



Get Ready For

FIRST GRADE

At Liberty Pines Academy



Independence Skills

- Ties own shoes
- Keeps track of personal belongings (backpack, coat, etc.)
- Opens food containers and packaging
- Can zip up & unzip coat

Small Motor Skills

- Holds pencil with proper grip
- Writes uppercase and lowercase letters with proper formation
- Able to cut with scissors
- Able to glue with a glue stick

Math Skills

- Counts out loud to 100 correctly
- Writes numbers 0 to 50
- Counts group of objects up to 20 (one-to-one correspondence)
- Understand more/less
- Can add and subtract with numbers up to 10

Literacy Skills

- Identifies ALL letter names (upper and lower case) & sounds
- Demonstrates phonemic awareness (blending & segmenting sounds)
- Reads Kindergarten Sight Words
- Decodes CVC words (cat, pig, sun)

Writing Skills

- Writes a simple sentence
- Draws a picture and labels it
- Attempts to write simple words (phonetic spelling)
- Can say and write first and last name

Social Skills

- Can follow directions
- Shows empathy and kindness towards others
- Has spatial awareness (stays in own space)
- Practices emotional regulation
- Has a teachable attitude & a positive mindset
- Listens during group time & participates appropriately