

ABOUT THE TEACHER

MRS. AUDREY KLOKE



Mrs. Audrey Kloke was born and raised in Wichita and is a Holy Cross alumni and lifelong church member. She graduated Cum Laude from WSU with a BA in Elementary Education and an endorsement in Early Childhood Education.

After staying home to raise her children, she has enjoyed getting back to teaching. Mrs. Kloke spent time helping as a para educator in our preschool classes.

Audrey and her husband David, have three children who are all graduates of Holy Cross. Abby Lane (NU Graduate), Juniper (attending WSU), and Nicholas (currently attending Trinity High School).

In her spare time Audrey enjoys crafts such as crocheting, beads, reading, cooking, playing Wingspan, weight lifting, and spending time with her family.

Favorite Bible Verse: "He will cover you with his feathers, and under his wings you will find refuge; His faithfulness will be your shield and rampart." Psalm 91:4

SUMMARY OF OUR EDUCATIONAL GOALS

IN RELATIONSHIP TO GOD



- The student grows in the grace and knowledge of the Triune God
- The student is taught to live a Christian life through the power of the Holy Spirit, and that he/she has the assurance of eternal salvation through faith in Jesus Christ
- The student gains knowledge of the Bible and its contents.

IN RELATIONSHIP TO SELF, OTHERS, AND COMMUNITY



- The student will develop a positive self-image, and
- The student will develop knowledge, skills, and attitudes required for living a productive Christian life as a responsible member of his/her church, community, and world.

IN RELATIONSHIP TO INTELLECTUAL DEVELOPMENT



- The student will develop academic talents and skills to the fullest extent of his/her ability
- The student will develop positive attitudes toward learning
- The student shall be exposed to cultural activities, fine arts, and various types of music through classroom study, exhibits, direct participation, and field trips.

JUNIOR KINDERGARTEN CURRICULUM OVERVIEW

BIBLICAL STUDIES:

With Bible-based CPH curriculum, the children will learn that they are a special child of God. Children will learn basic Bible stories and their truth in our everyday life. Our lessons provide knowledge that Jesus Christ is their Savior, friend and that He wants his children to talk to Him in prayer. The children will grow to understand the importance of His presence and love. Through the reading of Bible stories, Jesus time, prayer, chapel, books, dramatic play and music, children will gain a knowledge that Jesus died on the cross and rose again for each of them.

LANGUAGE ARTS:

Children experience language and literacy development through the use of Zoophonics letter animals, our literacy curriculum, and the discussion of thematic concepts. Language concepts are further developed through the use of Heggerty Phonological Awareness. Learned concepts promote children's phonological awareness, phonemic awareness and oral-language. Activities include, interactive story reading and storytelling, action songs and rhymes, identifying opposites and positional words, verbal guessing games, and hands-on approach.

MATHEMATICS:

Children will develop an awareness of math by using hands on activities and playing games. Children will learn patterns, number recognition, estimation, problem solving, understand sequences and work on spatial concepts (part-to-whole). Students will also perform simple addition and subtraction, work on directionality, and measure objects.

THE WORLD AROUND YOU: SCIENCE AND SOCIAL STUDIES

Children will learn about God's creation and how it works, make observations, learn cause and effect, describe simple life cycles, perform hands-on experiments, use their five senses to explore their surroundings, learn all four seasons, nutrition, basic body parts and personal care, basic land forms and names of certain buildings, animal categories, animal habitats, professions, personal information, addresses, trade/exchange, maps and awareness of communities.

FINE ARTS:

Students will have various opportunities to develop their small motor skills through crafts, paperwork, and core muscle excersizes. Students will have numerous opportunities to sing, act, create, explore and experiment with music and art. Through these experiences children will learn to recognize colors, shapes, and lines.

TECHNOLOGY

Through developmentally appropriate use of computers in the computer lab and Smart boards, students will be given opportunities to expand their understanding of media. Technology will be used to enhance other learning topics in small time increments.

"Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord and not for men." Colossians 3:23