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Mission

Hillcrest Children's Center provides quality care for every child in an environment that focus on developing a foundation for a lifelong love of learning and respect for self and others. Hillcrest is a non-profit, parent-cooperative that believes quality care comes from a partnership between the home and school.

Philosophy

Children are cared for in a loving, safe environment surrounded by positive interactions where they develop feelings of self-esteem based on individual strengths and accomplishments. Learning is best achieved through play and activities that are designed to offer experiences in a variety of situations geared to the developmental needs of the child.

Needed Items

In trying to limit the amount of time and energy in getting all the required items for the 65 children we have in care every day we have created a new Needed Items process.

Teachers have a Needed Items form that they will fill out when your child is needing diapers, extra clothes, appropriate weather gear, and blankets. The office will use it when there is paperwork needed. It will state by what date the item(s) are needed. Parents will sign and take the second copy to use as a reminder.

If the items are not brought in by that date, you have two options. First is to leave and bring the item in that morning. The second is that we will provide the item at a charge of \$10 per item.

To get used to this new process, we will use the forms without charging the fees through August. The fees will go into effect starting September.

Birthday Policy

Families who desire to have their children celebrate their Birthday's at Hillcrest have two options. First is to request that Hillcrest provide a cupcake snack for the class to enjoy.

This allows us to use a recipe that can be eaten by most children who have allergies. The second option is for families to bring in store bought cupcakes, preferably in a smaller size.

No longer will we be able to serve homemade items.

Donation Request List

- Play dishes/tea sets
- Bowls large and small, preferably in sets of 2
- 8X10 picture frames
- Real non-poisonous Plants
- Fabric, Bathtime and Board Books
- Book Ends

Thanks to the families of Bruno, Cash and Elsie for their donations this month.