



THE EARLYON UPDATE

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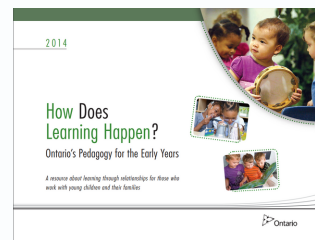
LEARNING NEVER STOPS!



Pictured above is Ms. Darlene and Ms. Shannon from Talbot Trail EarlyON, bringing circle time outdoors for their Water Wednesday Play!

"In addition to providing physical benefits, active play outdoors strengthens functioning in cognitive areas such as perception, attention, creative problem solving, and complex thinking. Through active play and physical exploration, children gain increasing levels of independence, learn to persevere and practice self-control, and develop a sense of physical, emotional and intellectual mastery and competence."

-How Does Learning Happen Ontario's Pedagogy for the Early Years, 2014



Our EarlyON Facilitators are always looking for fun and new ways to bring EarlyON outdoors. Building on Talbot Trail EarlyON's, "Explore the Outdoors" curriculum, every Wednesday through the summer they will be at Captain Wilson Park for "Water Wednesday!" Join them outside as they expand early learning and development.

THE OUTDOOR CLASSROOM

Let's explore all the fun ways we can extend our learning to the outdoors! Pack your sunscreen, swimsuit, a towel, along with a change of clothes and meet one of our many different EarlyON Centre's outside!

Brock: August 19th Outdoor Games and Songs

Harrow: August 15th Painting with water, August 18th Bubble Play

Holy Name: August 18th Maidstone Splash Pad, August 22nd Nature Walk, August 26th Essex Splash Pad

Lakeshore: August 5th & 26th River Ridge Park and Splash Pad

Lassaline: August 19th Fontainebleau Park and Splash Pad at 10am

M.D. Bennie: August 22nd walk to Henry Park 9am to 10am and 2:30pm to 3:30pm, August 24th Seacliff Park at 9:30am

OLPH: August 19th Outdoor Play, August 24th & 31st Water Play Outdoors

Princess Elizabeth: August 30th Realtor Park and Splash Pad

Sacred Heart: August 25th Toddy Jones Park 9am to 12pm

St. Pius: August 26th McAuliffe Park 10am to 11:30am

Talbot Trail: Water Wednesday at Captain Wilson Park

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GET SCHOOL READY WITH EARLYON



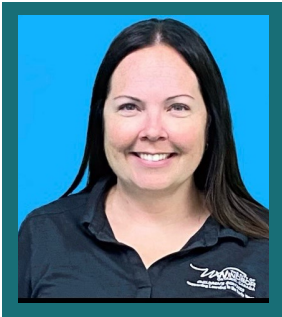
Is your little one getting ready to go to school or daycare in September? Help ease that transition and make school fun by practicing some of these helpful tips!

- Build independence by having your child practice getting dressed on their own.
- Practice using lunch Tupperware by putting snacks inside and have your little one open it.
- Start that back to school night time routine early, so that the "new" bedtime isn't drastically different.
- Take walks around their new school, so that your child is comfortable with their new surroundings.
- Involve your child in the back to school preparation by asking them for their opinion when buying school supplies.
- If your child will need to take a school bus, reach out to the bus company or school to set up a time for your little one to get familiar with this part of their new routine.
- Make school a positive discussion.



MEET OUR FACILITATORS

Get to know our facilitators from our virtual programming. When you are unable to get to in-person programming, join Ms. Jenn and Ms. Sandy online for some EarlyON fun from the comfort of your own home!

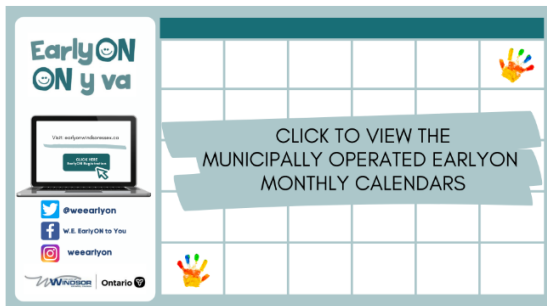
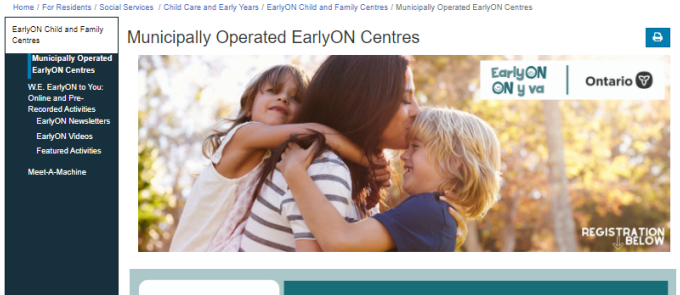
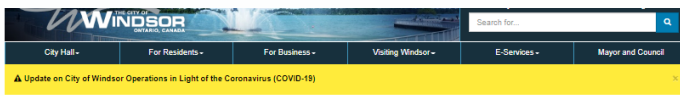
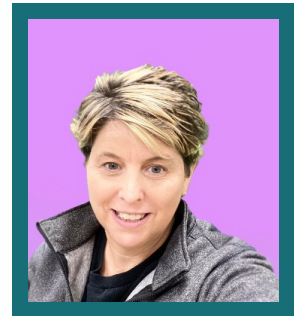


Ms. Jenn is an EarlyON CFC facilitator who is currently working on the virtual team. One of her favourite things about working in EarlyON is building relationships with the children and their families. She loves meeting new individuals and appreciates the unique perspective that each child and adult brings to the classroom.

Her very favourite books to read at circle time, both virtually and in person, are "Mortimer" by Robert Munsch and "There's a Dragon in Your Book" by Tom Fletcher.

Ms. Sandy is currently working on the EarlyON Virtual Team. She loves to build relationships with families and take part in the learning journey that each child and family goes through during the early years.

Her favourite books to read are "Pete the Cat I Love My White Shoes" and "Pete the Cat and His Four Groovy Buttons" by Eric Litwin.



Take a look at what our Municipally operated EarlyON Centre's are doing this month by visiting our website! earlyonwindsorsex.ca

