



TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH AND SCHOOL

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Loving, Learning, Serving for More Than 125 Years

There are a number of reasons why families choose to send their children to Trinity Lutheran School for their Pre-school to 6th grade education. Among them are: low student-teacher ratios, academic excellence, safety, staff dedication and experience, education in Christian faith and values and the ability to join with classmates in prayer. Trinity Lutheran School is committed to providing an education that expands the mind, nurtures the soul and shapes the character.

Trinity Lutheran School is a special place where God joins hands with teachers and parents to engrave Himself on the hearts of His precious children. A feeling of "connectedness" to a community that serves together and supports one another in times of celebration and solace is a genuine learning environment unique to Trinity. Students are not only challenged to do their best in their academic studies but also in their walk with the Lord.

The core educational and Christian values started at Trinity more than 125 years ago are still inherent in daily school and service activities. These time-tested values are now coupled with innovative teachers, staff, technology and programming that recognizes the need to empower students with academic skills, life skills and a greater sense of our global human and environmental condition. The school adheres to the State of Ohio educational curriculum

requirements and employs state certified/licensed teachers.

In addition to a solid curriculum of academic subjects, students also receive enriched instruction in the Bible, computer technology, Art, Foreign Language, Music and Physical Education. Experienced Christian teachers, who are qualified in their area of instruction, teach these enriched areas. Trinity school administers yearly achievement test in grades K-6 to gather information and evaluate the child's academic progress.

Trinity Lutheran School serves students in all of greater Union County and surrounding counties. Trinity does not discriminate in the enrollment of children on the basis of race, color, religion, sex or national origin. We welcome you to learn more about Trinity Lutheran School and the exciting academic and spiritual growth that awaits your child.



CURRICULUM

- Ohio Department of Education (ODE) Grade Specific Standards
- Building Christian Character, Faith & Community Service
- Language Arts, Technology & Library
- Everyday Mathematics
- Social Studies
- Science
- Academic Enrichment
- Title I Services, Speech & Language Therapy
- Foreign Language & Culture
- Physical & Health Education
- Music
- Art
- Special Interest Clubs: Science, Fitness, Music, Reading

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**At Trinity School,
we are all members
of a Family of Faith.**

**We recognize parents and family
as primary educators and our staff
joins with families to form a
living community of shared faith.**

Trinity Parent Perspectives

“Forming good values and judgment at a young age will assist children in their future years.”

“Some people choose a school because of the extra curricular activities and some because there is no tuition.

Yes, sacrifices might have to be made to attend Trinity.

We believe a faith-based education for our 4 children was a valuable choice.”

“I am so grateful to the Trinity family that I can proudly say that together we have given the world another teacher, doctor and physician’s assistant.”

“Trinity is outstanding at making children feel good about themselves and compassionate towards others.”

“Trinity’s innovative approach to Early Childhood education—full-day, five day Kindergarten in a nurturing environment—a prayer answered for a society with many mothers who work outside the home.”

“My daughter was very prepared for the social transition to middle school.”

“Foreign language and multi-cultural education is necessary to embrace all of God’s people. Trinity recognizes this need for understanding.”

Pre School and Pre-Kindergarten (Pre-K) Programs

Research has proven that young children have formed 60% of their attitudes by the age of five. We are concerned about the total growth of the young child: spiritually, physically, socially and academically. Therefore, our curriculum is developmentally appropriate and offers learning experiences with a fun, “hands-on” approach. Positive attitudes are formed toward learning through our loving and caring Pre-School and Pre-Kindergarten environment. This is why Trinity’s Pre-School and Pre-Kindergarten has taken the lead as the best educational programs in the field of early education.

Our Pre-School and Pre-Kindergarten provide a rich and exciting educational experience for young children and also offers the uniqueness of a family-oriented curriculum where children, parents, and grandparents can share in many special times together. The school year will include a scheduled total of 64 class sessions per student. Sessions will begin in mid-September and conclude in mid-May. Only 64 students are enrolled into our Pre-Kindergarten and 48 students enrolled into our Pre-School program. Enrollment is accepted on a first-come, first-served basis.



