

# INFANT CALENDAR



**May 2019**

*“We don’t stop playing because we grow old; we grow old because we stop playing “*

– George Bernard Shaw

## Skills we will be working on:

- Exploring different senses
- Waving or responding to bye-bye
- Enhance gross motor skills
- Imitating actions to different songs
- Pointing to familiar things
- Taking part in simple scenarios
- Practicing to use a spoon during lunch
- Responding to simple requests
- Practicing palmer/pincer grasp

## Ideas to do at home:

Our infants really enjoy exploring sounds. Find variety of objects to create different sounds when hit with a spoon. Model drumming on different objects to make music. Let your child create music and explore sounds.



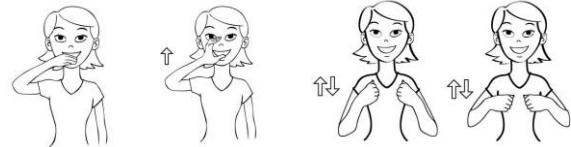
## Special Visitors:

Keith and Lily will join our infant room twice a week to sing songs, tell stories, and create different gross motor experiences for the infants.

## Song of the Month: Different versions of “If you’re Happy and You Know It”

If you're hungry and you know it, eat your food (Yum, Yum)  
If you're hungry and you know it, eat your food (Yum, Yum)  
If you're happy and you know it, and you really want to show it  
If you're hungry and you know it, eat your food (Yum, Yum)

If you're thirsty and you know it, drink your milk (Sign Drink and Sign Milk)  
If you're thirsty and you know it, drink your milk (Sign Drink and Sign Milk)  
If you're thirsty and you know it, and you really want to show it  
If you're thirsty and you know it, drink your milk (Sign Drink and Sign Milk)



Drink

Milk

## Reminders:

May 12<sup>th</sup> - Mother’s Day  
May 20<sup>th</sup> -Victoria Day - **Centre closed**  
May 29<sup>th</sup> - Kim, the librarian, is visiting our room!

- \*\*Please wash the bottoms of the infant’s indoor shoes to help keep them clean.
- \*\* Please go through your child’s extra clothing and add items for the warmer weather.