



Welcome to Kinder Champ

Ages 2-5

Love them
Explore with them
Attend to their needs
Respect them
Nurture them



What is Kinder Champ Programme?

Kinder Champ Programme is divided into two groups based on the age and abilities of the child -

Class	Ages	Remarks
Pre-K	2-3 years	Born between 1 September 2010 and 1 Jan 2012
K1	4-5 years	Born between 1 September 2009 and 31 August 2010 Those born after 31 August 2010 who are 3 years of age in 2014 must have had completed at least a full year in Pre-K and passed a series of assessments (including readiness in reading three letter words, writing using the correct techniques, exhibit a certain level of understanding of concepts introduced)

This pre-school programme serves as an introduction to a structured learning environment for children before entering a pre-school or school.

What is the duration of the programme per week?

Mondays to Fridays -9.00am to 12.00 pm with option for lunch programme from 12.15pm to 12.45pm. Drop-off is from 8.30 am onwards.

What do the children learn?

These young explorers will not take no for an answer and are ever ready to absorb everything they see and hear. Hence, it is important to provide them with a safe and yet rich learning environment to grow in.

Environment - Our surroundings are clean and safe with wall posters and thematic decorations in the classroom. The classroom toys, puzzles and materials are specially selected and displayed to develop thinking and critical thinking skills.

Manners and respect - Children learn to interact with their peers and adults in a respectful manner using words like "Please", "May I", "Thank you".

Educators - The educators are the role models for the children and they will emulate the things we say and do. As such, our team consists of trained educators who are passionate and dedicated in enriching the minds of the young ones, gentle but firm and are always mindful in sending positive messages to the children.

Activities - Our activities are fun and yet educational to promote speaking and listening skills, and reading and writing skills as the children progress. They are delivered through story-telling, class chants, role-play, finger-play, art & craft, music & movement and experiential learning activities including excursions.

English

Our monthly thematic lessons are such as Animal Kingdom, Under the Sea, Food Glorious Food, How Am I Feeling?, Superheroes, Bugs and Insects at Night, Spring Time, Endangered Animals, Cultures around the World, Transportation and many more themes to promote the learning of vocabulary, grammar structure and understanding of concepts.

Reading -

We emphasize on both reading methods - Phonetics and Sight Words. These are introduced in a step-by-step approach from learning about the names and sounds of the letters leading to the blends and DOLCH sight words concurrently. We read and tell stories to the children and at times let them fill in the blanks to build their vocabulary skills and the general intuition of the language.

Writing -

Children are first introduced to pre-writing skills from holding a small ball to finger tracing and eventually the usage of age appropriate stationeries. Colouring, scribbling, free-style drawing, pasting and tracing are part of writing skills training.

Speaking & Listening Skills -

Show & Tell are carried out to promote confidence in speaking in front of an audience with a purpose. Children are given either a specific topic or a range of topics to choose from to present their item in front of their peers. Parents/ guardians are encouraged to assist the child with the preparation at home.

Science in English

Children explore objects within their surroundings, their purposes and how they function through demonstrations and experiments. We use books and story-telling to introduce concepts to the children.



Mathematics & Manipulative Skills in English

Activities to enhance their manipulative skills and understanding of concepts and countables are taught through singing, flashcards, finger-play and music & movement where they learn the counting of beats, basic concepts and eventually the concept of addition and subtraction.

Living Skills

Children are encouraged to develop their fine and gross motor skills through various activities. We provide aids for them to do lacing, handle buttons, zips and fasteners, and basic carpentry works for them to practice on.

They also learn to enjoy the experience of preparing their own snacks such as baking and making their own sandwiches, tarts or pizza.



Mandarin

Children are taught to appreciate the beauty of Mandarin language through singing, chanting, story-telling and music & movement. They are also exposed to the first hundred Chinese characters through flashcards and story books using the Odonata Modules.

Music & Movement

At Kinder Champ, we use Jolly Music which is a structured and progressive programme from the U.K. for the initial teaching of music that aims to develop children's musical skills. Based on the principles of Hungarian music educator, Zoltán Kodály, teaching and learning is done through singing so that children can immediately be music makers without the demands of learning to play an instrument. The key musical skills taught are pulse, rhythm, pitch, musical memory and inner hearing.

