

#### Dear Families,

Welcome to Mount Hope Christian School!

Thank you for your interest in Mount Hope Christian School! We welcome the opportunity to get to know your family better during this time.

We understand that choosing a school for your child(ren) is an exciting and important decision for your family. Our hope is that the information provided will help in this journey.

For over 40 years, Mount Hope Christian School has been honored to partner with families in educating their children. Currently, we have a wonderfully diverse student population of over 300 students from over 25 different Massachusetts and New Hampshire communities. We are thrilled at the prospect of you joining our Mount Hope family.

Our staff at Mount Hope brings a wealth of experience and a love of teaching to the classroom. Each teacher is committed to helping your child achieve their individual potential and develop their spiritual character in an atmosphere of mutual respect. Knowing children learn best when actively participating, we strive to keep our teacher to student ratio small to facilitate that goal. Teachers and staff are always available. Communication between home and school is vital to your child's success.

To enroll for the 2025-2026 school year, please refer to the instructions below to guide you through the two-step admissions process. In the meantime, please do not hesitate to reach out, we can answer any further questions or help in the next step of the process.

Warm regards, Lee Pariseau Mount Hope Christian School Admissions

#### Please follow the directions below to enroll:

From our website, <u>www.mounthopeschool.org</u>, click on New Student Admission. Please fill out the application in its entirety.

Once completed and payment has been submitted, it will be reviewed and then you will receive an acceptance letter.

The acceptance letter will contain instructions for completing the second step which is enrollment. You will be asked to create a second login. This new login is for our Family Portal. (The Family Portal will be your command center for information about your family.)

Once the enrollment packet and payment are submitted, you are officially enrolled at Mount Hope!





# Welcoming Future Leaders

Mount Hope students are being transformed daily into the image of Christ through the combined efforts of both home and school. **APPLY, ENROLL & BE PART OF OUR FUTURE!** 

# **Elementary**

Transitional Kindergarten, Kindergarten - Grade 5

Mount Hope Christian School is a community of teachers and parents who share a commitment for teaching children to love learning and grow in godliness. Smaller student-teacher ratios ensure that teachers know their students and are better able to serve them individually. Knowing all students are unique and their learning styles are different, we utilize a combination of modalities that will reach the greatest audience of learners. We address the academic, spiritual, emotional, social, and physical needs of every child. Our students are inquisitive, have the ability to reason and discern the truth, know what they believe and why, and can positively impact the community around them. We graduate godly young men and women of character, vision, and service.

The Arts: Music - Art - Technology - Physical Education

#### **Preschool**

2 years 9 months - 5 Years

Preschool is an important step for your child through their path of education. They will learn to socialize, get along with other children, share, contribute, and learn to actively listen to their peers. Our preschool teachers are true educators, teaching through stories, songs, rhymes, and discussions. They strive to engage each child on his or her own level. Through a combination of curriculums, children will learn language, math, science, and social studies skills, along with art and music.

The Arts: Music - Physical Education

# Toddler Town (14 Lexington St.)

15 Months - 3 Years

Toddlers learn through exploration and experimentation. Students start to make connections between the things they see in the classroom and the world around them. Vocabulary is developing with each new experience, and the beginnings of empathy are forming. Our staff at Mount Hope delights in this time of wonder for your child. They are dedicated to approaching every child with an open heart to shape the ideal learning environment for children to learn, laugh, and feel secure. Our expectation for your child is that they will develop physically, socially, and emotionally. We strive to foster excitement and learning in each child.

The Arts: Music







## **Extended Care**

Our before and after-school care allows parents to meet their individual schedules while knowing their child will be well cared for. Our Extended Care curriculum includes group games, crafts, outdoor fun and more. Registration is required for all school age children (Transitional Kindergarten - 5th). Snacks will be provided.

### **Afterschool Activities**

We provide additional after-school activities for our elementary and preschool students. These programs are offered for an additional fee throughout the school year.

#### Past and Current Offerings:

**Preschool** Elementary

Soccer Soccer

Mini Workshops Mini Workshops

All God's Children Bible Study





# Our Commitment to You

# **Mount Hope Christian School**

- We provide students with a solid foundation in Christ.
- We provide excellent academic enrichment programs to educate students according to their unique gifts.
- We graduate godly young men and women of character, vision and service.



Licensed:
Department of Early
Education & Care (EEC)
Membership:
Association of Christian
School International (ACSI)

"Train a child in the way he should go and when he is old he will not turn from it." Proverbs 22:6

#### What makes us unique?

- We educate the whole child. The areas that we address are academic, spiritual, emotional, social and physical.
- We tailor programs to meet different learning styles and assess student working levels on a continuous basis.
- We strive to provide low student-teacher ratios.
- We provide Student Services; individual tutoring and enrichment as needed.
- We provide a strong academic base so that our students are able to graduate and move on to institutions of higher learning.
- We provide, most importantly, a strong Biblical foundation in order that our students may be equipped with real-life skills.





