

# Preschool Directory



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### **Batavia Covenant Preschool**

Address and Phone:

1314 Main St.

Batavia, IL 60510

(630) 879-3795

Website: [bataviacov.org](http://bataviacov.org)

Email: [leesa@bataviacov.org](mailto:leesa@bataviacov.org)

Toilet Training Required: Yes

Summer Program Offered: No

Mission Statement: To provide a nurturing, engaging, developmentally appropriate Christian environment that is designed to foster the growth and development of the whole child.

Batavia Covenant Preschool is licensed by the Dept. of Children & Family Services (DCFS).

Our preschool has been serving the children & families of our community for 30 years.

### **Batavia Early Childhood Program – Batavia Public School District #101**

Address and Phone:

905 Carlisle Rd.

Batavia, IL 60510

(630) 937-8000

Website: [ec.bps101.net](http://ec.bps101.net)

Email: [paulette.ollie@bps101.net](mailto:paulette.ollie@bps101.net)

Toilet Training Required: Yes

Summer Program Offered: No

Mission Statement: “Always Learning, Always Growing”...by nurturing growth of the young child through developmentally appropriate early childhood experiences in collaboration with family and community. Batavia Public School District 101’s Early Childhood Center offers a preschool program for children with and without special needs. Also known as a blended or inclusive program, this tuition free offering educates children with special needs alongside their typically developing peers. There is bus service available for a fee.

### **Batavia Nursery School**

Address and Phone:

21 S. Batavia Ave.

Batavia, IL 60510

(630) 879-9470

Website: [batavianurseryschool.org](http://batavianurseryschool.org)

Email: [office@batavianurseryschool.org](mailto:office@batavianurseryschool.org)

Toilet Training: Preferred

Summer Program Offered: Yes

Mission Statement: Since 1974, we have provided a half-day preschool program that is designed to prepare children for Kindergarten. Our curriculum lines up with the Illinois Early Learning Standards.

### **Batavia United Methodist Church Parents' Day Out**

Address and Phone:  
8 N. Batavia Ave.  
Batavia, IL 60510  
(630) 879-7060

Website: [bataviaumc.com](http://bataviaumc.com)  
Email: [bataviapdo@gmail.com](mailto:bataviapdo@gmail.com)  
Toilet Training Required: No  
Summer Program Offered: No

Mission Statement: The Christ-centered program is intended to show children, ages 2 to prekindergarten, the love of God through play, songs, stories and crafts. Children will learn about God's love as they learn about themselves, their community, their family and about God's creation. We want each child to know that they are a unique child of God's, special in their own right.

### **Building Blocks Learning Academy**

Address and Phone:  
1100 W. Wilson St.  
Batavia, IL 60510  
(630) 406-0005

Email: [buildingblocksla@yahoo.com](mailto:buildingblocksla@yahoo.com)  
Toilet Training Required: No  
Summer Program Offered: Yes

Mission Statement: Turning preschoolers into pre-scholars.

### **5-Star Learning Ranch**

Address and Phone:  
0S734 Wenmoth Rd.  
Batavia, IL 60510  
(630)406-5787

Website: [5starlearningranch.com](http://5starlearningranch.com)  
Email: [anita@5starlearningranch.com](mailto:anita@5starlearningranch.com)  
Toilet Training Required: No  
Summer Program Offered: Yes

Mission Statement: Parents deserve a quality educational preschool and/or childcare program that they can trust. We believe that early childhood education is an important, solid foundation for a lifetime of learning. At 5-Star Learning Ranch, you will find that our professional, nurturing staff provides a secure and rich learning environment for children, allowing every child to develop to their fullest potential. By offering opportunities for exploration, hands-on activities, problem solving, an early literacy program and learning through the arts, children are able to grow intellectually, emotionally and socially providing the necessary skills needed in our diverse and ever-changing world.

### **Friendship Station Preschool**

Address and Phone:  
2960 Blackman Rd.  
Geneva, IL 60134  
(630) 444-8500

Website: [genevaparks.org](http://genevaparks.org)  
Email: [info@genevaparks.com](mailto:info@genevaparks.com)  
Toilet Training Required: Yes  
Summer Program Offered: No

Mission Statement: Friendship Station Preschool is guided by the philosophy of learning through play. In keeping with the guidelines of Illinois State Board of Education (ISBE) Standards regarding early learning and literacy, our preschool program provides appropriate activities to enhance the literacy of young children. Our lead teachers all have their Bachelor of Art degrees in early childhood education or a related field, and receive ongoing training.

