

BETHEL PRESCHOOL PARENT SURVEY

The Bethel Preschool Board of Education would appreciate your taking a few minutes to complete the survey below. The purpose of the survey to provide us with your input regarding needs and future changes. Your signature is optional and anything you share with us will be confidential. Your opinions matter to us and will be seriously considered when making future decisions. Thank you for your time and effort.

Please circle one of the responses for each of the items below.

1. My child feels safe and comfortable at Bethel Preschool.

Always	Often	Sometimes	Never
96% (23)		4% (1)	
2. As a parent, I feel welcome at Bethel Preschool.

Always	Often	Sometimes	Never
100%			
3. The curriculum and activities are appropriate and challenging for my child.

Always	Often	Sometimes	Never
88% (21)	12% (3)		
4. My child enjoys chapel and the religious stories and activities.

Always	Often	Sometimes	Never
92% (22)	4% (1)	4% (1)	
5. The teacher(s) is (are) available and willing to discuss my child’s needs.

Always	Often	Sometimes	Never
100%			
6. The director is available and willing to talk with me as needed.

Always	Often	Sometimes	Never
100%			
7. Communication from the school is regular, clear and concise.

Always	Often	Sometimes	Never
96% (23)	4% (1)		
8. Current time and days the preschool is open works for our schedule.

Yes	No	Sometimes
96% (23)		4% (1)
9. The cost of the program is: too high about right willing to pay more if needed

4% (1)	88% (21)	20% (5)
10. In my opinion, the overall program is: Excellent Good Average Poor

100%			

The STRENGTHS of the Preschool are:

Willingness to work with me for child’s welfare

Very positive atmosphere; welcoming for children and parents, creative activities, patient with children

The focus around the Lord Jesus. Bethel is a blessing! The academics are also amazing.

Good staff and Christ-based activities

Always putting the kids first. Clean and safe environment. I would recommend (and often do) to anyone.

Great teachers who make my child feel comfortable to learn and trust. Great communication. Very engaging programs/curriculum.

Low numbers and stress-free learning environment.

Excellent environment. Our daughter never wants to leave school!

Safe; loving

Quality/highly qualified teachers

Curriculum and love of Jesus shines through program

Welcoming environment

Communication

Professionalism. Friendliness

Communication, faith-based. I as a parent feel included and I feel my child is welcome! She and I are greeted each time we come in. Most preschools I have been to are not so friendly.

Very willing to help out. I love how you TRULY care about the children. The activities are very fun and exciting for them.

Everyone is super friendly and interacts well with the kids. The facility is safe and not too big. Great variety in activities keeps it exciting for the kids. Great playground and toys.

Small classes, consistent staff

Focus on God/Jesus/The Bible; ratio of teacher:child; organization; variety of activities

Very helpful teachers---always smiling and ready to answer any questions. I don't hear much about chapel but [child's name] rarely "reports" about her activities. She is happy (does not like nap—but no problem!) and has no problem going into the classroom

The AREAS FOR IMPROVEMENT for the preschool are

Inconsistent daily feedback regarding food intake and daily potty notes (but I prefer the wonderful job the teachers do over this little thing!)

Can't think of anything. To me the most important things are (1) does my child like coming to school (2) does the child feel loved and cared for, (3) is my child safe, (4) is Christianity practiced? YES to all the above!

More differentiated instruction would be nice.

Maybe a half-way-through-the-year conference with parents to let them know how they are doing overall.

We can't think of anything!!

Although I am not concerned about [child's name], I would just want to make sure that the 4-yr. old class is really focused on Kindergarten preparation. She seems well on track now.

Other Comments:

I really appreciate every kindness and support from the preschool and Pastor Bard.

Our daughter loves school thanks to the wonderful staff at Bethel! She had a traumatic experience at another local school and Bethel was able to change her mind and heart about school.

Love it here!!!

We feel truly blessed to have our child at Bethel!

Always welcoming and "take over" with kids upon arrival. Thank you!

Very sad [child's name] won't be there next year. She will be very prepared for Kindergarten thanks to all of you!

We absolutely love Bethel and cannot say enough good things about y'all. We are excited that [child's name] will be coming there soon.

I love everything about Bethel and would 100% recommend it to others. Sad this is our last year.

We love Bethel!!

Overall, we love Bethel and would recommend it to other families.