



Welcome to Southside Preschool Ministry

We are so glad you are choosing to trust us with the care of your children!

Here are some details to help your family.

Allergies

Please notify us of **ALL** allergies, medical needs, or behavioral needs, so we can best help your children.

Food

We provide a nursing room in the preschool area for nursing moms. Older siblings and family are asked to wait in the preschool lobby. Men are not allowed in the nursing room.

Babies will be given formula, water, or juice as provided by the parents. Bottles should be plastic and labelled clearly with child's name.

We provide Cheerios, gold fish, veggie straws, apple juice, or water for snacks in our classrooms of toddler ages and above. If your child has a cup, please make sure it is clearly labeled with their name. Please do not send any other outside food to these areas.

On Wednesday nights, during our Music and Missions times, and for special events on Sunday mornings, preschoolers may be served a theme related snack. On these occasions, allergy alert posters will be posted outside your child's classroom door.

Safety and Security

Volunteer screening

At Southside, we take seriously the privilege and responsibility to provide the children with appropriate safety and protection while in our care. Our volunteers are background checked and ministry safe trained.

Check-in

Southside uses electronic check-in in the Preschool Ministry area. Staff and volunteers will be there to assist and guide you. If you have a baby or creeper, please fill out baby form with additional instructions for feeding and naps.

Wellness

Children who have shown signs of fever, vomiting, or other contagious illnesses should be symptom and fever free for 24 hours before coming to the Preschool Ministry.

What should my child wear?

Because preschoolers love to run, jump, and play, we suggest your children wear comfortable, machine washable clothing. Preschoolers beginning to potty train need to have an extra change of clothing in a labeled bag. Please provide clothing that is easy to take on and off.

Still have questions? We'd love to help!

Contact Cindy Pinholster, Preschool Director at Cindy@oursbc.org