November 2026

Feeling Under the Weather?

If you have cold symptoms, please take care of yourself at home and join us again when you have been symptom-free for at ***least 24 hours.*** *Your health—and the health of our community—matters!*

Yonge Eglinton EarlyON Child and Family Centre

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
EarlyON Baby Drop In Ages 0-18 Months 10:00am - 1:00pm **EarlyON Small Hands, Big Skills!** Ages 18 Months-4 Years 2:30pm - 4:00pm ***No Program November 9th***	**EarlyON Family Drop In** Ages 0-6 Years 9:30am - 3:00pm	**EarlyON Baby Drop In** Ages 0-18 Months 10:00am-1:00pm **EarlyON Family Drop In** Ages 0-6 Years 2:00pm - 5:00pm ***No Program November 11th***	**EarlyON Family Drop In** Ages 0-6 Years 9:30am - 3:00pm	**EarlyON Family Drop In** Ages 0-6 Years 9:30am - 1:00pm	**EarlyON Family Drop In** Ages 0-6 Years 10:15am - 1:00pm

In November, all programs will run on a drop-in basis. Drop-In programs do not require pre-registration, but program capacities will still be met and there is a risk it could be full at busy times. To book a 1-on-1 consult or if you have any questions or wish to be added to our EarlyON e-mail distribution list, please contact our EarlyON Program Coordinators at 416-392-0511 ext. 246 or e-mail familyprograms@yongeeglintoncc.com.

November Program Updates

- **Small Hands, Big Skills: Building independence through play. New Program! Mondays 2:30pm – 4:00pm**
- **No EarlyON Programs *Monday, November 9th* due to staff training.**
- **YECC will be closed on *Wednesday, November 11th* for Remembrance Day.**
- FoodShare staff will visit us on **Monday, November 16th** at 10:00am to discuss **"Baby Foods Basic"**
- Alice from Toronto Public Library (TPL) will visit the program on **Thursday, November 19th**, for a special circle time at **11:00am**.
- YECC EarlyON will host a **"Parenting Without Perfection"** Workshop on **Thursday, November 26th** at **5pm**. **Registration Required.**

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EarlyON Baby Drop In! – Mondays & Wednesdays, 10:00am - 1:00pm

For caregivers and their babies aged 0-18 months. Join us in a safe, inviting environment as we participate in free-play activities and early literacy activities for babies, such as reading, singing and hand rhymes. Time for socialization with other parents and caregivers.

No registration required. *No program Monday, November 9th and Wednesday, November 11th

Small Hands, Big Skills: Building Independence through play – Mondays, 2:30pm - 4:00pm

For caregivers and their children 18 months - 4 years of age. Little hands can do big things! Through playful activities like cutting, pasting, opening containers, cleaning, and dressing, children build confidence, independence, and everyday skills. Join us as we explore fun ways to support growing independence at home.

No registration required. *No program Monday, November 9th

EarlyON Family Drop In! – Tuesdays & Thursdays, 9:30am-3:00pm, Wednesdays, 2:00pm - 5:00pm, Fridays 9:30am – 1:00pm, Saturdays, 10:15am - 1:00pm

Play and socialize in a safe, relaxed, and supportive environment. Participate in open-ended activities, S.T.E.M activities and sensory play and then join us for circle time! Connect with a RECE to ask about resources and community programs**.**

No registration required. *No program Wednesday, November 11th

1-on-1 Consults with an EarlyON RECE – Virtual or In-Person

Have any questions or concerns about your child's development? Looking for resources in your community? Book time to speak with one of our EarlyON Program Coordinators. **Registration required. To register please E-mail: familyprograms@yongeeglintoncc.com or call 416-392-0511 ext. 246.**

FoodShare Presentations – "Baby Food Basics" – Monday, November 16th, 10:00am

FoodShare staff will join us during Baby Drop-In to discuss baby feeding basics. A great introduction if your infant is going to start solids!

No registration required.

Visit from the Toronto Public Library (TPL) – Thursday, November 19th, 11:00am

Join us during Drop-In for a special visit from Alice, a librarian from the Toronto Public Library! She will share early literacy tips, discuss current and upcoming programming at the Northern District branch, and join us for circle time. **No registration required.**

Parent/Caregiver Workshop – "Parenting Without Perfection" - Thursday, November 26th, 5:00 pm - 6:15pm.

Join us for a supportive conversation about letting go of unrealistic parenting expectations, reducing comparison, and embracing "good enough" parenting with self-compassion. Facilitated by **Caroline Dsouza,** an experienced psychotherapist who supports children, youth, adults, and families.

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Program Reminders

- **No shoes in the EarlyON space –** *socks or indoor slippers only.*
- **Nut-free environment –** *no snacks with nuts; no hot drinks in the space.*
- **Cellphones –** *no photos/videos of other children and staff***;** *please* ***AVOID use of phones*** *and* ***DO NOT make calls or Facetime while in program.***
- **Supervision –** *parents/caregivers are responsible for their children's safety. Please do not leave your child unattended.*
- **Doors – please *close and lock*** *when entering or leaving.*
- **Stay home if you or your child are sick or have new/worsening symptoms.**

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