

St. John the Evangelist Catholic Montessori and Child Development Preschool Admissions Policy

It is the policy of St. John the Evangelist Catholic Preschool to welcome any student who wishes to apply for admission regardless of creed, race, sex, or nation of origin. Although first priority is given to St. John the Evangelist Parishioners, others who wish to participate in the program will continue to be admitted as long as there is adequate room following the State Licensing Class-Size Policy. Admission will be based on the following ordered priorities:

- 1) First priority: **current** students have the opportunity to renew enrollment in the Montessori or Child Development Classrooms.

- 2) Second priority: siblings of families who are **currently** enrolled in the St. John Preschool Program.

- 3) Third priority: **active** registered parishioners with new students.
An active parishioner is defined as:
 - Parents are registered members of St. John Parish
 - The family regularly attends mass at St. John Parish
 - The parents contribute time and talent to St. John parish when able.
 - The parents support St. John Parish financially through responsible stewardship and the use of a weekly church envelope.

- 4) Fourth priority: all others will be admitted to the program following the State Licensing Class Size Policy.