



SEPTEMBER:

Get Acquainted/Making Friends  
 Self Identity  
 Families  
 Colors  
 Letters: C, O, G

Bible Verse: Genesis 1:1  
 In the Beginning God Created the Earth.

OCTOBER:

Fall/Harvest  
 Shapes  
 Begin Writing Own Name  
 Letters: A, D, S

Bible Verse: Matthew 7:12  
 Do Unto Others as You Would Have Them Do  
 Unto You.

NOVEMBER:

Thankfulness  
 Counting/Number Recognition  
 Nutrition  
 Letters: L, I, T

Bible Verse: Psalms 107:1  
 Give Thanks to the Lord for He is Good.

DECEMBER:

Christmas/Advent  
 Manners  
 Letters: E, H

Bible Verse: Luke 2:11  
 Today in the Town of David a Savior has been  
 Born.

JANUARY:

Winter  
 You in the World (address/phone)  
 Safety  
 Letters: R, B, P, M

Bible Verse: Proverbs 3:6  
 In Everything You Do Put God First.

FEBRUARY:

Love and Friendship  
 Presidents Day  
 Patterns  
 Dental Hygiene Month  
 Letters: N, V, J

Bible Verse: Mark 12:30  
 Love the Lord Your God with All Your  
 Heart.

MARCH:

Easter  
 Spring and Wind  
 Rhyming / Nursery Rhymes  
 Reading: Dr. Seuss Birthday  
 Letters: K, Y, Q

Bible Verse: Luke 11:28  
 (Blessed are Those That) Hear the Word of  
 God and Obey It.

APRIL:

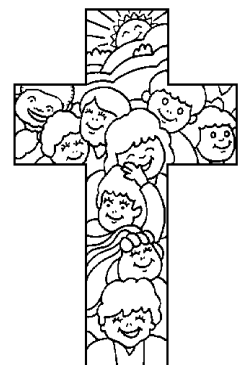
Opposites  
 Same/Different  
 Concepts of Time  
 Letters: Z, W, X

Bible Verse: John 3:16  
 For God so Loved the World that He Sent  
 His Only Son.

MAY:

Review Past Concepts  
 Letters: U, F

Bible Verse: Matthew 19:19  
 Honor Your Father and Mother (and Love  
 Your Neighbor as Yourself).



**American Lutheran School** is an intentional Christian enrichment program, adding to the nurturing foundations parents are providing at home. Our goal is to foster a partnership between the teachers and families to bring out the best in each student.

**2 Day Preschool                      Tuesday and Thursday                      8:30 am – 11:30 am**

- The two-day program is designed for our youngest students, 3 and 4 years old.
- Your student will be introduced to all aspects of our curriculum.
- It is an introduction to the school setting with an emphasis on social and emotional skills.
- Building a foundation for the love of learning and exploring the wonderful world God created for them.

**3 Day Preschool                      Monday/Wednesday/Friday                      8:30 am – 11:30 am**

- The three-day program is designed for students 3, 4 and 5 years old.
- Students will be introduced to and practice all aspects of our curriculum in more depth.
- Emphasis on building independence and nurturing a love of learning.
- Home connections will go home about once a month.

**5 Day Pre-Kindergarten                      Monday – Friday                      8:30 am – 11:30 am**

- The Pre-K program is intentional in getting your 4 or 5-year-old student ready for kindergarten the following school year.
- Your family will receive a skills sheet of items to work on the summer prior to their Pre-K year.
- Your student will immerse in all aspects of our preschool curriculum as well as our "Pre-K Get Set for School" supplemental curriculum.
- There is a strong emphasis on independence and self-care.
- "Homework" can be expected weekly to practice routines for kindergarten success.
- Pre-K Students are assessed for early literacy indicators. Those results will be shared at midyear conferences and end of the year progress reports.

### **Raising a Reader**

All students participate in Raising a Reader. This is an award-winning literacy enrichment program where your students will bring home books and new reading techniques on a weekly basis for a 12 week period. The goal is to foster family connection and a lifelong love of reading.

### **Family Events – Fun events where we come together as a community:**

Pumpkin Patch, Pumpkin Carving with Dad, Costume Parade, Christmas Craft Night, Christmas Chapel, Family Movie Night, Easter Egg Hunt, Nursery Rhyme Theater, Lunch at the Library, Mother's Day Tea, and Graduation.

