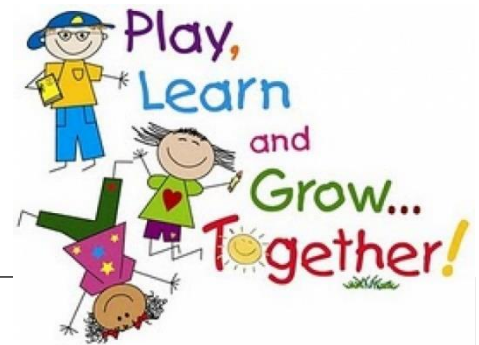


# SACRED HEART DAYCARE AND LEARNING CENTER FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER



## Weekly Themes:

A couple of weeks ago, we implemented weekly themes. The kids are having a great time and really enjoy them. The first theme was "sound and movement." Children made a different musical instrument each day. They listened to a variety of music from around the world. They had a dance party to end the week! They also focused on the letter A and the number 1. Last week, Valentine's Day was the theme. They talked about giving their hearts to Jesus, learned about St. Valentine, and made different heart themed crafts. They learned about where their hearts are on their body. They had a Valentine's Day party on Thursday. They focused on the letter B and the number 2. Next week (February 18-22<sup>nd</sup>), they will focus on dental health. They will get toothbrushes donated from Dr. James and Abby Merz from Kobza Dental will visit them on Friday. Every day, children sing and dance and enjoy centers with their friends. They love to read books!



## Policy Reminders

If your child is not going to attend daycare on their scheduled day, please call the center (402.245.3385) by 8 AM, or as soon as you know, even if it is the night before. You can call the center and leave a message at any time. You can also text Lana at 785.850.8490. This will help us plan activities for the day.

When your child does not attend daycare, you must let the director know the reason. If it is a communicable illness we are required by the state of Nebraska to record this in case of other cases breaking out. We assure you that we are taking extra measures to disinfect and clean! We are ready for spring!



## Illness Policy

If your child is too sick to attend daycare, please keep him/her home. There is no "sick room" at the center and the best place for a child to recuperate from an illness is at home. If your child is sent to daycare with any of the below symptoms, or develops them during the day, he/she will be sent home. Unfortunately, there are no refunds for days that your child does not attend daycare. There are still costs associated with each childcare spot each day. **Symptoms:** Fever of 100 degrees or greater, green drainage from nose, chronic coughing, rash that isn't treated, pink eye, excessive diarrhea, vomiting, lice or nits.

The attached sheet is our current illness report. If your child becomes ill, a staff member will fill out the form to inform you of what is going on.

**FROM THE DIRECTOR:** If you ever have any concerns, please don't hesitate to visit with me. My office door is always open. I am working hard to make this best daycare possible for our staff and children. We are blessed with great families and employees. I appreciate the warm welcome that you have given me. Together we will work towards achieving our mission: a family educating the heart, mind, body, and spirit for this life and the next. If you know of someone looking for childcare, please send share our information. The best referral comes from our current families. **Lana Hullman Phone: 785-850-8490 or Email: [ljhullman@hotmail.com](mailto:ljhullman@hotmail.com)**