Don Valley East Parkway Forest EarlyON Child and Family Centres
~ December 2026 Program Calendar ~

FREE inclusive programs for families, caregivers, and their children (birth to age 6)

Contact Support Services: Staff are available to answer your questions about how to access our programs and services, parenting and child development, and other local services from **Monday to Friday** between **8:30am and 4:30pm at (416) 496-2601.** Outside of these times, please leave a message and we will return your call as soon as possible. You may also contact us by sending an email to DonValleyEastEarlyON@familydaycare.com

In-Person Programs: We are offering a mix of in-person drop-in and pre-registered parent-child interactive programs **(indoors & outdoors)** for families with children from birth to 6 years of age from Monday to Saturday. **Please bring indoor shoes/socks when attending indoor programs.**

One-on-One Parent/Caregiver Support Sessions: Our Family Support Worker can assist you with any questions or concerns regarding your child's development or parenting/family challenges, and can provide you with information and referrals to local programs/services.
To speak with our Family Support Worker, please contact Nancy at (416) 618—2970 or nalvarez@familydaycare.com

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Please note our Centres' Closure Dates for the Holidays:
Parkway Forest: December 25, 26, 28 and January 01
Ernest PS: December 25, 26, 28, & 31 and January 01
Flemingdon Park: December 25, 26, & 28 and January 01

All centres will remain open during the two-week holiday period, except on public holidays. Please refer to the centre calendar for holiday hours.

Wishing all of our families a very happy Holiday Season!!!

Friendly reminder to please bring indoor shoes and/or socks when attending our indoor programs, thank you!



FREE PROGRAMS for 0-6 years of age

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Don Valley Parkway Forest - 121 Parkway Forest Drive, Toronto, M2J 5H4
December 2026

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	**2**	**3**	**4**	**5**
NOTE: Schedules are subject to change **NOTE: Reminder to please bring indoor shoes/socks.**	**Better Beginnings Infant Program** 9:30-11:30am *(see pg. 5 for details)* **Baby Time** 1:00-3:30pm **Family Time** 5:30-7:30pm	**Festive Fun for Everyone** 9:00-11:30am *(registration required; see pg. 5 for details)* **Family Time** 1:30-4:00pm	**See pg. 6 for details** **Let's Get Outdoors** 9:30-11:30am **Open Door** 1:30-3:30pm *(No EarlyON Parking)* **Newborn Hearing** 9:00-3:00pm *(see pg. 5 for details)*	**Family Time** 9:00-11:00am **Open Door** 11:00-1:00pm	**Family Time** 9:00-11:30am **Open Door** 11:30-3:00pm
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21	**22**	**23**	**24**	**25**	**26**
Holiday Hours **Family Time** 8:30-11:00am **Open Door** 11:00-1:30pm **WoodGreen Community Services** 9:30-11:00am	***Holiday Hours*** **Family Time** 8:30-11:00am **Open Door** 11:00-1:00pm	***Holiday Hours*** **Family Time** 8:30-11:00am **Open Door** 11:00-1:30pm	***Holiday Hours*** **Family Time** 8:30-11:00am **Open Door** 11:00-12:30pm	**No programs** **Christmas Day**	**No programs** **Boxing Day**
28	**29**	**30**	**31**		
No programs **Holiday**	***Holiday Hours*** **Family Time** 8:30-11:00am **Open Door** 11:00-1:00pm	***Holiday Hours*** **Family Time** 8:30-11:00am **Open Door** 11:00-1:30pm	***Holiday Hours*** **Family Time** 8:30-11:00am **Open Door** 11:00-12:30pm	**Scan the QR Code to see our monthly calendar on your device**	

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Ernest PS - 150 Cherokee Blvd, Toronto, M2J 4A4
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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	**2**	**3**	**4**	**5**
NOTE: Schedules are subject to change **NOTE: Reminder to please bring indoor shoes/socks.**	**Family Time** 9:00-11:30pm **Baby Songs and Rhymes** 1:30-4:00pm *(registration required; see pg. 5 for details)*	**Open Door** 9:00-11:00am **See pg. 6 for details Let's Get Outdoors** 1:30-3:30pm	**Festive Fun for Everyone** 9:00-11:30am *(registration required; see pg. 5 for details)* **Family Time** 1:30-3:30pm	**Family Time** 9:00-12:00pm	***Centre closed*** **See Parkway Forest Indoor Schedule pg. 2**
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Flemingdon Park - 150 Grenoble Drive, Toronto, M3C 1E3
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PARTNERSHIP PROGRAMS

Better Beginnings Now with Lumenus Infants—Strong Start Early Parenting Programs (birth to 12 mos ONLY) Drop-in
Schedule: Parkway Forest—Tuesdays, Dec 01-08, 9:30am-11:30am
For more information, call 647-529-4511 or email asasani@lumenus.ca

Universal Newborn Hearing Screening with Surrey Place (by appt. only through Surrey Place)
Schedule: Thursdays, Dec 03-17, 9:00am-3:00pm
To make an appointment for your newborn, please call **1(833) 575-5437**
Or click the link: **https://www.surreyplace.ca/hearingscreening/**

DROP-IN INDOOR EVENTS

Family Seasonal Celebration ((or families with children from birth to 6 years of age ONLY) Drop-in
Come join us for this parent-child interactive fun-filled program of festive activities, singing & dancing! We welcome families to share their cultural holiday and winter traditions for this family celebration and to dress in any festive clothing you would like. We will continue to have open play and end off with a festive circle time! ***We'll be hosting a community potluck, and families are welcome to bring a nut-free dish to share.***