# Welcoming Future Leaders

# Tuition and Related Fees





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2025-2026

#### **Enrollment and Fees**

Application Fee (non-refundable): \$50

Enrollment Fee (non-refundable): \$175
\$25.00 discount before March 31

Early Childhood Supply Fee: \$250

Elementary Book Fee: \$350

#### **Tuition**

The school year begins in September with similar holidays and vacations to public school. Please reference current school calendar for specific dates. All school payments are made through FACTS. An annual fee of \$20-\$50 will be charged by FACTS depending on the payment plan chosen.

- Payment in full due in July
- 10/11- month payment plans, beginning July

#### Toddler: 15 months - 3 years

8:00am - 4:00pm \$150 Full Day 8:00am - 12:00pm \$110 Half Day

Preschool: 2.9 - 5 years

Half Day - 8:30am - 11:45am

Full Day - 8:30am - 2:45pm	Half Day	Full Day
Tuesday & Thursday	\$8,400	\$10,150
Monday, Wednesday & Friday	\$9,025	\$11,775
Monday - Friday	\$10,175	\$13,500

#### Elementary: 5 years old by October 31st\*

8:30am - 2:10pm

Transitional Kindergarten, K-Grade 5 \$14,000

**LATE PICK UP FEES:** \$25.00 + \$2.00 per minute starting at 12:00pm or 5:00pm

#### What is not included in tuition?

- Extended Care/Afterschool Activities
- Hot Lunch
- Field Trips/In School Activities
- Book/Supply Fee

#### **Discounts**

**Sibling:** Applied to families with 2 or more students enrolled (excluding Toddlers). Second youngest child will receive 10% off, additional children will receive 20% off.

Pastoral: 15% (Credentialed Active Pastor)

Military: 15% (Active Duty Military)

#### **Extended Care (Elementary & Preschool)**

Starting at 7:30am until school day begins Ending at 5:00pm from when school day ends

This Program is available to all Preschool & Elementary students. Enrollment information, including fee structure and registration, will be sent out prior to the beginning of the school year.

#### Referral Discount

You could be eligible to receive a tuition discount by providing referrals.

- Refer up to 3 families who have not been previously enrolled, \$500 per family (max \$1,500 per school year)
- Referred child must enroll and list your name
- Referral amounts are per family not per student
- Discounts are posted monthly and only for the months the referred family is enrolled
- May be used for school related expenses only not transferable and not redeemable for cash

#### **Financial Aid**

Need-based financial aid is available for qualified families. MHCS employs FACTS Grant and Aid Assessment, a third party, to perform a financial need analysis for all financial aid requests. The Financial Aid Committee at MHCS then uses this information to make the final decision on financial aid awards.

Please note, families are only eligible to apply for financial aid once student(s) enrollment is complete. Financial Aid is not offered for our Early Childhood Program.

#### **Application Process**

Apply online through your Family Portal (found at our website) under the Financial tab. The FACTS online application has all the forms and requirements that must be completed in order to be considered for financial aid. A \$40 non-refundable fee is required to submit your application.

Incomplete applications will not be considered for aid.

#### **Deadlines**

The deadline for receipt of completed financial aid materials is March 31st. Materials received after this date are processed on a rolling basis, subject to the availability of funds.

\*Contingent upon Kindergarten Screening

For more information, please contact our finance department at finance@mounthope.org

# A TYPICAL DAY IN TODDLERS

"TRAIN A CHILD IN THE WAY HE SHOULD GO
AND WHEN HE IS OLD HE WILL NOT TURN FROM IT."
PROVERBS 22:6

8:00- ARRIVAL AND 9:30 FREE PLAY	11:45 LUNCH
INSTRUCTIONAL 9:30 LEARNING AND CIRCLE TIME	12:30 REST TIME
10:00 SNACK	3:00 SNACK TIME
10:30 RECESS	3:30- STORYTIME, SONGS, 4:00 AND DISMISSAL

# **ENRICHMENT**

WORSHIP
SPIRITUAL EMPHASIS DAYS
MUSIC
IN-HOUSE FIELD TRIPS

# A TYPICAL DAY IN PRESCHOOL "TRAIN A CHILD IN THE WAY HE SHOULD GO

"TRAIN A CHILD IN THE WAY HE SHOULD GO
AND WHEN HE IS OLD HE WILL NOT TURN FROM IT."
PROVERBS 22:6

8:30	ARRIVAL	11:45 HALF DAY DISMISSAL
9:00	SOCIAL AND INTERACTIVE PLAY	12:00 LUNCH
9:15	MORNING MEETING	12:45 QUIET TIME
9:45	SNACK/RECESS	LEARNING ACTIVITIES 2:00 AND STRUCTURED CENTERS
10:30	INSTRUCTIONAL LEARNING AND	2:45 DISMISSAL