Full Day - Five Day Kindergarten (K) Program

In addition to following and exceeding the Ohio Department of Education (ODE) Kindergarten Standards, Trinity School engages Kindergarten students in a full-day program, which incorporates building Christian character into the academic curriculum. Instruction time is increased in reading, creative writing, math and social studies. In order to acclimate your child to a full-day experience, a traditional 1/2 schedule will be followed up to the end of the first 9-weeks. At the beginning of the 2nd 9-weeks, all K students will attend 9:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. five days a week.

Curriculum includes: Language Arts, “Everyday Mathematics”, Science, Social Studies, Religion and Technology.

Kindergarten students are active learners in all aspects of the school. Students attend gym, art, music and Spanish weekly, participate in Chapel, perform community service, and are invited to join in special interest groups. Creative and individualized centers and projects offer opportunities for additional academic and spiritual growth.



Alternative Kindergarten Program (AltK)

Alternative Kindergarten (AltK) is designed to meet the needs of the younger 5 year-old child who may benefit from focused attention in building social, emotional and academic skills.

A year in the AltK program will be followed, in most cases, by a year in a traditional kindergarten program. Placement into AltK is determined after the child has been screened by our Pre-K and/or Kindergarten teachers or upon recommendation of an academic assessment from another qualified agency. Parent expectations and experience with their child is also important in this placement process.

AltK is a 1/2 day program held Monday through Friday. The program focus is on the ODE Kindergarten Standards but will be paced will be according to the needs of the students. Academic activities as well as meaningful play activities will help your child develop skills in thinking, reasoning and cooperation with others. AltK students participate weekly in art, music, gym and Chapel services.

Grade 1 – 6 Classrooms

Trinity Lutheran School provides academic and religion instruction for students in grades 1 through 6th. Class sizes range from 10 – 24 students providing separate classrooms for each grade. All teachers are certified or licensed in their teaching areas. Trinity’s dedicated and experienced staff provides continuity and stability to the educational foundation not only for the students but also for new staff through a mentorship program. To stay abreast of trends and themes in early and middle childhood, teachers participate in yearly continuing education conferences.

Trinity’s well-rounded educational program includes skills, strategies and enriched academics while fostering moral values, physical development and sound emotional and spiritual growth. Trinity adheres to the content standards set by the State of Ohio Department of Education while challenging the students to exceed the standard.

Trinity recognizes that each student is an individual with specific strengths and needs and that learning takes place on a continuum. Daily students in grades 1-6, move about the building changing classrooms for art, physical education, foreign language, music and library and technology. Additional enrichment activities provide opportunities for academic, spiritual and intellectual growth.



Enrichment Curriculum

Enrichment at Trinity complements the instructional program providing activities to meet the children’s needs and to supplement the curriculum. The goals of the program are: to foster a school-wide environment that focuses on all students’ strengths and talents, to encourage the development of an individual student’s gifted area, and to provide ongoing assessment and identification. The enrichment curriculum includes activities such as Geography Bees and Spelling Bees, specialty academic and math contests, Science Fair, book club and more. An enrichment pull-out program is available to those students who excel beyond their grade level in the areas of math and reading.

Trinity’s fully equipped Technology lab provides students the opportunity to explore the Internet, practice word processing skills, design graphic presentations and research information for special projects. Technology is integrated throughout the curriculum through the use of computers as well as Smart Boards. Smart Boards are the latest in instructional technology and have a multitude of interactive applications across all subject areas.

School Activities

Trinity students are given weekly opportunities to express themselves and engage in spiritual, creative and challenging activities. Chapel is held each Wednesday morning. Through the students’ chapel offering, they learn the significance of caring for others and the value of giving time, money and items many of us take for granted.

Annual Trinity traditions allow students to share their talents with the Trinity family and the community-at-large. These traditions include:

- ✝ Environmental Retreats at Lutheran Memorial Camp
- ✝ Visiting hospitals and nursing homes
- ✝ Grandparent’s Day
- ✝ Thanksgiving Feast
- ✝ Gymnastics Festival
- ✝ Christmas & Spring Cantata
- ✝ Field Day
- ✝ Fit-Families
- ✝ Lutheran Schools Week
- ✝ Troubadours
- ✝ Book It!
- ✝ After-School Sports Club
- ✝ Field trips

Distinguished Authors, Creative & Dramatic Artists, Environmentalists and Health Educators visit Trinity annually.

