



ST. FRANCIS – ST. HEDWIG SCHOOL
Growing Together in Faith and Knowledge

Grade Level Benchmark for Pre – Kindergarten

The following benchmark outlines the basic expectations of what students are expected to know at the end of this grade level.

Reading/Language Arts

- Identify first and last name
- Write first name
- Identify lower case and upper case (capital) letters
- Begin to write letters of the alphabet
- Be able to rhyme words
- Begin to know letter sounds
- Identify basic colors

Mathematics

- Count and identify numbers 1-10
- Orally count to 31
- Be able to create simple patterns with tiles or blocks
- Be able to add some single digit numbers
- Identify simple shapes: circle, square, rectangle, and triangle
- Match numbers to group sets

Behavior

- Can follow three-step directions
- Can follow routines independently
- Can understand and follow classroom rules
- Can remain seated for 15-30 minutes
- Can maintain positive interaction with peers
- Is able to share with peers
- Can easily separate from parents and teachers
- Is able to stay on tasks
- Shows an interest in learning
- Can take care of own personal needs and hygiene
- Can verbally express needs
- Displays self-control