



Katy Christian Academy

K3 * K4 * K5 Curriculum Information

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Thank you for expressing your interest in the Preschool and Kindergarten programs of Katy Christian Academy (KCA)! Education is more than a destination, it's an exciting journey and we would be honored to have your child's journey begin with us.

Our K3 and K4 (3 and 4 year old preschool programs) primarily uses the *Horizons* curriculum, offered through Alpha Omega Publishing. We also incorporate *Innovations* which is a themed curriculum developed by Albrecht & Miller. The Horizons curriculum gives our students a strong academic foundation as they move towards their first step into K5 (Kindergarten) while the monthly themed Innovations curriculum encourages their creativity and makes learning and motor skill development playful and exciting.

Our K5 students learn through group discussion, independent and teacher directed assignments using both *Horizons & Life Pac* curriculum offered through Alpha Omega Publishing. We also include applications of technology, such as educational videos and computer based educational games which help to keep learning fun and interesting.

At KCA we are constantly striving to engage children of all ages in learning through active participation, authentic learning opportunities, small group instruction as well as applications of technology. We begin our child-centered approach in our preschool and kindergarten classrooms by providing an ideal nurturing environment for exceptional Early Childhood Education and elementary experiences and continue through High School.

We are very proud of each student and will continue to fulfill our commitment to developing programs that meet the needs of the individual child. Students in our Early Childhood Education programs will be taught through hands-on learning activities that develop physical, spiritual, social, emotional, creative and cognitive skills. The students will work in learning centers and will be taught through small group activities. Thematic studies are an important part of each grade level as they allow teachers to facilitate learning by peaking student interest, strengthening various learning styles and meeting them at their academic skill level.

The preschool program of Katy Christian Academy believes that meaningful education must be personalized – that in order to teach each child the same, we must be willing to teach each child differently.

Classes Include:

- Music
- Art
- Drama
- Bible
- Science/Discovery
- Blocks/Construction
- Math/Numbers
- Literacy/Writing/Phonics
- Library Time
- Physical Education/Outdoor Experiences

Five Great Reasons to Choose KCA!

1. Our Low Teacher to Student Ratio
2. Excellent Academic & Innovative Curriculum
3. Enriched and Distinctively Christian Curriculum
4. Hands-On Themed Activities and Projects
5. A Nurturing and Genuinely Caring Environment

We sincerely hope you will consider becoming part of Katy Christian Academy where we continue to pursue academic excellence.