Speech & Drama

Speaking and dramatization are the earliest forms of skills that children acquire naturally. By coaching the little drama queens and kings through what they do best, children learn to respect and accept other people's ideas, characteristics and other differences. In the process, your child will become a better communicator, more self-confident, creative and expressive.



Malay Language

Malay is taught through singing and dancing to the classic and new Malay tunes. Children are also exposed to 'suku kata' through flashcards, rhymes and books. Traditional Malay poems and stories are also taught during the lessons. As a majority of our children are not native speakers of the Malay Language, our educators use Music & Movement, and Art & Craft to provide directions in the language and expose them to Malay vocabulary through the demonstration of shapes, colours, strokes and actions in their artwork.

Physical Play

Physical play is essential for young learners and they are still learning to fine-tune their motor skills, coordination skills and sense of balance. Although we do not have the accessibility to a playground, we have instead created our very own indoor play area using motor-skill development equipment including tunnels, tactile paths, steps, hoops, bars and hop-scotch mat to encourage children to strengthen their muscles and stretch their limbs.

Story Time & Library Access

To inculcate the love for reading, children must be exposed to story books from a very young age. Parents and educators play a vital role in encouraging the child to read by first exploring books that are age appropriate and then reading together with the child.

Story time is one of our regular activities where we huddle and read a book that is related to our theme for the month, with expression and intonation. Educators take the opportunity to instil good habits in the children and correct misbehaviour in class by selecting relevant titles and discussing the storyline with the children.

We allow a child to borrow up to two books home to read at any point in time.

Quiet Time

Quiet time is essential that many take for granted. Soft tunes are played in the background to help calm the children while they close their eyes and wind-down in between activities. Lights are turned off to create a less stimulated environment before they are led into the next activity.

Snack Time

Snack time is a time for children to learn socially acceptable ethics while eating with their peers - sitting and eating with the correct posture, usage of fingers and cutlery, and raising their hands to request for food in a respectful and appreciative manner. Picky eaters may decide to try out food that they would not normally take after observing their friends eating them. Snacks served are usually fruits, biscuits, buns and non-creamed cakes. Those who are allergic to certain ingredients and food items are required to inform the staff upon registration.

All children must bring along their own water bottle to school as we encourage them to drink water during snack time and in between activities.

Children are also taught about personal hygiene - washing of hands before and after meals and eating with their chins over their bowls/ plates.

****To view our full curriculum, please request for the Kinder Champ curricular file from the Management.***



Writing activity



Usage of age appropriate materials



Physical play activity



Reading during Mandarin lesson



Living skills



Story Time

Experiential learning



English Champ

Why is Kinder Champ different?

- Kinder Champ programme uses flashcards, music and activities which appeals to all types of learners - visual, auditory and kinaesthetic
- Our engaging and interactive activities promote a sense of security which leads to confidence-building in a child
- Our holistic programme includes right brain and left brain usage, utilising materials which are home-grown and selected locally and internationally from Australia, the U.S, UK, Germany and Taiwan, to encourage children to think out of the box, be creative, and encourage critical thinking and problem-solving skills.
- To prepare our children to integrate with the national curriculum, our lesson plans incorporate the Standard National Preschool Curriculum.
- Our team consists of trained and experienced educators who are able to handle children and encourage them to grow and develop positively
- Positive messages - words and body-gesture to encourage the children are used throughout to ensure a stress-free environment that is healthy for young learners
- We cater to children of various development levels for instance children in Pre-K can point to the answer when flashed with a card instead of speaking if they are not ready to speak, and children in K1 can read instead of write if they are not ready for writing
- One-to-one attention - Revisions and assessments are conducted one-on-one basis for language subjects and individual progress report will be furnished to the parents at the end of the year
- Safety first - We operate from a BOMBA certified building with fire escapes, equipped with fire extinguishers and first aid kit, and our educators are certified first-aiders to handle emergencies. Fire drills are held periodically to ensure our staff and children are able to evacuate in orderly manner in case of emergency.
- Clean and safe environment - Our wooden flooring ensures that dust and dirt can be cleaned and removed easily. Our floors and toilets are kept cleaned and washed regularly with antiseptic agents.
- Screening of children's temperature upon arrival - To minimise the spread of virus from one child to another, we do a brief check of the child's overall health upon arrival such as taking the temperature of the child and a quick visual assessment on spots and bumps on the body. Parents must inform the school if their child is sick or has contracted any sort of viral infection. We seek parents' cooperation to abstain their child from school if he/she is down with a viral infection.

