



Foresight News

July 2024

Dear Parents

Well, it's July, and monsoon rains cannot come soon enough!! We will continue the learning-fun this month by exploring our oceans and investigating all things dinosaur!!!

***Please see our posted brochure for details.

Special Events

Independence Day:

We will be closed July 4th & 5th, 2024 (Thursday & Friday) in observation of the holiday. Have a safe and festive holiday break! See you on Monday!

Don't forget about the parade down town Thursday, July 4th at 9:00 a.m. -it is such a great community event!

Other News

Policy Change:

As of July 1, 2024 we will implement a new policy when a child is not picked up at their scheduled time (11:30, 12:30, 3:30, 4:30, & 5:30pm). There will be a late pick-up fee of \$10.00 if past the times above plus \$1.00 per minute until you arrive. However, we understand that occasionally a parent might be delayed due to an emergency, but you must call as soon as you know you won't make

pick-up time. This is an exception, and not the policy. When late it can cause anxiety to your child, put us out of ratio, and can result in staff needing to stay past their scheduled work time. Chronic late-pick up will jeopardize your child's schedule/enrollment and that is the last thing we want- we just want you to be on time for your child- they are excited to see you!!!

Sunscreen:

Please apply sunscreen on your child before coming to school. It should be a brand that has a high SPF 30+, and should be water proof/long lasting. More importantly, please send your child to school with a wide- brim hat/baseball hat, protective sunglasses, and A long sleeve sun protective shirt. We are fortunate that our back play area has a lot of shade, and hopefully the combined use of these sun safety items are effective for your child. If you have further questions please talk with Beth.

Enrollment and Withdraw Policy:

If you are now enrolled, we will assume you are continuing with us in

August unless we receive a withdraw notice by July 1st. If you wish to **change** your schedule for the upcoming Fall semester simply fill out a schedule change form ASAP and we will accommodate your needs to the best of our abilities. If you will be leaving, be sure to fill out a withdraw form at least 30 days prior to your child's last day of school. This will allow us to apply your deposit to your last full month of tuition. All forms are located in the tree shelves in the front entrance, or please ask for one at drop off or pick up.

Lunch Time Reminders:

Please be aware of choking hazards for your child's snacks and lunch. Do not put items such as hotdogs, uncut grapes, carrots, and popcorn, etc. Also, please do NOT send any meat that is still attached to a bone or tough jerky. We follow the standard of "if it fits down a toilet paper tube, it is a hazard."

FUSD School begins August 7th!

If you have not already requested to have your child stay the first week of August, unfortunately we do not have any available spots for that week. This is not often that we are unable to provide care for that week before FUSD starts due to all the new students starting our 2023 school year. Thank you for your understanding and hopefully this will allow you to find alternative care that week.

FLC Private Kindergarten

We wanted to make sure that all families are aware that our school offers private kindergarten. Our class size will be 15 students, so your child will continue to get the individual attention we can provide to prepare him or her for 1st grade. We follow the AZ kindergarten standards-if not exceed them. Please talk with Beth or Kori if you have any questions. Also, those children who might possibly be ready for kindergarten, but miss the entry date due to a later birthday should consider our private Kindergarten. There are some specific guidelines for private kindergarten enrollment that we would be happy to discuss with you if you feel your child would benefit from this placement. It has proven to be a very positive transition for our students!

Emergency and Evacuation

Procedures:

We do have emergency procedures in place specifically for Flagstaff's fire season and we are registered with reverse 911, so they will immediately inform Foresight of any local threats, which will help eliminate any mixed information on our end. It is also required (actually a law) that you or an authorized contact person can always be reached by phone at any time if we need you, **Please be sure you always give us any contact updates.

Our priority is your child's safety and security. Thank you.

Registration Fee and 2024 Tuition:

Annual Registration fees will be added to your account in August for those who will be continuing in the 2024-2025 program. We've also included a fall 2024 tuition sheet with rate updates.

Our Staff:

Whew.....

We have several staff leaving, so in chronological order. Jordan is moving back to the Valley to prepare for her new bundle of joy. Sam will be taking her place for the remainder of the summer. Kelsey Beard will be our new late day assistant. She is an NAU student and has been working with children at her family's swim school for years, and is looking forward to getting more experience with students on dry land. Ellie who has been on vacation most of the summer, will be officially leaving mid-July to move for husband to start law school. AT the time of writing this I am neck deep in interviewing possible candidates to take her place. Morghan will be here as our general assistant and sub for Jena until October. Then we will have another general assistant to hire.....and done.

Thank You So Much!!!!!!



Thought for the Month...

Life's most persistent and urgent question is: What are you doing for others???

-Martin Luther King, Jr.

Have a beautiful month-

Beth, Kori, Bere, Jena, Angie, Sam, Morghan, Ellie, Kelsey, Jessica

Fall school year:

***Starts Thursday,
August 1, 2024!***