

Kahului Union Church Preschool is a ministry of Kahului Union Church serving the families of the communities of Maui.

The mission of the school is to foster Christian beliefs, values and attitudes in preschool children and their families. The preschool provides experiences that nurture the development of the total child with the emphasis on the child's spiritual development as well as the child's emotional and social development. These experiences are provided through play, hands on activities, repetition and making choices, as well as learning to listen to and obey instructions. Problem solving and creativity is also encouraged.

Curriculum

Our curriculum is Bible-centered focusing on the greatness of an Almighty God and the teachings of Jesus. The curriculum integrates art, music, physical movement, math, science, social studies, and language development into the themes which reflect attributes of God in his creation. Praise and worship, and prayer are part of the daily routine.

Environment

The environment consists of 2 classrooms, an entry/large group room, lanai and playground. Each area may be used in a variety of ways in order to best meet the needs of the children.

Staffing

Staff members have a combination of education and experience in early childhood education, and profess Jesus as their Lord and Savior.

Licensing

Kahului Union Church Preschool is licensed by the State of Hawaii Department of Human Services to serve a maximum of 32 children. Yearly enrollment is adjusted according to staffing in order to meet a 1:8 staff to child ratio.

School Calendar

The school year starts in August and ends in May. Children may enroll if openings occur during the school year.

Currently, there is no summer program being offered for June and July.

State and federal holidays are observed and school vacation breaks (Fall, Christmas and Spring) follow the D.O.E. calendar. The school also closes for two parent-teacher conference days and for staff development days.

A calendar is issued to families in July with closure dates and special events listed.

Hours of Operation, Fees and Tuition

Hours: 7:15 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. with pick up options listed below.

Monthly tuition includes morning snack.

Afternoon snack provided for children scheduled for a 4:30 pm pick up.

Mon – Fri 7:15 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. \$450

Tues, Wed, Thurs 7:15 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. \$315

Mon – Fri 7:15 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. \$600

Registration/Activity Fee: Non-refundable \$175 per school year.

Admissions

Children need to be 3 years of age by July 31, and be toilet trained. Preference will be given to children who are 4 years old by December 31.

A physical examination and a TB clearance done within one (1) year prior to school entry, and up to date immunizations are mandatory. Information must be recorded on the State Department of Health Form 14 Student Health record and signed by a licensed physician.

Admission Procedure

An application form may be requested via email to: preschool@kahuluiunion.org or by calling the Preschool at 871-6955. After the application is received, parent(s) and their child attend a scheduled open house or may also visit the Preschool by appointment only.

Admission forms, State of Hawai'i Form 14 Student Health record, and a parent handbook are provided to the parent/guardian at these times.

A due date for the \$175 registration fee, admission forms, copy of birth certificate, and health form is set.

Professional Relations

The Preschool is a member of the Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI), and is guided by the Biblical, legal and educational principles and policies of the organization.

Teaching staff are members of NAEYC (The National Association for the Education of Young Children).

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Notice of non-discriminatory policy as to students.

Kahului Union Church Preschool admits children of any race, color, national and ethnic origin to all rights, privilege, programs and activities generally accorded or made available to children at the school. It does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national or ethnic origin in its administration of its educational policies, admission policies and other school administered policies.

Kahului Union Church Preschool as a ministry of the Kahului Union Church.

In fulfilling its Biblical role in the church, the Preschool understands and believes in the qualities and characteristics of a Christ-like life, and in working together with families to develop these in their children.

KAHULUI UNION CHURCH

MISSION AND CORE VALUES

We are here to Love God and his people by making and multiplying passionate followers of Jesus.

- ~ Passionately exalting the greatness of God,
- ~ Gathering and supporting one another,
- ~ Equipping and multiplying Christ-like disciples,
- ~ Mobilizing and deploying with joyful service, and
- ~ Spreading God's good news of Jesus among all peoples.



The Lord is my shepherd.
Psalm 23:1

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