# **ENRICHMENT**

**SMALL GROUPS** 

CHAPEL
SPIRITUAL EMPHASIS DAYS
PHYSICAL EDUCATION
MUSIC



EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS TO ENHANCE ACADEMIC GROWTH, SPIRITUAL DEVELOPMENT, AND CHARACTER BUILDING

CORE SUBJECTS WITH ENRICHMENT TO ACCOMODATE EVERY STUDENT'S NEEDS

SPIRITUAL EMPHASIS DAYS
STUDENT CHAPLAINS

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT AND OUTREACH EVENTS

# **ENRICHMENT**

CHAPEL
ART
PHYSICAL EDUCATION
TECH LITERACY
MUSIC

TRANSITIONAL KINDERGARTEN (TK)
REFERS TO AN EDUCATIONAL
PROGRAM THAT SERVES AS A
BRIDGE BETWEEN PRESCHOOL AND
TRADITIONAL KINDERGARTEN.

#### **EARLY ACADEMIC SKILLS:**

- FOCUSES ON PRE-LITERACY AND NUMERACY SKILLS.
- HEAD START ON FOUNDATIONAL SKILLS.

#### SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT:

 TK EMPHASIZES SOCIAL SKILLS, HELPING CHILDREN LEARN TO INTERACT WITH PEERS, SHARE AND FOLLOW CLASSROOM RULES.

#### **INCREASED CONFIDENCE:**

 SUCCESS IN A LESS FORMAL SETTING BOOSTS CHILDREN'S CONFIDENCE, POSITIVELY IMPACTING THEIR ATTITUDE TOWARDS LEARNING.

#### **DIFFERENTIATED INSTRUCTION:**

• TK ALLOWS FOR PERSONALIZED
INSTRUCTION TO ADDRESS THE UNIQUE
NEEDS OF EACH CHILD, PROMOTING
A MORE TAILORED LEARNING
EXPERIENCE.

#### **PREVENTION OF LEARNING GAPS:**

EARLY IDENTIFICATION AND INTERVENTION
 IN TK CAN HELP PREVENT LEARNING GAPS,
 SETTING THE STAGE FOR ACADEMIC SUCCESS.

#### **SUPPORT FOR YOUNG LEARNERS:**

• TK RECOGNIZES THE DEVELOPMENTAL
NEEDS OF YOUNGER LEARNERS, PROVIDING
A PLAY-BASED AND AGE-APPROPRIATE
CURRICULUM.

#### PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT:

• TK ENCOURAGES PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT, FOSTERING COLLABORATION BETWEEN PARENTS AND EDUCATORS FOR A CHILD'S OVERALL DEVELOPMENT.

#### **SMOOTH TRANSITION TO KINDERGARTEN:**

 THE PROGRAM EASES THE TRANSITION TO KINDERGARTEN BY FAMILIARIZING CHILDREN WITH THE EXPECTATIONS AND STRUCTURE OF A CLASSROOM ENVIRONMENT.

#### PREPARATION FOR FORMAL EDUCATION

 TK SERVES AS A STEPPINGSTONE TO FORMAL EDUCATION, INTRODUCING ROUTINES AND CLASSROOM EXPECTATIONS.



THIS EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM IS
TYPICALLY DESIGNED FOR CHILDREN
WHO ARE TOO OLD FOR PRESCHOOL
BUT NOT YET ELIGIBLE FOR
KINDERGARTEN, OFTEN THOSE WITH
BIRTHDAYS CLOSE TO KINDERGARTEN
CUTOFF.



SCHOOL READINESS:
TRANSITIONAL KINDERGARTEN
HELPS CHILDREN DEVELOP THE
ACADEMIC AND SOCIAL SKILLS
NECESSARY FOR A SMOOTH
TRANSITION TO KINDERGARTEN.

AT MOUNT HOPE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL, WE BELIEVE THAT EACH CHILD IS A CHILD OF GOD, UNIQUE, AND BLESSED WITH HIS/HER OWN SPECIAL GIFTS. WE ARE COMMITTED TO EDUCATING THE WHOLE CHILD: ACADEMICALLY, SOCIALLY, EMOTIONALLY, AND SPIRITUALLY.









# MOUNT HOPE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL SUMMER PROGRAM 2025

Join us for an adventure at our Summer Program!

We will have lots of fun with exciting games and special in-school activities. Children are assigned to different age groups (Toddlers, Preschool and K - entering 5<sup>th</sup> Grade) and will participate in appropriate age activities throughout the day. Our caring teachers are CPR, First Aid and EEC certified.

June 16-August 8
Closed for July Break

8:00-3:30 Flexible Schedules!

Toddlers, Preschool and Kindergarten – entering 5th Grade

Indoor (air conditioned) and outdoor play space available.

> Fun in-house activities and fieldtrips weekly

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