

Oct/Nov/Dec ~ 2015



Preschool has begun for children 3, 4 and 5 years of age this September 2014 and we are really excited for another year of fun and learning. We just want to remind parents to look at the "focus of the week" board for what their child will be learning for that particular week. Also, show and tell is completed every Thursday so they can work on their public speaking. With this in mind, it would be very helpful if parents would go over the item your child is bringing for show and tell and discuss how this item relates to the focus so they understand why they are bringing this particular item to share.

Also, we do post the new focus of the week every Monday morning on our Facebook page, Nannies Unlimited Child Center & Preschool Inc.



Pumpkin Patch

The Firefly class is going to the pumpkin patch Wednesday October 21, 2015 and the Ladybugs on Wednesday October 28, 2015. Please watch for the sign-up sheets. The children can if they wish bring money (.50) to purchase a small gourd to bring home however, it is not required.



The Halloween Party will be scheduled for Friday October 30, 2015 from

9-10:30 am. Children may wear their Halloween costumes if they so choose!

Please have your child come dressed in their costume that morning. Please remember to bring extra cloths to have them change into later.



Please remember that the Center DOES NOT promote violence so keep your costumes neutral.

Your child may bring candy if they wish to share with others.



Parking

Entrance ~ Exit

To prevent accidents from occurring in our parking lot we would like to review that the entrance to the parking lot is on the east end closest to the Center and the exit is at the west end of the parking lot located by the vans/garbage

receptacle. Please remember there are people walking with children to and from vehicles/building and would ask that you slow down and be cautious especially during the morning drop off and evening pick up times.

Holiday Schedule



Closed

Thanksgiving & the Day



After,

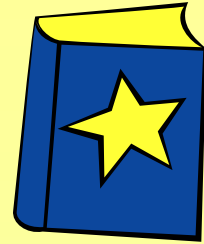
Thursday November 25,
and Friday November 26,
2015.



Wednesday December 25,
2013



Friday January 1, 2015
New Year's Day Closed.



Books

If you have any "unwanted" children books at home we are always looking to replenish our supplies! The children love to read and look at the pictures. Although we have a large library for our teacher's to use during their reading~preschool time we also have books in each room the children can independently pick up and read. Since children are just learning how to respect books, they do at times become "unreadable". These are the books we would like to replenish. So, if you are looking to reduce some of your supply at home we would love to have them! Please bring them to the office so we may "log" them into our system!

Thank You!



Policy & Procedure Reminders!

Sign In:

Children must be signed in and out by their parents **and** escorted to their room when arriving and leaving the center.

Diapers

Infants and/or children attending the center whom require the use of disposable diapers and/or training pants will have a personal supply brought from home. That supply will be marked for identification. Parents will be required to bring one container of diapers and one container of baby wipes during the first Monday of each month. The Nannies will let the parent(s) know during the month if more diapers are needed.

State Funding:

Just a reminder for those individuals who receive state assistance for childcare; you are only allowed 4 (four) absences monthly which the State Department will pay for. If you go over the 4 days in one month time you will be responsible for the

payment beyond those 4 (four) days.

Cubbies:

Please remove all unnecessary items from your child's cubby at least weekly, preferable daily. The cubbies get so full your child has a difficult time placing their preschool items in them to show mom and dad

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

Mark your calendars! The preschool class (Ladybugs & Fireflies) will present their Christmas Program Thursday December 17, 2015 at 4:00 p.m.



If you have access to extra paper the children can use for arts & crafts

or for the children to be creative with we would love to have it. We need to restock our supplies. In the past we have had parents whose work place throw away paper that has been barely used. This type of paper would be perfect for those creative minds and refrigerator art. Thank you!



Christmas Parties:

On **Monday December 21, 2015**

the children will be having a Christmas party within their rooms this year. There will be fun and laughter, games, music, dancing and a holiday celebration. If you would like to donate a gift/toy to the center you may, however this is NOT mandatory. We would like to thank all of our parents who have been so giving to the Center. We appreciate each and every item donated. The children benefit greatly from those gifts and therefore it is a great help to the Center.

THANK YOU!