Schedule: Parkway Forest—Friday, Dec 18, 9:00am-1:00pm
Schedule: Ernest PS—Friday, Dec 11, 9:00am-12:00pm
Schedule: Flemingdon Park—Friday, Dec 04, 9:00am-12:00pm
***The events will follow the regular programming schedule for *Family Time* and/or *Open Door**

PRE-REGISTRATION INDOOR PROGRAMS

Parkway Forest Festive Fun for Everyone (for families with children from birth to 6 years of age ONLY)
Join Us for Three Weeks of Festive Family Fun! This 3-week parent-child interactive program invites families to come together and enjoy festive, hands-on experiences designed for all ages. The program will feature a variety of activities including cooking, sensory play, and art exploration, offering something special for everyone to enjoy!
Disclaimer: Families may only sign-up for one centre
Schedule: Parkway Forest—Wednesdays, Dec 02-16, 9:00-11:30am
Register: **https://pwf-festive-fun-dec-2026.eventbrite.ca**

Baby Songs and Rhymes (for families with children from birth to 18 months ONLY)
This three-session parent-child interactive program offers a group experience that is all about celebrating the joy of language while spending quality time with your baby. Participants will get to meet other families and pick up some playful new songs and rhymes to enjoy at home. Light snacks will be provided.
Schedule: Ernest Public School—Tuesdays, Dec 01-15, 1:30-4:00pm
Register: **https://eps-baby-songs-and-rhymes-dec-2026.eventbrite.ca**

Ernest PS Festive Fun for Everyone (for families with children from birth to 6 years of age ONLY)
Join Us for Three Weeks of Festive Family Fun! This 3-week parent-child interactive program invites families to come together and enjoy festive, hands-on experiences designed for all ages. The program will feature a variety of activities including cooking, sensory play, and art exploration, offering something special for everyone to enjoy!
Disclaimer: Families may only sign-up for one centre
Schedule: Ernest Public School—Thursdays, Dec 03-17, 9:00-11:30am
Register: **https://eps-festive-fun-dec-2026.eventbrite.ca**

Flemingdon Park Festive Fun for Everyone (for families with children from birth to 6 years of age ONLY)
Join Us for Three Weeks of Festive Family Fun! This 3-week parent-child interactive program invites families to come together and enjoy festive, hands-on experiences designed for all ages. The program will feature a variety of activities including cooking, sensory play, and art exploration, offering something special for everyone to enjoy!
Disclaimer: Families may only sign-up for one centre
Schedule: Flemingdon Park—Thursdays, Dec 03-17, 9:00-11:30am
Register: **https://fp-festive-fun-dec-2026.eventbrite.ca**

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DROP-IN INDOOR PARENT-CHILD PROGRAMS

Family Time (for families with children from birth to 6 years of age ONLY)

Join us for an opportunity where families can meet others and play interactively together in an enriched early learning environment. Also provided is circle time that includes songs, rhymes, finger plays, movement, and stories.

Schedule: *Please see calendar pages 2-4 for the scheduled days and times.*

Open Door (for families with children from birth to 6 years of age ONLY)
Families are welcome to join the centre to help strengthen relationships with their children as well as forming new connections with others in an enriched early learning environment. It is also a great opportunity to speak with our staff as they are available to provide you with supports, referrals, and resources.

Schedule: *Please see calendar pages 2-4 for the scheduled days and times.*

Baby Time (for families with children from birth-18 months ONLY)
This program focuses on infant development through play by transforming the centre to meet the developmental needs of infants. The age specific activities provided will include sensory, language and motor development with an interactive circle at the end of program. Throughout the program, parents and caregivers will be provided with information on infant development and care.
Schedule: Parkway Forest—Tuesdays, December 01-15, 1:00-3:30pm (See page 2 for details)

OUTDOOR PARENT-CHILD PROGRAMS

Let's Get Outdoors! - For families with children from birth to 6 years of age

Join us for some fun in the park! Come and explore the outdoors with our educators and other families. The program will include active movement, circle time, creative activities, and lots of fun outside. This program will be offered at three different parks (see list below).

> **Parkway Forest Park** - 80 Parkway Forest Dr, North York, ON M2J 1P2
Meeting Place: In the field park across from 25 Parkay Forest Dr
Schedule: Thursdays, December 03-17, 9:30-11:30am

> **Old Sheppard Park -** 101 Old Sheppard Ave, North York, ON M2J 3L5 (Brian Avenue/Old Sheppard Avenue)
Meeting Place: North west corner of the park in the treed area
Schedule: Wednesdays, December 02-16, 1:30-3:30pm

> **Flemingdon Park** - 150 Grenoble Dr, North York, ON M3C 1B9
Meeting Place: In the playground, beside the Flemingdon Park Community Centre
Schedule: Tuesdays, December 01-15, 9:30-11:30am

OUTDOOR Program —TIPS FOR FAMILIES

Natural Vitamin D 20 minutes of sunlight beats supplements for vital Vitamin D, your secret weapon against viruses!	**Program Time** Please know you are not obligated to stay for the entire duration of the program, stay as long as you like!
Fresh Air Fresh air is your ally in the fight against indoor bacteria buildup. Step outside and breathe in the crisp, clean air for a refreshing boost!	**Mental Health** Every season brings its own challenges, but embracing the outdoors is the key to boosting children's mental well-being—rain, snow, or shine!
Sleep The secret to healthy sleeping patterns all year round? Spending time outdoors! Embrace the great outdoors for better sleep!	**Stress** Find Relief in Nature: Spending time outdoors has shown to reduce anxiety in both children and adults.

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