### **Geneva Lutheran PDO**

Address and Phone:  
301 S. 3<sup>rd</sup> St.  
Geneva, IL 60134  
(630) 232-7085

Website: [genevalutheran.org](http://genevalutheran.org)  
Email: [kim@genevalutheran.org](mailto:kim@genevalutheran.org)  
Toilet Training Required: No  
Summer Program Offered: Yes

Mission Statement: Geneva Lutheran's Parents' Day Out (PDO) provides a loving environment for children aged 2-5 to play, learn, and grow while providing parents 3 hours to use as they like! PDO helps prepare your child for the transition into preschool and kindergarten. Our multi-age classrooms provide opportunities for children to share, take turns, cooperate with their peers, and become more responsible. We are not a drop-off program — when you sign up, your child's spot is guaranteed through May.

### **Geneva School District Early Learning Program**

Address and Phone:  
0S350 Grengs Lane  
Geneva, IL 60134  
(630) 444-8700

Website: [geneva304.org](http://geneva304.org)  
Toilet Training Required: Yes  
(accommodations available)  
Summer Program Offered: No

Mission Statement: The Geneva 304 Early Learning Program focuses on teaching young students through developmentally appropriate practices, while developing positive self-concept, enhancing creativity, and enriching each student's life socially, intellectually, and emotionally. It is our mission to present opportunities to grow and develop as emerging learners within a complex society, through a collaborative effort between school, family, and the community.

### **Growing Place Preschool**

Address and Phone:  
227 East Side Dr.  
Geneva, IL 60134  
(630) 232-7448

Website: [foxvalleypres.org](http://foxvalleypres.org)  
Email: [office@foxvalleypres.org](mailto:office@foxvalleypres.org)  
Toilet Training Required: Yes  
Summer Program Offered: No

Mission Statement: The Growing Place Preschool at Fox Valley Presbyterian Church seeks to serve three, four and five-year-old children and their families by providing a warm and nurturing early childhood education experience. The atmosphere of our preschool is designed to support your child's growth and development. The curriculum is carefully planned to stimulate your child's curiosity and creativity. Age appropriate activities are used to support all areas of learning including literacy, math, science, and social skills. Experiences, both indoors and out, promote problem solving, questioning and will encourage further investigation in your child's areas of interest. Our school embodies the values of our faith, but is open to and respectful of all faith traditions.

### **Holy Cross Preschool**

Address and Phone:  
2300 Main St.  
Batavia, IL 60510  
(630) 593-5290

Website: [holycrosspreschoolbatavia.org](http://holycrosspreschoolbatavia.org)  
Email: [hccs@holycross-batavia.org](mailto:hccs@holycross-batavia.org)  
Toilet Training Required: Yes  
Summer Program Offered: No

Mission Statement: We keep faith central to every aspect of our students' education while meeting their unique intellectual and social needs at every stage of their lives.

### **Immanuel Lutheran Preschool**

Address and Phone:

950 Hart Rd.

Batavia, IL 60510

(630) 406-0157

Website: [ilsbatavia.org](http://ilsbatavia.org)

Email: [admissions@immanuelbatavia.org](mailto:admissions@immanuelbatavia.org)

Toilet Training Required: Yes

Summer Program Offered: Yes;

Vacation Bible School

Mission Statement: Immanuel Lutheran School is established and supported as a ministry of Immanuel Lutheran Church. The word of God is at the foundation of all we do. The purpose of Immanuel Lutheran School shall be: 1) To provide Christian nurture based on the Word of God for children and their families. 2) To offer a quality Christian educational program that is appropriate to the developmental needs of the child. 3) To extend Christian love and fellowship. 4) To serve the needs of families in the congregation and the community.

Immanuel Lutheran School's preschool curriculum focuses on the whole child from a spiritual foundation to fine & large motor skills, play-based learning time, socialization skills, and kindergarten readiness goals.