Kinder Champ School Curriculum

English Language

- Reading (phonetics and sight words)
- Writing
- Speaking & Listening
- Mathematics
- Science
- Physical Play
- Living Skills
- Music & Movement
- Speech & Drama

Mandarin and Malay Language

- Speaking & Listening
- Reading
- Writing

Schooling hours

Ages: 2-4 (Pre-K)

Schooling hours: Mondays to Fridays

9am to 11am (2 hours) OR 9am to 12pm (3 hours)

Pre-K Schedule

Day/ Time	(A) 9.00am	(B) 9.30am	(C) 10.30am	(F) 11.15am- 12.00pm
Monday	Arrival/ Reading Physical Activities	English	Break - Snack Time Library Time Play Time	Living Skills
Tuesday		English		Speech & Drama
Wednesday		Mathematics		Mandarin
Thursday		English		Music & Movement
Friday		Science		Mandarin

Ages: 4-5 (K1)
 Schooling hours: Mondays to Fridays
 9am to 12pm (3 hours)

K1 Schedule

Day/ Time	(A) 9.00am	(B) 9.15am	(C) 10.00am	(D) 10.15am	(E) 11.00am	(F) 11.15am- 12.00pm
Monday	Arrival/ Reading Physical Activities	Living Skills	Break - Snacks	Science	Break - Library	Mandarin
Tuesday		English		B. Malaysia		Speech & Drama
Wednesday		Maths		English		Mandarin
Thursday		English		B. Malaysia		Music & Movement
Friday		Maths		Art & Craft		Mandarin

Kinder Champ 2014 Fee Structure for Weekday Classes

	Pre-K 2-hr Session RM	Pre-K/ K1 3-hr Session RM
Registration (waived for returning students from the previous year)	100	100
Uniform (2 sets)	50	50
Materials (per annum)	500	600
Deposit	500	600
Monthly Fees Schooling months: Jan to Nov	500	600
Total (First Payment)	1,650	1,950

- 1 We accept cash, cheque and credit card. All cheques are to be made payable to "Literacy World Sdn Bhd (BU)". For direct payment into our CIMB Bank Bhd, our account number is 8003176063.
- 2 Payment must be made in full before the start of the new month.
- 3 A notice period of one month is required for withdrawal which otherwise the deposit may be forfeited.
- 4 Library membership is included and each child is allowed to borrow up to two books at any point in time for a period of up to two (2) weeks.
- 5 Fees paid are strictly non-refundable and non-transferable.
No classes during term breaks and certain public school holidays.
- 6 Kindly refer to our school calendar for holidays.
- 7 No classes on national and Selangor public holidays.
- 8 For suspension or withdrawal matters, please obtain the form from the management.

Lunch Services

Lunch will be provided for your child at an additional fee of RM120 per month. Lunch menu include rice/ noodles/ pasta with vegetables, meat (no pork served) and tofu or egg. If your child is a picky eater, kindly pack his/her lunch and we will arrange for your child to have his/her lunch after school. Lunch is served from 12.15 to 12.45pm.

Please pick your child up by 12.45pm. Additional charges of RM10 per 15 minute block will be imposed for pick-up after 1.00pm.

Pick-up after 12.30pm

Unless instructed otherwise, your child will be provided with lunch by 12.30pm if you do not pick him/her up by then and you will be required to pay RM10 on the same day when you pick-up your child up on top of the additional charges of RM10 per 15 minute block imposed for pick-up after 1.00pm.

✚ *The above is correct at time of print*

✚ *The Management reserves the right to change the above without prior notice*

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✚ *Kinder Champ is only available in Bandar Utama branch but English programme for all ages 4-17 is available in both branches. Kindly call the respective branches for schedule.*