



Don Valley East, Parkway Forest, and Flemingdon Park EarlyON Centres ~ December 2020 Virtual Programs Listing ~

ZOOM PROGRAMS:

Baby Rhymes and Songs (Zoom) – For families with children from birth to 18 months of age (ONLY)

On Wednesdays for 2 weeks in a row: December 9 and December 16 from 1pm to 1:30pm

This parent and baby Zoom program will provide opportunities for you to interact with your baby and strengthen the bond with your child through rhymes and songs. Seat your baby on your lap and bump up and down; do some tickling rhymes and have fun; and, enjoy some finger plays and action rhymes. This program will run for two weeks in a row. **Register for Baby Rhymes and Songs by clicking**

here: <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/baby-rhymes-and-songs-tickets-130704632073>

Winter Songs and Rhymes (Zoom) – For families with children from 18 months to 4 years of age ONLY

On Thursdays for 2 weeks in a row: December 10 and December 17 from 1pm to 1:30pm

In this parent and child Zoom program, we will celebrate winter and the upcoming holidays together. This program may include songs, rhymes, finger plays, movement and a story. We invite you to sing, move, dance, and read along with your children at home. This program will run for two weeks in a row. **Register for Winter Songs and Rhymes by clicking here:**

<https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/winter-songs-rhymes-tickets-130689986267>

Family Circle Time – Let's Celebrate (Zoom) – For families with children from birth to 6 years old

From 10:30am to 11am on the following dates: Monday, Dec. 21; Tuesday, Dec. 22; Wednesday, Dec. 23; Thursday, Dec. 24; Tuesday, Dec. 29; Wednesday, Dec. 30; and, Thursday, Dec. 31

Let's join together and celebrate the season with singing, dancing, and music! In this parent and child Zoom program, we will be celebrating the various traditions and holidays that are observed at this time of year through songs, rhymes, finger plays, movement, and stories. **Register for Family Circle Time by clicking**

here: <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/family-circle-time-lets-celebrate-tickets-130714062279>

Preschool Fun With Learning (Zoom) – For families with children from 30 months to 4 years of age ONLY

Wednesdays: November 25th, December 2nd, 9th & 16th from 10:00-10:45 am.

This four-week parent-child Zoom program will encourage children to learn while they play together with their parent/caregiver through interactive activities. Activities may include numeracy & literacy skills, opportunities for creative expression, and music and movement. Please note that you will be signed up for all four weeks and that we appreciate your commitment to the program. Spaces are limited and pre-registration is required. **REGISTRATION CLOSED; PROGRAM IS FULL**

Positive Parenting Sessions (Zoom)

Wednesdays: November 18 & 25, and December 2 & 9 from 10:30-11:10am

4-week program to discuss effective parenting strategies, skills, and resources in raising healthy and happy children. These parent discussion sessions will be led by our Family Support Workers.

REGISTRATION CLOSED

Toddler Fit & Fun (Zoom) – For families with children 18 months to 30 months (ONLY)

Tuesdays: November 24th, December 1st, 8th & 15th from 10:00-10:45 am.

This parent & child Zoom program will encourage families to join in some active movement that will involve a warm up, core fitness and cool down geared towards the developmental level of toddlers. Information will also be shared about the health and well being of your toddler. **REGISTRATION**

CLOSED: PROGRAM IS FULL

Family Circle Time (Zoom) – For families with children from birth to 6 years of age
Mondays from 10:30am to 11am (Nov. 23, Nov. 30, Dec. 7, & Dec. 14) OR
Tuesdays from 2pm to 2:30pm (Nov. 24, Dec. 1, Dec. 8, & Dec. 15) OR
Fridays from 10:30am to 11am (Nov. 27, Dec. 4, Dec. 11, & Dec. 18)

Since we can't be together to enjoy Circle Time with you and your children in our centres, we are going to bring Circle Time to you at home! This parent & child Zoom program may include songs, rhymes, finger plays, movement, and a story time. We invite you to sing, move, dance, and read along with your children at home. This program will be offered 3 different times a week and will run for 4 weeks. **REGISTRATION CLOSED**

Music and Movement (Zoom) – For families with children from birth to 6 years of age
Mondays from 2pm to 2:30pm (Nov. 23, Nov.30, Dec. 7, & Dec. 14) OR
Thursday from 10:30am to 11am (Nov. 26, Dec. 3, Dec. 10, & Dec. 17)

Join in this parent & child Zoom program to get active, move your bodies, and groove along to music at home with your children. This program may include dancing, singing, active songs, and a story time. We invite you to sing, move, dance, and read along with your children at home. This program will be offered at 2 different times a week and will run for 4 weeks. **REGISTRATION CLOSED**

OTHER VIRTUAL PROGRAMS:

Facebook Live Circle Time in our EarlyON @ Family Day Facebook Group

Family Day EarlyON Staff are offering a 15 minute circle time at 9am and 1pm from Monday to Friday on our private Facebook Group. The videos will be available for 3 hours after the session has ended. To join this group, click on this link: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/FDEarlyON/>

One-on-One Parent Support Sessions (Zoom or Phone)

Our Family Support Workers are available to support you through Zoom video or Zoom phone call. They can help you with any questions you have about your child's development, support you in managing challenging behaviours, connect you with programs and services in the city, and talk about any other parenting issues. To book an appointment between 9am and 4pm, Monday to Friday, please contact Fabiola Ortiz by phone at 647-638-7941 or by email at fortiz@familydaycare.com.

Storypark

Storypark is a secure, private online community space for our EarlyON Families. Our staff team is posting videos and resources every week including songs, stories, home-based activities, and parenting resources. Families have an opportunity to share their own ideas and comments as well. Families can access these resources anytime of the day. **If you are interested in joining in with other families on this community platform, please send an email to EarlyONadmin@FamilyDayCare.com.**

If you would like to be added to our email list to receive information about any future EarlyON programs offered by our centres, please email us at DonvalleyeastEarlyON@familydaycare.com