



Glencoe Junior Kindergarten  
and Nursery School

---

**Glencoe Junior Kindergarten and Nursery School  
Registration Information  
For the 2022/2023 School Year**

**Important Dates:**

**Pre-registration for current families:  
January 10th-January 21st**

**Registration for new families:  
Tuesday, February 1st through 9:00am on Thursday, February 3<sup>rd</sup>.  
Lottery will be held at 9:15am on Thursday, February 3<sup>rd</sup>.**

**After February 3<sup>rd</sup>, any remaining spots will be filled on a first come first  
serve basis.**

Completed forms may be submitted via email to  
[Director@glencoejuniorkindergarten.org](mailto:Director@glencoejuniorkindergarten.org)

You may also mail forms to :

Laura Vocke

Glencoe Junior Kindergarten

999 Green Bay Road

Glencoe, IL 60022

Forms may also be dropped off at our school.

Please contact our Director,  
Laura Vocke at 847-835-4455  
with any questions or to schedule a tour.



OUR PROGRAM IS ACCREDITED  
BY THE NAEYC ACADEMY  
FOR EARLY CHILDHOOD  
PROGRAM ACCREDITATION



Glencoe Junior Kindergarten  
and Nursery School

---

## Glencoe Junior Kindergarten 2021/2022 Class descriptions

### Playtime Partners

This fun, interactive class is designed for toddlers and their parents/caregivers. Each class, the teacher intentionally sets up the classroom to touch upon the unique needs of toddler development, while enhancing their social exploration. Toddlers and parents/caregivers will be engaged in various activities including fine and gross motor activities, art, sensory, pretend play, and music. The interactive music time will incorporate props, instruments and movement activities for children and their parents/caregivers.

#### Who:

Children who have turned 12 months and are not yet 24 months by September 1, 2022

#### Schedule:

Tuesday and Thursday: 9:15am -10:15am

Monday and Wednesday: 9:15am -10:15am

### Two-day 2's and Three-day 2's

Our two-year-old program is designed for children who are ready for independent play time with peers. Classes incorporate activities that foster age-appropriate development and encourage learning through play. Children engage in art, sensory experiences, gym time, music, and other activities. At the beginning of the school year, classes are staffed to assist children with separation from their parents. Each class has two teachers and an aide at the beginning of the program.

Children can attend 2, 3, or 5 days by registering for both classes.

***If registering for more than one class, please list them in order of priority on the registration form.***

#### Who:

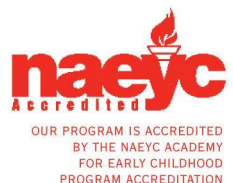
Children who will be two by September 1, 2022

#### Schedule:

Two-day 2s: Tuesday and Thursday: 9:15am -11:15am

Three-day 2s: Monday, Wednesday, and Friday: 9:15am-11:15am

Lunch Bunch is also offered on select days for parents who wish to keep their children at school until noon.





## Glencoe Junior Kindergarten and Nursery School

---

### **Five-day 3's**

Our three-year-old program provides a rich learning environment for children in a play setting. Children will discover their world through science, math, early literacy, block play, gross motor activities, art activities, and much more. The main goals of our three-year-old program are to encourage positive peer interactions and foster strong self-esteem. Children are taught, through example, to interact with their peers and are encouraged to negotiate interactions with others. Children do not need to be fully toilet trained by the beginning of the school year.

#### **Who:**

Children who will be three by September 1, 2022

#### **Schedule:**

Monday-Friday: 9:00am -11:30am

Enrichment classes are offered on a lottery basis to supplement our three-year-old program from 11:30am-1:00pm

### **Junior Kindergarten**

Our four-year-old class meets for four hours a day and is filled with rich, junior kindergarten experiences. Learning through play, we explore the joys of math, science, art and music, while also creating a literacy rich environment that promotes pre-reading skills and experimentation with letter-sound recognition. Through collaboration, children learn the value of teamwork and cooperation.

Class activities are designed to prepare students for kindergarten. All of our fours participate in small group learning, or "pull outs", with our Kindergarten Readiness specialty teachers. Lessons are focused on strengthening skills in the areas of literacy, math, and science.

We include a hot, prepared lunch. In addition to the socialization and language development that occurs at mealtime, children are learning to manage their time during meals, a necessary skill for kindergarten.

Our goals for children completing the four-year-old program are:

- gain an age-appropriate academic foundation
- foster a love of learning
- encourage respect for self and others
- build great self-esteem

#### **Who:**

Children who will be four by September 1, 2022

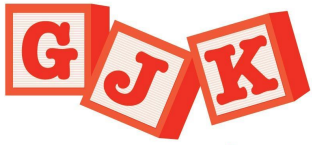
#### **Schedule:**

Monday-Friday: 12:00-4:00pm; Flexible pick up time available

Enrichment classes are offered on a lottery basis to supplement our JK program 10:30-12:00pm



OUR PROGRAM IS ACCREDITED  
BY THE NAEYC ACADEMY  
FOR EARLY CHILDHOOD  
PROGRAM ACCREDITATION



**Glencoe Junior Kindergarten  
and Nursery School**

---

*In the event a GJK program does not run due to a school wide shut-down as made necessary by the Covid-19 pandemic, families will receive a per-diem refund of each day that school is not in session due to the pandemic. A remote learning option will be made available and families shall have the option to opt-in to remote learning. If a family opts-in to remote learning, a per diem refund will not be issued to that family. In the event a specific classroom, or cohort must close due to known exposure or a positive COVID-19 test, families will not receive a refund for the requisite amount of days in quarantine.*

*"Covid-19 policies for the 2022-23 school year will be released over the summer in accordance with the most current CDC, DCFS and IDPH regulations and recommendations. Program times, class sizes, PPE, health protocols and other necessary policies affecting the health and well-being of our students, teachers and faculty may be revised and updated with any change to CDC, DCFS and IDPH regulations and recommendations. We will timely notify families of any and all changes and/or updates to our programming, policies and curriculum. By enrolling, you agree to adhere to all current and future policies as implemented by GJK."*



OUR PROGRAM IS ACCREDITED  
BY THE NAEYC ACADEMY  
FOR EARLY CHILDHOOD  
PROGRAM ACCREDITATION