








StrongStart Weekly Calendar

April 28~ May 1, 2008

This is a rough draft as emergent planning is based on the children and families who attend each day.

Week Day	Learning Center Invitations	Snack	Group Time Activities	Dramatic & Creative Play
<p>Monday April 28th</p> <p>11 am- 2 pm</p>	<p>Fine Motor Lady bug lacing</p>  <p>Quiet Learning Peg board</p> <p>Skills: <i>Practice patterning, counting and shape recognition with your child</i></p>	<p>Kiwi, grapes, and pineapple with granola bars</p> <p>Water to drink</p>	<p>Library Book Exchange 11:10 am</p> <p>Gym 11:55 am-12:30 pm</p> <p>Afternoon Circle 1:30 pm</p> <p>Join us for stories, and play a hands-on game that teaches children about their five senses.</p>	<p>Art Animal Shapes</p> <p>Water play</p> <p>Bubble Blowing</p>  <p>Block Area <i>Construction theme continued</i> -tools -hardhats - earth movers (trucks) -puzzles</p>

<p>Tuesday April 29th</p> <p>11 am- 2 pm</p>	<p>Science Let's make a wormery</p>  <p>Art Shoelace painting</p>	<p>Crackers with tuna</p> <p>Water to drink</p>	<p>Gym 11:25 am -11:55 am</p> <p>Afternoon Circle 1:30 pm</p> <p><i>In preparation for our upcoming dental program we will be learning about self-care through activities and felt board stories.</i></p>	<p>Dramatic Play Pet Store</p> <p>Art Popsicle painting</p>
<p>Wednesday April 30th</p> <p>9 am- 12 pm</p>	<p>Craft Hungry worm weaving</p> <p>Quiet Learning Animal Puzzles</p> 	<p>Pita with hummus and Greek salad</p> <p>Water & juice to drink</p>	<p>Gym 9:10 am- 9:40 am</p> <p>Pet World is bringing some of their furry friends for a visit. Come and learn about these animals and share some cuddle time with them.</p>	<p>Dramatic Play Pet Store</p> <p><i>We will talk about what kind of houses animals live in, food they eat, and toys they play with etc.</i></p> <p>Art Make your favorite animal masks</p>

<p>Thursday May 1st</p>	<p>Craft Make fruit loop necklace</p> <p>Social Studies Mother Earth Continued</p> <p>Art Last chance to learn about Oolican's and make an Oolican drying rack.</p>	<p>Make your own smoothie with frozen fruit, yogurt, and juice.</p> <p>Water also available</p>	<p>Gym 9:10 am-9:40 am</p> <p>Baby Tip <i>During gym time, lay your toddler on a large bouncy ball and gently roll back and forth. This will help your child develop balance and stronger neck muscles.</i></p> <p>Afternoon Circle 11:30 am</p> <p>Local First Nations Role model will be coming share language and songs with us.</p>	<p>Pretend Play Miniature Pet Store with animal figurines</p> 
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Upcoming Dates:

- May 2 & 3, Historical Fair at Heritage Park
- May 5, PALS will focus on Storytelling. All *StrongStart* families are encouraged to come.
- May 10, Early Years Fair at the Arena
- May 21, Join us at 8:45 am to be part of our panoramic school photo

Note:

Please remember to bring a copy of your child birth certificate to complete the registration process. This information is required for PEN numbers and to enter attendance reports to the Ministry of Education. Thank you.

Northern Health will be offering a free dental program here at *StrongStart*. If you are interested in the Fluoride Varnish program, parental support and education please fill out the parental consent form and return it as soon as possible.

Have a Good Week!

~ Coordinator Amanda Annibal