



203 – Discipline Policy

At The Well Academy Preschool, our goal is to maintain a safe and orderly environment in which your child can learn. We require godly, Christian behavior of children to help them develop the fruits of the Spirit, including peace, patience, gentleness, self-control, and love. An effort is made to help children understand why some behaviors are not acceptable, and suggestions for more desirable behaviors are offered. The rules are posted in the classroom and reviewed often with children.

Classroom rules children are expected to follow are:

1. Be safe by keeping your hands, feet, and objects to yourself.
2. Be respectful and kind to others.
3. Be responsible for yourself and your play area.
4. Be a good listener, especially to your teacher.

To ensure the safety of all participants and staff, the Well Academy Preschool staff will implement a positive discipline program. Corporal punishment will not be exercised in the Preschool. Children involved in our program are expected to follow the rules and direction of the preschool staff. The following are guidelines used when disciplinary action becomes necessary due to unacceptable behavior. Severe behavior will be addressed by the Preschool Director/Principal.

1. Positive redirection.
2. Verbal warning for specific unacceptable behavior.
3. Separation from class with a warning of future consequences for repeated behavior.
4. Separation from class with a warning and write-up for repeated behavior.
5. Separation from class with a call to parent or guardian and write-up.
6. Parent/Guardian conference to discuss corrective action and consequences for future incidents.
7. Suspension - 1 to 2 days from the program and/or remainder of the day, at the Principal's discretion.
8. Repeated aggressive/inappropriate behavior with at least one suspension will result in removal from the program with approval from the Preschool Instructor and Principal.

The Well Academy Preschool reserves the right to withdraw a student from the program if all discipline options have been exhausted and/or demonstration of extreme behavior that may put participants and/or staff in danger.

I have read The Well Academy Preschool Discipline Policy and fully understand the process to be used for discipline issues.

Student's Name

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

