

Preschool Parent Questionnaire



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For students applying for admission to Rockford Lutheran Academy Preschool. This form must be completed and returned before or at the screening.

Student's Name: _____ Birthdate: _____
 Screening Date / Time: _____ M-F or MWF Half day or full day

1) What are this child's favorite activities at home?

2) What are this child's favorite toys?

3) Has your child been in any program with other children? Daycare, story time, sports, etc.

4) Do you... (circle one) 1) seldom 2) occasionally 3) fairly frequently 4) often NS) Not sure

Work with your child on academics at home? (colors, numbers, shapes, letters)	1	2	3	4	NS
Read to your child?	1	2	3	4	NS
Give your child chores (clean up toys, et.c)?	1	2	3	4	NS
Work on coloring, writing, cutting with your child?	1	2	3	4	NS

5) Does this child: (circle one) 1) seldom 2) occasionally 3) fairly frequently 4) often NS) Not sure

Sing little songs or commercials?	1	2	3	4	NS
Pay attention to what you say or do?	1	2	3	4	NS
Seem to be restless or fidgety?	1	2	3	4	NS
Seem to be happy?	1	2	4	4	NS
Say "I can't" without trying?	1	2	3	4	NS
Have temper tantrums over little things?	1	2	3	4	NS
Smoothly transition from one activity to another?	1	2	3	4	NS
Enjoy being read to?	1	2	3	4	NS
Begin to count?	1	2	3	4	NS
Recognize and respond to his/her name?	1	2	3	4	NS
Seem to be a leader?	1	2	3	4	NS
Cry when not given his or her way?	1	2	3	4	NS
Act without reason, on the spur of the moment?	1	2	3	4	NS
Play well with other children?	1	2	3	4	NS
Get upset easily?	1	2	3	4	NS
Show curiosity?	1	2	3	4	NS

6) What are your child's interests? Favorite TV show or app? Favorite character?

7) What are your hopes/goals for your child this school year?

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8) Anything else you would like his/her teacher to know?

9) My child seems to ... (check all that apply)

- Learn slowly
- Be sad
- Have hearing problems
- Have a hard time behaving
- Be very quiet
- Have speech/language problems
- Have vision problems
- Struggle in getting along with others
- Have a hard time focusing
- Have more energy than other kids
- Other: _____

10) Does your child have any behavioral struggles? If so, what works to help correct their behavior?

11) Have you read the supplied information on bathroom policies and biting? Do you have any questions regarding this? Can your child toilet independently according to the set criteria? Do you help them clean themselves after going?

12) Describe anything that you feel to be unique or different about your student's home life.

13) Do you know any other students/families at RLA? Yes No If so, who?

14) Are you involved in a church? Yes No If so, which church?

I affirm that the information included on my student's application for enrollment and this questionnaire is accurate and complete. I understand that falsification or omission of any information may be cause for termination of my student's enrollment at Rockford Lutheran School without refund.

Signature of responsible party: Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____

Rockford Lutheran School admits students of any race, color, and national or ethnic origin.

Early Childhood Bathroom and Biting Policies



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BATHROOM POLICIES

Enrollment requirement: Children must be able to toilet independently in order to enroll at Rockford Lutheran Academy. This includes...

The child recognizing when he/she needs to use the bathroom and is able to share this need with an adult.

Taking care of all normal actions involved in using the restroom. This means entering the bathroom, preparing clothing, urinating, releasing a bowel movement, cleaning properly, reclothing, washing hands and exiting the restroom.

Students must also be able to change their own clothes, should they have a bathroom accident.

It is understandable that some children have bathroom accidents as they make the transition to school. RLA seeks to make every attempt to have the student continue in school without interruption, however, we are not equipped to assist students who have an excessive amount of bathroom accidents. Excessive amount of accidents is defined as ...

4 or more in the first 10 school days of attendance,

6 or more in the first 4 weeks of school,

4 or more in any 4 weeks after the first four weeks of the school year.

If it is determined that a student has excessive bathroom accidents and cannot toilet independently, the student will be removed from school for a minimum of two weeks so that the parent can further work with the child to toilet independently. The child's enrollment in the school can be reserved by the continuation of tuition payments. The child can return to school at a time agreed upon by the parent, teacher, and administration.

RLA personnel will assist with bathroom use according to the following parameters:

- RLA personnel may be present in multi-stall restrooms with students in order to provide direction. RLA personnel may call into stalls, but should not be in a stall with a student. Whenever RLA personnel is in such a restroom with students, the door must remain open. In a single person restroom, the RLA personnel may look in but should not be in the restroom with the student. If the RLA personnel must enter a single person restroom with a student, the door must remain open.
- RLA personnel may provide step by step directions for students struggling in the bathroom.
- Teachers may provide assistance in reclothing, including the connecting of buttons, snaps, etc.
- RLA personnel may assist by providing toilet paper or wipes to students as they clean themselves.
- RLA personnel will respect the privacy of a student's body and will not touch the student in private areas unless extreme conditions call for assistance, in which case the parents will be notified. For example, a student dealing with a catastrophic bowel movement needs assistance in cleaning themselves. The RLA personnel may assist the student and will notify the parent immediately of the situation.

If a student has an accident, the RLA personnel will follow these parameters:

- Students will be taken to a bathroom to change clothes. The door will not be closed entirely. Clean clothes will be provided to the child. A place to sit to change will be provided to the student.
- RLA personnel may provide step by step directions for the child as they change clothes.
- RLA personnel will help secure the soiled clothes.
- A student changing clothes will be re-evaluated if unable to complete the change in 15 minutes. During the time the student is changing, RLA personnel will check the child's progress at least every three minutes. If the student is not finished changing after 15 minutes, the RLA personnel can 1) contact the parents to come and pick up the child immediately, 2) assist with final steps such as socks, shoes, buttons, etc., 3) allow the student more time if significant progress has been made and the RLA personnel is confident that the child can complete the process if given more time.
- RLA personnel will notify parents every time that a student has a bathroom accident. This can be done through direct contact via a phone call, text or personal interaction when the parent picks up the child.

BITING

Young children sometimes bite because they are frustrated, angry or excited. The following steps will be taken when a child has bitten:

The teacher will discuss the situation with the child and let him/her know that biting hurts.

An incident report will be written and a phone call will be made to the parents.

If a child bites several times in one day, we will call you to pick up your child for the day.

After several occurrences, the Principal will request a meeting with the parents.

The following steps will be taken when a child has been bitten:

The teacher or nurse will assess the child and wash the area with soap and water

An incident report will be written and a phone call will be made to the parents.

If the skin has been broken, a recommendation will be made to see the pediatrician.