

PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS

<p style="text-align: center;">Baby Time (birth-12 months)</p> <p>An interactive program where parents with infants (birth – 12 months) can learn more about how babies develop in their first year. You and your baby can have fun participating in a variety of activities that explore sight, sound, touch and movement. Please wear socks as shoes are not suitable in the infant room.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">*Baby & Me (birth-12 months)</p> <p>Are you 0-12 months old? Bring your parents to this educational program where they will have fun and learn. They can socialize with other parents, while discussing topics such as how you develop, how to keep you safe, healthy, and anything else they need to know about you. You will remain in the room to play with other babies (or have a nap). (Six week registered program) <i>Not offered January to March 2009 session</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Mother Goose (birth-12 months)</p> <p>Enjoy an <i>interactive</i> program with your baby. Emphasis is placed on rhymes, songs and stories, which help in the development of your baby’s communication, language and literacy skills. Please wear socks as shoes are not suitable in the infant room.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">*Infant Massage (birth-12 months)</p> <p>This program teaches parents massage techniques that can positively affect your baby health and strength your bond with your child. Registration is limited so please registered early to avoid disappointment. (Five week registered program)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">1:1 - Toddler Time (12-30 months)</p> <p>This program encourages children to express themselves using their creative and imaginative skills. Each child has a unique way of expressing him or herself through art. Parents and young artists are introduced to different materials and techniques each week. So Toddlers, let’s get messy, have fun, and make some “fridge-worthy” creations.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Move & Groove (18 months – 6 years)</p> <p>This program encourages children to express themselves through music and movement. They can be creative with rhythms, beats, sounds and dance. Come out and express yourself!</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">1:1 - Terrific Tots (31-48 months)</p> <p>An age appropriate program for 31 - 48 month olds to promote cognitive growth and enhance development. Children will be able to work on social, cognitive, language, physical, math and science skills with their parents/caregiver.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Circle Story Time (birth-6 years)</p> <p>This program provides early exposure to language, music and will help develop skills that improve a child’s ability to communicate, think things through and make decisions. Emphasis will be placed on building your child’s ability to socialize, listen and communicate with others.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Open Door (birth-6 years)</p> <p>The centre may be used at indicated times and dates on the calendar for Open Door, parents can interact with their child using the equipment provided. There will be no staff in the room and parent/caregivers are responsible for cleaning up.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Read & Play (birth-6 years)</p> <p>This drop in allows families to interact with their children birth to six years. Several activities are set up for children to explore new things. At the end of the program the librarian will have a circle story time with the children.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Family Time (birth-6 years)</p> <p>This program is for families with children up to the age of six. Great for grandparents, daycare providers or parents who want to bring more than one child to the same program. This non-structured program will allow you to interact with children at different activity centres.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">*Nobody’s Perfect (birth- 6 years)</p> <p>A weekly parenting workshop for parents with children birth-6 years. Topics focus on healthy parenting skills, how to create a safe home for you children, while discovering you strengths and abilities as a parent. In the meanwhile connecting with other parents for support and help.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">*Early Literacy Specialist</p> <p>An Early Literacy Specialist is available to discuss and answer any question that you may have about supporting you child’s learning.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">*Information Network Series (birth-6 years)</p> <p>A weekly <i>educational</i> program for parents of children birth to 6 years. Topics focus on healthy child development, parenting, discipline, and family issues, etc. Limited childcare is provided so please register early. (Weekly registration required please call for topic)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Peel Children’s Centre</p> <p>A Preschool Consultant is available to discuss and answer any questions parents may have about the behavioural development of their preschoolers. (Please call to book for an appointment)</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Ready To Learn (Birth-6 years)</p> <p>Each session children will engage in fun literacy activities, and parents will learn strategies to support literacy in the home. This program will be facilitated by the Early Literacy Specialist.</p>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; border-radius: 15px; padding: 10px; width: fit-content; margin: auto;"> <p>Program Funded By United Way Peel Manor (Intergenerational Drop In) Early Learning Lending Library (ELLL) Please call 905-452-1262 for more information</p> </div>	<p style="text-align: center;">REMINDERS</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Our Next Calendar: School Here I Come Program Family Math Baby & Me Sing n’ Stroll (Baby & Me)</p>

***Only Children within the specified age range may attend the programs.**