



Preschool 1

January 2019 Calendar

Important Date:

New Year- January 1st (Centre's Closed)

Children's Experiences

Making Playdough



How Does Learning Happen?

How Does Learning Happen? sets out a shared understanding of children, families, and educators.

Reflecting on these views about children, families, and educators in the context of the early years environment is a starting point for developing programs and practices to support learning.

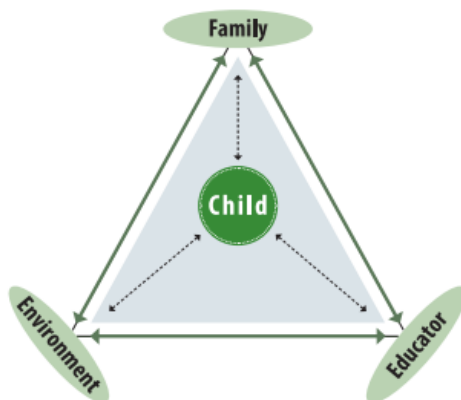


Figure 1. Learning and development happens within the context of relationships among children, families, educators, and their environments.

<http://www.edu.gov.on.ca/childcare/howlearninghappens.pdf>

Skills we will be Working On

Math Skills

- Create and repeat simple patterns
- Seasons Summer, Spring, Winter and Fall
- Master counting numbers 1-15

Motor Skills

- Practice fine motor skills by using scissors
- Practice using our pincer grasp when printing
- Standing on one foot for a period of time

Science Skills

- Discover colours and what new colours are made when mixed together
- Cause and reaction when liquids mix together

Social Skills

- Practice waiting our turn and/or saying excuse me when wanting to speak to others
- Working towards understanding how to play a two or more person game
- Understanding how to cope with defeat and error when being involved in a game

Pre-reading Skills

- Pronunciation of sounds R, S and T
- Attempting to spell our own names using our nametags

Self Help Skills

- Continue practicing fasteners (eg. zippers, buttons & snaps), putting boots/shoes on
- Remembering to adjust clothing at different times during the day eg. After washroom and outdoor time