

STRONGSTART BC Early Learning Centers

StrongStart Closures

- Feb 16** Non- Instructional Day
- Feb 19** Family Day BC
- Feb 29** Changing Possibilities for Young Children

JOIN US 5 days a week for play and learning!

I wish to share that effective Monday, January 29th, 2024, the Strong Start Centers in the school district will welcome families to attend any location up to five days per week on a first come first serve basis. We continue with a drop- in approach and we welcome twenty (20) children, and their respective adults (a max of one adult per child) daily. There will be an opportunity for parents/caregivers to provide feedback regarding this change later in the spring to gauge if any adjustments to scheduling are needed. Thank you for your continuous engagement.

From the art table at Skwo: wech

Stepping into the world of art and creativity together with your child means tuning our senses to the child and seeing the possibilities emerging through their hands. For a young child, “art is away of solving problems, conceptualizing the world and creating new possibilities” (Bentley, 2013, p3). Art means thinking though our senses, it is boundless, a sensory- rich language for learning.



Uplifting quote + song that illuminates:

“Love is that condition in the human spirit so profound that it empowers us to develop courage: to trust that courage and build bridges with it; to trust those bridges and cross over them so we can attempt to reach each other” – Maya Angelou

Inspiring song: “You Gotta Be” by Des`ree

Happening this month:

Connaught Heights StrongStart

- Feb 5** SWIS worker visit
- Feb 8** Kinsight consultant visit
- Feb 12** Librarian Visit

Queensborough StrongStart

- Feb 13** Talking about play with Ana Valle Rivera
- Feb 14** Librarian Visit
- Feb 21** Dental Hygiene Practitioner

Skwo: wech StrongStart

- Feb 13** Dental Hygiene Practitioner
- Feb 20** Talking about play with Ana Valle Rivera
- Feb 23** YMCA/ CCRR consultant visit
- Feb 26** Kinsight consultant visit

JUST B4 Preschool



**REGISTRATION
OPENS
on February 1st,
2024**

In its third funding year, Just B4 preschool program has proven to be an invaluable resource for our youngest learners. Transition into Kindergarten is a significant milestone for both parents and children alike, and our program is particularly designed to support a positive early learning experience and a smooth transition into Kindergarten.

Is your child born in 2020? This program is for you!

Just B4 preschool is build upon the foundation of play-based leaning, as children engage in play explorations, inquiry projects, visits to the Kindergarten classroom and the outdoors.

Registration opens February 1, 2024, at 10 am. Click here to register.

We are genuinely excited about welcoming your child into the Just B4 preschool. Together, let`s make the transition to Kindergarten an enriching and joyous experience!