

We have entered the dreaded cold and flu season. For the health of all of the students and staff, please keep kids with cold or flu like symptoms at home. Additionally, if we have to call you to pick your sick child up, please arrive in a timely manner.

The weather is getting cooler, so please make sure that your child has a jacket in their cubby. We still stay outside in the afternoons even when it's a little chilly, so please make sure that something warm is available as we don't have any jackets or sweatshirts to loan out.

If your child participates in the Stardreams Dance program, they will be having their Holiday Dance Observance on either December 4th. Parents of students enrolled in Stardreams Dance are invited to attend. Please keep an eye out for additional information from the company in your monthly invoices.

We will be having a short Holiday Program at school on FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13th.

Times are as follows ---

Preschool Bears and Preschool Groovy Goldfish - 9:15am (Room 6) Preschool Tots Bumble Bees - 9:30am (Tots Room) Roly Polys - 9:30am (Roly Polys Classroom) Preschool Cobras and Pre K Funky Foxes - 10:00am (Room 6) Preschool Tots Caterpillars - 10:30am (Tots Room) Preschool Dragons and Pre K Excellent Eagles - 10:45am (Room 6) Preschool Tots Ladybugs – 11:15am (Ladybugs Classroom) Preschool Happy Hippos - 11:30am (Room 6) The Preschool, Pre K and Preschool Tots kids will sing a few short holiday songs and poems. Due to their age, The Roly Polys kids will have a more parent interactive experience. The programs will be around 20-30 minutes and will need to start *promptly* at their scheduled times. Please note that parking can be an issue so please plan to arrive on time so that you don't miss anything. The Holiday Performances will be held inside the classrooms, so due to fire codes, and the overall space of the rooms, we will only be able to accommodate **<u>2 ADULTS PER CHILD</u>**. Unfortunately, we have to be strict on this, so there are NO EXCEPTIONS. If you need to bring a younger sibling with you, they must be always held or next to you at all times. We appreciate your understanding. Happy Holidays!!!

Holiday Daycare this year will be December 23rd - January 3rd (Closed Dec. 24 & 25; Dec. 31 & Jan. 1). Holiday daycare is open to any student who would normally attend on days that we are open. Daycare will be mostly free play and classes may be combined based on the number of students attending and staffing. We are open regular hours (7:00am-6:00pm), Monday, Thursday & Friday, during the first and second week. The sign-up clipboards are hanging in the hallway near the fish tank, so if you haven't already, please be sure to sign your student up if they are coming to daycare. Students that are not signed up may NOT attend. If you need to make any changes to your sign-ups after the November 27th deadline, please let the office know so that we can take a look at the schedule and see what we can do.

Payment #5 is due on December 23rd which is during the Holiday Daycare. If you are not signed up for the ACH auto-debit and your child will not be attending daycare, or may possibly be absent<u>. we recommend that you pre-pay with a post-dated check</u> to avoid forfeiting the discount and/or getting any late fees.

Happy Holídays and Happy New Year!





The Learning Tree Staff would like to wish all our families a wonderful and healthy holiday season!

* Mrs. Silvia Mason - Director* Mrs. Kamika Paxton - Assistant Director

* Miss Jennifer Johnson - Pre K/PS Academics & Closing Teacher
* Miss Kareena Paxton - Pre K/PS Art & Science Teacher
* Miss Alicia Diaz - Pre K/PS Music & Movement Teacher
* Miss Silvia Ravelo - Pre K/PS Yard & Closing Teacher

* Mrs. Natalee Scott - Pre School Academics Teacher
* Mrs. Ruth Uribe - Pre School Art & Science Teacher
* Miss Realyn Fortin - Pre School Music & Movement Teacher
* Miss Gabriela Hernandez - PS/Pre K Floating Teacher/Substitute

* Miss Lauren Grant - Ladybugs Teacher
* Miss Emily Shimada - Ladybugs Teacher's Assistant
* Ms. Stacey Johnson - Pre School Tots Caterpillars & Opening Teacher
* Miss Marlen Corral - Pre School Tots Caterpillars Teacher's Assistant
* Mrs. Alyssa Guillen - Pre School Tots Bumble Bees Teacher
* Miss Jocelyn Poblano- Roly Polys Teacher
* Miss Haley Wakefield- Roly Polys Teacher's Assistant
* Miss Amy Johnson - Pre School Tots Teacher's Assistant

Miss Zarahy Martinez - Morning AideMiss Ava Durr - Afternoon Aide