

JACKSONVILLE CLASSICAL ACADEMY

KINDERGARTEN CURRICULUM

The Kindergarten experience at Jacksonville Classical Academy blends foundational academics with an introduction to classical principles, fostering a love for learning through structured and engaging methods. The curriculum emphasizes phonics-based reading, foundational arithmetic, all while fostering a love for learning through classical stories and historical narratives. This curriculum map is an overview of the concepts and curriculum taught during Kindergarten.

LITERATURE

- Goldilocks
- Little Red Riding Hood
- The Three Little Pigs
- · King Midas
- The Tortoise and the Hare
- Johnny Appleseed
- The Velveteen Rabbit
- Cinderella
- Winnie-the-Pooh

HISTORY

- Geography and Maps
- Seven Continents
- Native Americans
- Pilgrims
- George Washington
- Abraham Lincoln
- Thomas Jefferson
- Theodore Roosevelt
- American symbols

POETRY

Students will memorize multiple poems in Kindergarten including "Time to Rise" by Robert Louis Stevenson, "Tommy" by Gwendolyn Brooks and "The End" by A. A. Milne.

SCIENCE

- Weather
- Forces
- Plants & Animals
- 5 Senses

MATH

- · Shapes and solids
- Number bonds
- Addition & subtraction
- Numbers to 100

LATIN

Students will learn about Latin, its culture and its influence on today's world through diverse stories from Greek Mythology.

ART

Students will study the elements of art, famous artworks and artists, and begin to draw and paint. Art lessons will reflect curriculum learned in the disciplines of history, music, science and math.

MUSIC

Students will discover the beauty of music through interactive learning about beat, voice, rhythm, pitch, melody, meter, dynamics, tempo, duration, instruments, and other activities.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Students will experience a variety of fitness & sports-related opportunities such as football, basketball, cross country running, fitness tests and fun games that show your children that being active and healthy can be fun!

TECHNOLOGY

Students will start by learning to use a touchpad and keyboard, exploring simple digital tools, and hearing fun stories about the history of technology.