

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

March 2024



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
INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY	* HAPPY * ST. PATRICK'S * DAY *	Touy Sflasppy Famadar	happy SEASTER	Together Time (0-6yrs) 10:00am-12:15pm No Program in the afternoon due to professional development
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18	19	20	21	22
Together Time (0-6yrs) 10:00am-12:15pm	Together Time (0-6yrs) 10:00am- 12:15pm	Morning and Afternoon Programs shifted from Eglinton Square Mall to 313 Pharmacy	Together Time (0-6yrs) 10:00am-12:15pm	Together Time (0-6yrs) 10:00am-12:15pm
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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.

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Limit Computer and Television:



- Young children's brains are hardwired to learn through doing. That is why exploratory experiences are so
 much better for their cognitive and language skills than passive experiences like watching TV or playing on a
 computer.
- Limit television and computer time and look for ways to engage the whole family in activities like board games, creative play and family literacy programs in the community.

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 Friday March 29th, and Monday, April 01st for Good Friday and Easter Monday. There will be No Program in the afternoon of Friday, March 01st due to Professional Development There will be No Program on Friday, March 08th due to Professional Development (Whole Day)

- Meeting the Milestones on Monday afternoons
- Preschool Time (Fun with Math) on Thursday afternoons
- Morning and Afternoon Programs shifted from Eglinton Square Mall to 313 Pharmacy on Wednesday, March 20th
- Public Health Nurse Visit on Wednesday, March 20th in the morning at "313 Pharmacy location"
- **Easter Party** on Tuesday, March 26th in the morning and afternoon and Wednesday, March 27th during Baby Time
- ❖ Parenting Workshops: "Healthy Eating using Canada Food Guide" on Thursday, March 14th during Preschool by Public Health Nurse and "School Readiness" on Fridays, March 15th and 22nd 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.

FUN WITH MATH is an early learning program for children 3-4yrs with a focus on numbers and math concepts.

Programs Below Require Pre-Registration:

- * Easter Party
- * 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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Our YouTube videos can be seen at https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCFf_RVdLnhkDWC-6rqfTalw