WHAT IS FIDELITY HOUSE?

Fidelity House has been serving the needs of Arlington and surrounding communities for the past 69 years. As times and needs have changed, so have we. Our current offerings include:

PRESCHOOL for children ages 2.9-5 year olds Half day, full day options

PRE-KINDERGARTEN

Half day, full day options

SCHOOL AGE CHILD CARE PROGRAM

for Grades K-6, **Transportation** from Public Schools available.

PRESCHOOL SPORTS, TOT TIME

OPEN RECREATION Program for 6th grade and up (5th grade and up on Friday p.m. & Saturdays.)

INSTRUCTIONAL SPORTS Academy

for Kindergarten- 8th graders.*

GYMNASTICS P.S. – 6th grade

YOUTH SPORTS, ADULT PROGRAMS

BIRTHDAY/CELEBRATION/GYM

RENTALS including rentals at our 2nd site,
FiHo 2.

FIDELITY HOUSE IS A NON PROFIT COMMUNITY CENTER!

We appreciate your support!

How can you help?

We appreciate all your support with our annual Basketball Marathon, Easter and Mother's Day Flower Sales, Annual Appreciation Night, Fidelity House Open Golf Tournament & Luminary sponsorship. Consider supporting Summer Camperships. Give Memorial Donations, Commemorative Birthday & Anniversary donations. They are acknowledged and gratefully accepted. Donate your car and designate Fidelity House as the beneficiary at donateforcharity.com!

GOOD TO KNOW

Fidelity House is looking forward to some renovation work on our gymnasium during the year. Some meeting areas, activities, drop off areas may be

modified to accommodate current space and daily circumstances.

Annual Appreciation Night! The Friends of Fidelity House are inviting you to attend our

27th annual Appreciation Night and help keep Fidelity House thriving during these changing times! This fun event is tentatively scheduled on Saturday, April 27 in the FiHo GYM! Come join us!



are VERY IMPORTANT to our programs!!

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PRESCHOOL PREKINDERGARTEN PROGRAM



For Boys & Girls Ages 2.9-5 Years

LARGE PLAYSPACES!

2024-25 School Year Options 8:30 am - 12:30 pm, 8:30 am - 3:30 pm or 8:30 am - 5:00 pm Early drop off option

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Our Program

Fidelity House is a non-profit Preschool and PreKindergarten that provides a safe and nurturing environment where children are given various opportunities to develop their creative side, interact with peers, build fine and gross motor skills and enhance their self-esteem. Established in 1976, our EEC licensed program is for children ages 2.9 (by start date) to 5.

We offer school year, half day or full day options during school vacation weeks/holidays and summer programs. Our Preschool offers schedule flexibility to fit family needs including 8:30~am-12:30~pm,~8:30~am-3:30~pm,~8:30~am-5:00~pm and early arrival option. Families may register for 2-5~days/week.



Our Preschool and PreKindergarten classrooms have dedicated teaching staff prepared to meet the developmental needs of every child. Our large fenced playground with a sandbox is ideal for daily outdoor play.











Preschool

Our Fidelity House Preschool curriculum is developmentally appropriate and designed to meet the needs, interests and ability levels of the individual child. The emphasis is on social skills with the younger children. We combine math and reading readiness with art, music, science & social studies along with free play.

PreKindergarten

Our PreKindergarten program is an advanced Preschool which takes a hands-on approach to learning. The curriculum is carefully planned, taking into consideration that each child has unique needs, interests and capabilities. The daily schedule

includes free play, circle time, projects and outdoor play while focusing on readiness skills for Kindergarten.

Supplemental Sports Programs

Fidelity House Program offers opportunities



for program participants to join sports programs that Fidelity House offers for the community. These programs will vary during the 2024-25 school year to utilize available space during gymnasium renovations.

"Putting [our daughter] in the Fidelity House Preschool program was the easiest decision we made in the last year, and we are now happily watching her thrive. She is getting both a stellar educational experience and the proper socialization that is so important for children her age. We are thrilled to be part of the community of teachers, parents, and students at Fidelity House." A Fidelity House Preschool Family {2022, 2023)

Play Based Learning Community

Play, Learn Grow...

Learn as we Play...Play as we Learn

Fidelity House offers a play-based approach to learning and provides young

provides young children freedom to explore their world and their feelings, build social connections.



develop critical thinking, increase vocabulary,



expand imagination, and develop problem solving skills. Opportunities to investigate and

discover with a balance of child initiated and teacher supported learning helps children to stretch their thinking to higher levels.

Children learn naturally through play. Fidelity House strives to encourage curiosity



and discovery through handson exploration to build the foundation for



critical thinking, problem solving, and social relationships.

Play based learning is not only imaginative and fun—it helps foster a lifetime love of learning.

