

# West Scarborough EarlyON Child & Family Centre 20 Eglinton Square, Toronto, ON M1L 2K1, Phone 647-466-3273 Website: <a href="https://www.wsncc.org/families">https://www.wsncc.org/families</a>





Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Physical Health and Well-Being	Social Knowledge and Competence	Emotional Health and Maturity	Language and Cognitive Development	Communication Skills and General Knowledge
Closed	Together Time (0-6yrs) 10:00am-12:15pm	3 Baby Time (0-18m) 10:00am-12:15pm	Together Time (0-6yrs) 10:00am-12:15pm	5 Together Time (0-6yrs) 10:00am-12:15pm
Happy Easter Monday	Together Time (Tamil Language) (0-6yrs) 1:30-4:00pm	Together Time (0-6yrs) 1:30-4:00pm	Preschool Time (Kindergarten Readiness) (Children born in 2020) 1:30-4:00pm	Workshop: "School Readiness" 1:30-3:30pm
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**Note:** The agency is going to introduce an online registration system for EarlyON programs. Please use the following link to create your account and register for the program.

https://wsncc.recdesk.com/Community/Member/Signup.

Our staff will be pleased to assist you if you find any difficulty to register online.

## **April 2024**

### Encourage your child to reflect before acting:



- Play the "What next?" game. Tell him or her about a challenging scenario, then ask, "What next?"
- Encourage your child to use words when problems arise (e.g. I am mad). During a disagreement, allow your child to express his or her emotions – both positive and negative and encourage your child to listen when others express their emotions.

**Family Support (By appointment):** Staff team is available to meet with you on every Friday from 1:30 to 3:30pm either in person or zoom. Please email staff to book your time to discuss about your child's development, parenting information or any other information that you are looking for. Our professional staff team will be happy to assist you.

#### **Highlights of the Month**

The Centre will be closed on Monday, April 01st for Easter Monday.

There will be No Program on Friday, April 26th (Whole Day) due to Professional Development

- Meeting the Milestones on Monday afternoons
- **Preschool Time** (Kindergarten Readiness) on Thursday afternoons
- Morning and Afternoon Programs shifted from Eglinton Square Mall to 313 Pharmacy on Wednesday, April 17th
- ❖ Eid Party on Wednesday, April 17<sup>th</sup> in the morning and afternoon at 313 Pharmacy location
- **Eid Party & South Asian New Year Celebration** on Tuesday, April 16<sup>th</sup> in the afternoon
- ❖ Parenting Workshops: "Managing Stress in Children" on Thursday, April 18<sup>th</sup> in the morning and "Screen Time" on Wednesday April 24<sup>th</sup> during "Baby Time" by Public Health Nurse and "School Readiness" on Fridays, April 05<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> in the afternoon by EarlyON Staff

**Together Time** is an **interactive** drop-in program for children **0-6** years with their parents/caregivers. The program includes arts and crafts, stories, circle time, plus much more. Activities will enhance early learning and parenting skills.

**Pre-school Time** is an **interactive** drop-in program for children 3-4 years together with their parents/caregivers. Children will interact, play and learn in our early learning environment. They will enhance skills needed to begin their formal learning. Information will be provided on how to prepare and support children for kindergarten entrance and life-long learning.

**Baby Time** is an **interactive drop-in** program for parents/caregivers with infants 0 – 18 months. Activities will enhance early learning and parenting skills. Parents/caregivers will receive information re early development and have an opportunity to share their experiences and ideas.

**Together Time (Tamil Speaking Families):** is an **interactive** drop-in program for children **0—6** years with their parents/caregivers who speak Tamil. Tamil speaking staff delivers the program to support the first language of those who speak Tamil. The program includes arts and crafts, stories, circle time, plus much more. Activities will enhance early learning and parenting skills.

**Kindergarten Readiness** is for children who will attend Junior Kindergarten for the first time in the fall. It enhances children's ability to separate from their parent/caregiver and develop/enhance skills necessary for their entrance into Junior Kindergarten.

#### **Programs Below Require Pre-Registration:**

\*All Parties

\* **Meeting the Milestones:** is an interactive program for parents and their children (18 months to 4 years of age) who need additional developmental support. The program is designed to focus on a theme that is connected to a developmental domain. Activities and materials are tailored to the needs of individual children enrolled in the program. Parents/caregivers are encouraged to actively participate in play activities while staff model play-based learning strategies.

Your feedback is highly appreciated. Please, feel free to email us.

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