



Vision - Saint Louis Public Schools is the district of choice for families in the St. Louis region that provides a world-class education and is nationally recognized as a leader in student achievement and teacher quality.

Mission - We will provide a quality education for all students and enable them to realize their full intellectual potential

Welcome to the Instructional Support Center at Stix Early Childhood Center!

We are excited to have the children join us for an exciting day of fun-filled learning! We are going to have a great time learning and laughing together! Each will begin with breakfast in the classroom until class circle begins. After class circle, we will have independent literacy activities and centers. Our classes will meet online again each morning at 10:00 AM for online learning in phonics and writing. The morning classes will end with recess proceeded by lunch in the classroom. Math work at centers and online guided lessons will engage students until nap time. When students awaken from their nap, they will have STEM activities, followed by Related Arts classes. Each school day will end with read-aloud activities.

We want students to be able to attend the ISC at Stix Early Childhood Center every day, so, as a courtesy, bus transportation is provided each school day if parents elect to use it. Students who ride the bus will be picked up and dropped off daily at their door for a caring adult to ensure their safe departure (AM) and arrival (PM). If parents elect not to take advantage of bus service, then you may drop off and pick up your child by door number 6 where a caring member of our staff will be waiting.

When students arrive at the ISC @ Stix Early Childhood Center, they will receive breakfast in their classrooms and eat with their classmates. Each classroom will have a maximum of 10 students with one classroom teacher and one teacher's aide. Students will remain with their class for the entire day including recess, lunch, and dismissal. Handwashing will occur frequently throughout the day. We want students to be comfortable, so they should wear comfy clothes that allow them to fully participate in centers, floor activities, and free play. They do not have to wear a uniform.

At 3:15 PM, students who are riding the bus will be escorted to the bus by their teacher and an aide. Students who are being picked up will be escorted to door number 6 to meet their parent(s).

Arrival Procedures for ISC at Stix:

Due to safety precautions, parents will not be able to enter the building.

8:15 – 8:30 AM Car Drop-off Procedures: Parents will pull onto the parking lot from Tower Grove Avenue and proceed to the far right side of the parking lot. (Area is marked with an orange line and blue "No Parking" paint). Pull up to where the staff are located and we will:

1. Take your child's temperature
2. Escort your child into the building through Door # 6

3:00 – 3:15 PM Car Pick-up Procedures: Cars MUST HAVE a Stix Car Rider Tag displayed on the dashboard. (These will be distributed on Monday, August 31, at arrival time). Parents will follow the same procedure upon entering the parking lot. Staff will call for the child to be escorted out of the building via Door # 6 and placed in the car.

Saint Louis Public Schools - Virtual Preschool Schedule

Instructional Block	Instructional Activity	Notes: Synchronous Instruction and Support/ Asynchronous Playlist
8:00 – 8:30	Drop-off (centers) Breakfast	Getting ready for the day, logging in
8:30 – 9:00	Class Circle Calendar Read aloud	Synchronous class meeting 8:30am – 9:00am Virtual class circle/greetings Review calendar and weather Daily read aloud
9:00 – 9:30	Independent Literacy Activity/Literacy Centers	Asynchronous playlist/activities: reader response activity, literacy website, drawing/writing *Small group or individual student support may be provided at this time
9:30 – 10:00	Independent Phonics/Writing	Asynchronous playlist/activities: handwriting, literacy/letter recognition website, drawing/writing, hands-on/tactile letter-of-the-day activity
10:00 – 10:30	Phonics/Writing	Synchronous class meeting 10:00 – 10:30 Phonics/Writing: Letter recognition/SIPPS
10:30 – 11:00	Recess/Free Choice Play	Independent free choice/constructive play Technology break
11:00 – 11:30	Lunch	Time for a healthy meal
11:30 – 12:00	Math Guided Lesson	Synchronous class meeting 11:30 – 12:00 Number concepts: read, write, recognize, counting, patterns
12:00 – 12:30	Independent Math Activity/Math Centers	Asynchronous playlist/activities: Number concepts: read, write, recognize, counting, patterns *Small group or individual student support may be provided at this time
12:30 – 1:30	Rest	Nap or calm activity Technology break (Teacher Office Hour)
1:30 – 2:00	STEM	Synchronous class meeting 2:00 – 2:30 STEM activity, model hands-on lab/science activity
2:00 – 2:50	Related Arts/Free Choice	Art, Music or PE Independent free choice/constructive play
2:50 – 3:15	Read Aloud	Asynchronous playlist/activities: teacher pre-recorded read aloud, EPIC read-to-me, any other interactive read-aloud