### **Ivy Academy of Early Learning**

Address and Phone:

1400 Hill Rd.

Geneva, IL 60134

(630) 402-0385

Website: [theivyacademy.org](http://theivyacademy.org)

Email: [info@theivyacademy.org](mailto:info@theivyacademy.org)

Toilet Training Required: No

Summer Program Offered: Yes

Mission Statement: To provide our students with high quality care and education, and work towards our mission to empower families with opportunities for educational, economical and social achievements.

**Kensington School of Geneva**

Address and Phone:  
1774 W. State St.  
Geneva, IL 60134  
(630) 990-8000

Website: [kensingtonschool.com](http://kensingtonschool.com)  
Email: [psherman@kensingtonschool.com](mailto:psherman@kensingtonschool.com)  
Toilet Training Required: No  
Summer Program Offered: Yes

Mission Statement: Childhood is an extraordinary experience for children at Kensington School. Predicated upon a passionate respect for the formative years, we strive to impart an early educational experience that encompasses all aspects of a child's development. We believe that establishing strong foundations in learning during the impressionable first years of a child's life will ensure that each child is well equipped to successfully continue a pattern of joyful, lifelong learning.

**Mansio Montessori**

Address and Phone:  
102 Howard St.  
Geneva, IL 60134  
(630) 232-6750

Website: [genevamontessori.org](http://genevamontessori.org)  
Summer Program Offered: Yes

Mission Statement: MMOG follows the philosophy of Maria Montessori, developed in 1907, who felt the importance of early childhood education could not be overlooked. She wrote "The most important period of life is not the university studies, but the first one, the period from birth to six. For that is the time when man's intelligence itself, his greatest implement, is being formed." These environments contain specifically designed, manipulative materials for development that invite children to learn at their own pace according to their own individual style. We truly believe that a well-prepared environment will foster the child's highest potential - spiritually, emotionally, physically, socially, and intellectually. It is the teacher's role that distinguishes Montessori from other educational approaches. Every aspect of the curriculum involves creative invention and careful, thoughtful analysis. The emphasis is on how students learn something, not the mere memorization of facts. Helping children discover how they learn at an early age helps them to become more adept, inspired learners.

**Mill Creek Early Childhood Program**

Address and Phone:  
510 S. Batavia Ave.  
Batavia, IL 60510  
(630) 326-7519

Website: [mcearlychildhoodprogram.com](http://mcearlychildhoodprogram.com)  
Email: [imarczak@millcreekcp.com](mailto:imarczak@millcreekcp.com)  
Toilet Training Required: No  
Summer Program Offered: Yes

Mission Statement: Mill Creek Early Childhood Program is a Reggio Inspired nature and relationship based early childhood program for infants through school age children. Our program focuses on your child's social emotional skills while creating a curriculum that stems from the children in the class. By maintaining small class sizes (8 max) we are able to build relationships that establish the foundation for your child's learning. Academics occur naturally as your child is given the ability to explore what truly interests them. Our days are relaxed, fun, and engaging for everyone.

**New Horizons Preschool**

Address and Phone:  
14 N. Van Buren St.  
Batavia, IL 60510  
(630) 406-5282

Website: [bataviaparks.org](http://bataviaparks.org)  
Toilet Training Required: Preferred  
Summer Program Offered: Yes

Mission Statement: To provide an opportunity for social and emotional growth as well as a beginning adjustment to a more formal school experience. Our philosophy is children learn best through play!



**Paw Print Preschool**

Address and Phone:

1201 Main St.

Batavia, IL 60510

(630) 937-8600

Website: <http://www.ilsbatavia.org>

Email: [austun.savitski@bps101.org](mailto:austun.savitski@bps101.org)

Toilet Training Required: Yes

Summer Program Offered: No

Mission Statement: Where Preschool and High School Meet: Developing Opportunities for both Children and Students to Grow.

**St. Peter School**

Address and Phone:

1881 Kaneville Rd.

Geneva, IL 60134

(630) 232-0476

Website: [stpeterrockets.org](http://stpeterrockets.org)

Email: [bward@stpeterrockets.org](mailto:bward@stpeterrockets.org)

Toilet Training Required: Yes

Summer Program Offered: Yes

Mission Statement: Our caring team of teachers work together at St. Peter to provide academic excellence and bringing students closer to Christ.