I LOVE TRINITY BECAUSE. . .

“I have great teachers,
the BEST lunches, Spanish,
and I can talk about God”

Erin, 3rd grade

“I learn about God and Jesus
and we love them.”

Kate, Pre-K

“I like Christmas Cantata
and to talk about Jesus.
I like being with my friends.”

Jordan, 5th grade

“When I moved to Marysville,
I didn’t know anyone.
Trinity became my family”

Ean, 1st grade

“I feel safe.”

Emily, Kindergarten

“Trinity has taught me how
to be a Christian
and a faithful friend.”

Janelle, 6th grade



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Visit Trinity School

The only way to know if Trinity is the right choice for your child is to visit.

Observe.

Listen.

Ask Questions.

Take an opportunity to discover how Trinity School can grow and nurture your child's academic potential and spiritual self. Call the school office to schedule a personal appointment: 937-642-1726. On your visit you can obtain details about Trinity School and its educational mission and Christian philosophy. You will learn about our faculty qualifications and curriculum model and standards. We encourage you to tour the building and meet our faculty, staff and students. In addition, enrollment, tuition and fees as well as tuition assistance opportunities can be shared with you. Full disclosure of school policies and procedures are detailed in the [Trinity Lutheran School Family Handbook](#). Our web pages located at www.trinitymarysville.org also provide web users with introductory information about our programs and services.

Trinity is an investment in your child's future that will pay lifelong tangible and intangible benefits. The return on your investment will be priceless.

Trinity Lutheran School, a member of the Evangelical Lutheran Education Association, is an educational extension of the mission of Trinity Lutheran Church, a member of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of America.



Christian Education Association (CEA)

CEA at Trinity is an organization comprised of all parents having children in attendance at Trinity, all teachers and any constituent interested in promoting the mission of Trinity Lutheran School. The CEA works to build strong relationships and effective communication between home, school, and church. CEA sponsors school events such as Family Friday Nights, Reading Events and various all-school and classroom celebrations. Annual fund-raising events include: Election Day Soup Supper, Church & School Garage Sale, Spring Flower Sale and the Family Fun Festival which involve the entire local community. Funds raised provide for the additional needs of the school not covered in the annual operating budget. CEA targets a need and moves forward to accomplish goals. Most recently the installment of a new playground and other amenities is a visual testimony to the dedication and hard work of CEA. CEA is an instrument through which our Family of Faith can be strengthened.

Trinity Alumni

A Trinity education is one that fosters the pursuit of knowledge and serving others as well as personal success. The relationship we have with Marysville Public Schools helps us to provide excellent educational opportunities for our students to go on to become leaders in high school and valedictorians. More than half of all Trinity alumni attend post-secondary institutions.

"Trinity Lutheran School has provided quality educational opportunities for our community for many generations. Our graduates continue to excel in high school, college and in their life. Trinity School is truly a gift to our community"

Gary Lee, Union County Commissioner.

Trinity Latchkey Program and School Bus Transportation

Trinity School has a strong commitment to support working families. Trinity offers a care program called Trinity Latchkey for Children (or T.L.C.). Latchkey is available to enrolled Trinity students (from ages 3-12) from 5:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. In addition, all-day child care is available Monday through Friday to meet the needs of our youngest students when they are not in their Pre-School, Pre-Kindergarten, or Kindergarten classes. Students have a large, well-maintained classroom for latchkey during the day, and they use the gymnasium and cafeteria for before and after-school games and activities. It is an affordable, enriching and safe program for your child.

Transportation to and from Trinity School is provided for students who live in the Marysville Exempted Village School District. Kindergarten through Grade 6 students may utilize the public school bus services. Prior to the August start of school, bus routes will be available. Trinity Staff will be happy to assist you in understanding and organizing your child's bus transportation. Younger children are paired with upper class student riders so that this new experience can be a safe and enjoyable one! To learn more about the Latchkey services and fees, contact the school office at 937-642-1726.