



THE FAMILY TREE

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News from the Infant and Toddler Room

Hello Friends. Here we are in FALL!! YAY!! Football and fun and more fun!! This is my favorite time of the year. I am so glad to be able to share the time I have with your children. This month we will do art with LEAVES, stickers, glitter, texture art, all of the above. In addition we will use our large motor skills and go through tunnels and walk on a (very low) balance beam. Plus jump in and out of circles on the floor. We may even practice our marching!!! I hope you enjoy this month and thank you for bringing your children to my classroom. :-)

Angela Bunker,
Infant/Toddler Teacher

Dear Parents,

Please take 5 minutes and answer this survey for our agency. Your input is important to us, so we can better serve you. Thank you! -Kathy

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/DYM57LQ>

News from the Preschool Room

Welcome to Fall! The weather is gorgeous this time of year. In the classroom, we are going to talk about all the exciting changes happening outside. We will explore the leaves changing colors and falling to the ground, the temperature getting cooler and how the animals are preparing for winter. We have some fun stories and activities planned for October. See you at the Family Growth Center!

Beth Mannausa,
Preschool Teacher



What is the Family Growth Center?

It is a place for children to enjoy FREE drop-in childcare for children 6 weeks through 5 years of age. A nominal fee is charged to higher income families. **Family Growth Center** is a program of **Child Abuse Prevention Services**, which is a division of **Child and Family Charities**. Reserved childcare is available for children whose parents participate in parent classes at FGC. For more information on childcare call (517) 371-1347. **Parents may use our childcare services twice a week!!**

Our schedule:

Mondays-

East Lansing FGC

517-351-6641

1120 S. Harrison

East Lansing, MI 48823

(University United Methodist Church)



Tues-Wed-Thursdays

Mt. Hope FGC

517-371-1347

549 E. Mt. Hope

Lansing, MI 48910

(Bethlehem Lutheran Church)

DURING NON-FGC HOURS CALL (517) 371-1347 TO LEAVE A MESSAGE

October 2016 Family Growth Center Calendar

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
3 East Lansing FGC Drop In: 9:00-11:30 am Drop In: 1:30-4:00 pm	4 Mount Hope FGC Drop In: 9:00-11:30 am Drop In: 1:30-4:00 pm	5 Mount Hope FGC Drop In: 9:00-11:30 am Drop In: 1:30-4:00 pm	6 Mount Hope FGC Drop In: 9:00-11:30 am Drop In: 1:30-4:00 pm
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Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5
Grains: Cheerios Fruit and Vegetable: Bananas, Blueberries & Celery Protein: Yogurt, Sausage & Milk	Grains: Wheat Bread Fruit and Vegetable: Carrots & Fruit Cocktail Protein: Wow Butter & Milk	Grains: Cornbread Fruit and Vegetable: Apple Slices & Yellow Peppers Protein: Baked Beans & Milk	Grains: Wheat Roll Fruit and Vegetable: Pineapple & Green Beans Protein: Chicken Nuggets & Milk	Grains: Elbow Macaroni Fruit and Vegetable: Peas & Applesauce Protein: Cheese & Milk

Prepared by Robin Kennedy☺

Menu is subject to change.
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