

## Admissions

The four year old Pre-Kindergarten program is designed to prepare students academically, socially and emotionally for Kindergarten. Children should be four years old by October 1st of the school year being entered.

To be enrolled in the three year old program, children must be three years old by October 1st of the school year being entered. (The three year old program will be offered based on sufficient enrollment by April 1st.)

### In the words of a parent...

*"This wonderful place has become a second home to my children. It is a place where they feel love, respect and a great self-worth."*

*Mrs. Caryn Gentile*

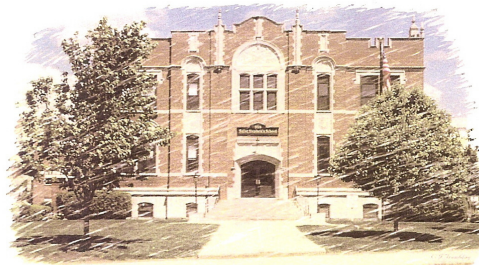
## St. Stephen School

*St. Stephen School offers a Quality Pre-School Program.*

**New England Association of Schools and Colleges (NEASC).**

*Standard 7 (Early Childhood Program):  
"The early childhood program meets the social, intellectual, and developmental needs of its students by providing appropriate programs, adequate staffing, and sufficient resources and facilities."*

**NEASC Rating For St. Stephen Pre-K Program- Exemplary**



*Tours are Available*

## Catch the Spirit

At

## St. Stephen

## Pre-Kindergarten



*Fully accredited by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges.*

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# Mission:

Christ is the Reason for St. Stephen School. He is the unseen but ever present teacher in our classes. He is the model of our faculty and the inspiration of our students.

In this spirit-filled, safe and supportive environment, the dedicated faculty of St. Stephen School works closely with families to provide students with a solid academic foundation for their future studies and a solid spiritual foundation, based on the values of the Catholic faith, to last a lifetime. We want our students to catch this Spirit.

## Education in the Catholic Tradition

- Respectful, orderly, and enthusiastic early learning environment
- Development of moral and spiritual values
- Excellent academic preparation for Kindergarten
- A balanced program of free play and structured activities
- An emphasis on developing curiosity and joy in learning for young children.



# The Pre-Kindergarten Program

## Curriculum Focus:

- Pre-Reading
- Pre-Math
- Pre-Writing
- Religion

## Enrichment Subjects:

- Art
- Music
- Library

## Activities:

- Morning Prayer
- Calendar time
- Creative play
- Learning Center Activities
- Science Center Activities
- Special Pre-K outdoor play area
- Ongoing assessment of Academic and Developmental Skills

# The Details

## Schedule:

Half-day mornings 7:50-10:45 AM  
Full days 7:50-2:00 PM

## Uniforms

J.B. Pride  
65 Southbridge St., Auburn, MA  
(508) 792-2071  
*(Gray St. Stephen T-Shirt, Sweatshirt & Sweatpants)*

## Transportation

Parents bring their children to school.

## Extended Day Program Available

Hours: 2:15-5:15 PM  
Cost \$50 Registration fee  
\$5 per hour

## Expenses for 2017/2018

**Registration Fee:** \$125

### **Tuition:**

2 mornings - \$1,700 ~ 2 full days - \$2,100  
(3 yr. olds only)  
3 mornings - \$2,600 ~ 3 full days - \$3,200  
4 mornings - \$3,300 ~ 4 full days - \$4,150  
(4 yr. olds only if available)  
5 mornings - \$4,050 ~ 5 full days - \$5,050