

Preschool News

Our Lady of the Snows School

September 26, 2011

This Week

Today, the children are participating in the Child First Screening for Preschool and Kindergarten students.

Tomorrow, Tuesday is picture day. Preschool is one of the first groups to be photographed. Children who are wearing their "Sunday Best" for the school photos may bring a change of clothing for the school day.

We are going on our first field trip! The children are so excited. We are going to Lincoln Park Zoo on Tuesday, October 18, 2011. The children are to wear their gym uniforms and bring a bag lunch. No thermo containers, please. Fall is here and we cannot predict the weather, but everyone should dress appropriately for a day of walking outside. The zoo has many animal exhibits and pavilions to explore. Please do not send money for the gift shops.

We will talk to the children about expectations on the bus and at the zoo. We will also distribute information to the families about our trip objectives and goals for the day. We need parent volunteers for our field trips and all are invited to join us. The archdiocese requires that all staff and volunteers working with children complete the Virtus training and background check. If you need the training, please go to [www. Virtus.org](http://www.Virtus.org) . See the teachers or office for more information or help.

Reminder

No school Friday, September 30th . The teachers have a staff development day. School resumes Monday, October 3rd .