

Toddler Welcome Letter

September 2020

Dear Toddlers and Families,

Welcome to Miss Gina's Toddler class. I'm excited about the opportunity to get to know you and your children and I'm looking forward to a happy and productive school year.

Please send in the following items with your child on the first day of school. Please have all items labeled with your child's first and last name. Your child's profile sheet must be filled out and returned to school. This form is important because it lets me know about many important things about your child including any medical issues.

Diapers

You can send a full sleeve. They will be stored in your child's cubby.

Wipes

Sensitive skin or hypo allergenic. We share the wipes one container at a time until the entire supply has been used, then everyone will receive a note to send in wipes again.

Diaper Rash Cream

Change of Clothing

Shorts, t-shirt, bathing suit, and socks in Ziploc bags labeled on the outside with Child's name – Hair brush for girls,

One change of clothing long pants and long sleeve shirt, socks labeled on the outside with child's name

A Sippy Cup to stay and use in school.

A paint smock

Suntan Lotion

A Large Backpack

A Towel

Please try to limit the amount of toys being brought to school from home.

Please NO Converse Sneakers, they provide little or no support and are very difficult to get on toddlers feet.

Please supply lunch and snacks for your child. If possible please label snacks and lunch, we do have a microwave and will be able to heat your child's lunch if needed. Filtered water will be supplied.

We do realize how difficult it can be to leave your child with someone they are unfamiliar with and separation can be very challenging. Please remember to never sneak out on your child. Give your child a hug and a kiss and tell them that you love them and you will be back later. Then hand your child off to one of the teachers and leave. Remember the longer you linger the more upset your child will become. Separation anxiety can take up to two weeks, so be patient and keep to a strict routine. When your child realizes that mommy/daddy does come back that is when the crying stops. Please feel free to call me to see how your child is doing. If I can't get to the phone I will try to return your call, so please leave a number where you can be reached.

I look forward to spending many fun, happy and enriching days together. I can't wait to meet all of you!!!!

Love,
Miss Gina