

State Street Early Learning Center News July 2018 Edition



We are scheduling our State Street ELC **End of the Year** Celebration on July 19th 3:30pm – 5:00pm. Please come and join us for a fun filled afternoon of family activities for all!
More details to come this summer!



Please make sure your children have extra clothes in their cubbies. We'll have lots of water play activities outside this summer and sometimes children get wet!



SUMMER SWIM WILL START ON FRIDAY JULY 13TH! WE SWIM ONLY ON FRIDAY'S DURING THE SUMMER!

- PLEASE REMEMBER YOUR CHILD MUST BE AT SCHOOL BY 8:30am TO SWIM ON FRIDAY SWIM DAYS!
- Please make sure that your child has a bathing suit on under their clothes, a

change of clothes in a bag, and a towel all labeled with their name. Children must have all 3 items in order to swim.



Sunscreen/Insect Repellent

The State Street ELC asks that families apply sunscreen with UVA and UVB SPF 30+ before school. The staff will re-apply sunscreen prior to heading outside. The sunscreen that will be re-applied will have UVA and UVB SPF 30+. All children must have signed permission slips located in their file. The State Street ELC does not apply insect repellent. Should there be a warning regarding high levels of insects (mosquito's) the State Street ELC children will not be going outside.



- The last day in the SSELIC will be on Wednesday August 29th for children who will be moving onto the public school.
- State Street ELC will be closed on Thursday August 30th and Friday August 31st for our professional development /back to school days.



Get Important Updates from State Street ELC via the Remind Text Messaging App

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Remind is a free, safe, and simple messaging tool that helps teachers share important updates and reminders with students and parents. Subscribe by text, email or using the Remind app. All personal information is kept private. ELC staff will never see your phone number, nor will you see ours.

To join and receive information about emergency closures due to inclement weather and other reminders, text the following message @bcgcg7 to the number 81010

OR

If you have a smartphone, get push notifications.

On your iPhone or Android phone, open your web browser and go to the following link:

<https://www.remind.com/join/bcgcg7>

- ✓ **If your child will be late (after 9:00am) or absent, please call or email the Center to inform us of their absence.** We will call to inquire about your child if we are not aware of their planned absence.
- ✓ The best time for families to call the Center is during rest time daily (1:00-2:30pm) to inquire about your child's day directly with your child's teacher!

Never Leave a Child Alone in a Car; Not Even for a Minute!



Please reach out to Director Mary Spargo or Assistant Director Ann Venuti with any questions or comments. We value your feedback!

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State Street ELC Best Practices and Policies

Please read over the following and do not hesitate to ask if you have any questions.



- ✓ Please note: YMCA parking lot is ONLY to be used for YMCA participants who

are using the facility. Please do not park your car here if you are using public transportation as cars may be towed.

- ✓ State Street ELC is a locked building at all times. All enrolled families and staff have key fobs to access the building. **Please do not hold the door open for others.** Visitors MUST ring the doorbell and wait for an ELC staff person to answer. Remember, this policy is not rude, it's about child safety.
- ✓ **The center is open from 7am – 6pm we ask that all children are at school by 9am**