

OUR MISSION

To provide loving and nurturing early childhood education environments for each child's living and learning. We instill a lifelong love of learning and foster the development of positive self-esteem through family oriented, developmentally appropriate programs centered on the individual needs and interests of the children we serve.

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To be community leaders in early childhood education by providing exceptional quality child care programs for the families we serve. Through innovation, continued growth and a passion for excellence, we will ensure that all of our children are intellectually, emotionally, physically and socially ready to enter Elementary school, and ready to navigate their educational journey.

Through our leadership, service and passion we will:

- Provide a secure, caring and enriched environment that promotes learning and the development of the whole child.
- Develop lifelong relationships, create partnerships with parents and enhance the quality of life for our families.
- Expand our business to strengthen our ability to benefit families and increase the number of children we serve.
- Support families in balancing their personal and professional lives by diversifying the programs we offer.
- Provide programs and environments that enrich the development of the children, promote respect for children and celebrate the joy of childhood.
- Enhance the communities in which we live by initiating and participating in community events.
- Focus our passion in caring for children into excellence in our programs.

OUR CORE VALUES

Trust *Respect* *Innovation* *Love of Learning* *Passion for Excellence*

PHILOSOPHY & GOALS

"What else in the entire world is as precious to us as our children?"

The Tottle Inn Children's Centre believes that all children should have the opportunity to grow, learn and develop to their fullest potential. We recognize and accept each child as a unique individual with their own strengths and challenges, and having their own rate of growth and development. To assist all children in achieving their potential, our teaching team is committed to knowing the children individually, how they grow, feel and interact, which enables our educational team to plan appropriate experiences and curriculum. We believe all children have the right to feel safe, physically and emotionally. Children also have the right to express their ideas, creativity and feelings naturally and freely.

From this philosophy, we present the following goals for our Preschool Program:

- Assist the child in acquiring expressive (speaking) and receptive (listening) skills necessary for thinking and solving problems.
- Assist the child in developing visual discrimination and auditory perception skills necessary for interpreting the world around them.
- Assist the child in developing gross and fine motor skills necessary for maximum participation in the physical aspects of life.
- Assist the child in acquiring interpersonal (self-care) skills necessary for achieving independence and emotional security.
- Foster the development of positive self-esteem and a sense of belonging within each child.
- Assist the child in the formation of stable, caring relationships with their care providers and peers.
- Assist the child in the development of problem solving and negotiation skills as well as an

awareness of equal opportunity and justice.