check out our school website, [www.godsgardenpreschool.net](http://www.godsgardenpreschool.net) and our Facebook page [www.facebook.com/GodsGardenPreschool](https://www.facebook.com/GodsGardenPreschool) for up to date information. We look forward to seeing you all in the coming weeks and getting to know your child(ren). We are going to have a great year!

Sincerely,

*Christy Carbaugh*





## **2021-2022 School Supply List**

### ***Classroom Supplies for Infants:***

- 1 inch 3 ring binder
- 50 pk. Clear sheet protectors
- 1 plastic folder with prongs (any color)
- 1 pkg. Ziploc bags, gallon-sized
- Change of clothes (labeled with name)
- Bottles/ Formula/ Breast milk/ Food
- Diapers and wipes
- 2 fitted crib sheets
- Sleep Sack (***No blankets allowed***)
- Pacifier or other comfort item, if needed. Please ***do not send a strap*** to attach the pacifier to your child's clothes.

### ***Classroom Supplies for 1,2, 3 and 4 yr olds:***

- 1 inch 3 ring binder
  - 50 pk. Clear sheet protectors
  - 1 plastic folder with prongs (any color)
  - 1 pair Fiskars blunt-tipped scissors (not needed for 1's)
  - 3 pk. Purple glue sticks
  - 1- 24 pk Crayola crayons (not needed for 1's)
  - 1 pkg. of baby wipes
  - Change of clothes (labeled with name)
  - Insulated water bottle (***not sippy cup***, labeled with name)
  - ***If napping-*** 2-inch-thick KinderMat, fitted crib sheet, blanket and 2 Jumbo (20 gal size) Ziploc Big Bags for storing nap items.
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