Outdoor Play

Outdoor play is an important part of our daily curriculum as weather permits. It is important for parents to provide the appropriate clothing and outerwear for the weather conditions (e.g. Coat, snow pants boots, gloves etc...) Trees often shelter our playgrounds from the sun however we will apply sunscreen to the children when temperature/weather in the summer/spring warrant. During the winter months, the building provides some shelter from winds however; children will need hats, mittens and coats (at a minimum). The Nannies Unlimited Child Center and Preschool Inc. checks weather conditions routinely.

With winter

Official Wind Chill Factor:

The Nannies Unlimited Child Center and Preschool Inc. frequently checks the wind chill factor. Children **do not** go outdoors when the temperatures are below 20 Degrees. Children will be dressed for outdoor play according to the weather conditions.(ie hats, gloves, mittens, boots, snow pants, coats etc...)

General Policy:



Teachers will plan at least 1 hour of outdoor play each day as weather permits. Depriving children from outdoor playtime is detrimental to children's health especially in recent medical studies showing concerns about increased childhood obesity and excessive sedentary activities.

Our policy states that if a child is well enough to be at the Center then they are well enough to go outdoors.



REMINDERS:

~PAYMENTS ARE DUE EVERY Monday PRIOR TO closing time, 5:30 P.M., UNLESS OTHER ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE.

~THERE ARE LATE CHARGES OF \$10.00 FOR LATE TUITION PAYMENTS. PLEASE INCLUDE THIS FEE WITH YOUR PAYMENT MADE AFTER Monday.



~ FOR RETURNED CHECKS FOR INSUFFICIENT FUNDS THERE IS A \$30.00 CHARGE OR BANK CHARGE.

~ IF YOU NEED TO PLACE Food/MEDICATION IN THE KITCHEN REFRIGERATOR, PLEASE TAKE IT TO YOUR CHILD'S ROOM WHERE THE TEACHER WILL MARK IT WITH IDENTIFICATION AND PLACE IT IN THE KITCHEN REFRIGERATOR. CHILDREN ARE NOT TO GO INTO THE KITCHEN AREA! THIS IS FOR THE HEALTH AND SAFETY OF ALL CHILDREN AND THEIR PARENTS.

~PLEASE NOTIFY THE CENTER OF ANY CHANGES IN YOUR ADDRESS OR PHONE NUMBER WHETHER IT IS WORK OR HOME SO WE MAY KEEP OUR RECORDS CURRENT FOR THE SAFETY OF YOUR CHILD.



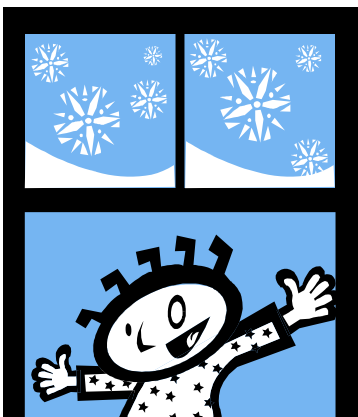
LITTER!

We need your help! We have noticed a lot of pop cans, garbage, cigarette butts and litter in our parking lot. Children try and pick up any and all things to investigate! This is not safe or healthy. Please try and keep our parking area clean and safe for the children and our patrons. **THANK YOU!**



Autumn/Winter Clothing

Cooler weather is rapidly approaching! Ugh! With this in mind we want to encourage our parents to dress their children accordingly. Just a reminder, if the child is well enough to be at the Center, the child is assumed well enough to go outdoors. We have policies and procedures in place to determine if the weather conditions are acceptable for outdoor play.



Thank You!

Ms. Vickie and I would like you to express our appreciation to all of our parents and family members for your encouragement and support this past year. We truly have enjoyed having your child here at our Center and feel honored to be your chosen Daycare/Preschool.

Your business is very much appreciated, and we will do our very best to continue to meet your childcare needs.

Your continued patronage and suggestions are a vital part of our growth. And for that, we are most grateful.

Thanks again! We look forward to serving your family for many years to come.

Ms. Vickie & Ms. Cindy



Watch for the next Nannies Unlimited Child Center and Preschool Inc. newsletter January 2016. If you have any questions or comments please feel free to contact us (515) 264-8288 ask for Ms. Cindy or Ms. Vickie.