## **Parent Preference Update**

As a Child Care Center it is important to us that we are meeting the informational needs of our families. Each family will receive a monthly calendar or newsletter outlining the curriculum set for the following month by the classroom teachers. You will also receive a monthly newsletter from the Director listing upcoming events, holiday closures, educational information, special Center activities, such as our plans for the "Week of the Young Child", the "Family Events", and our annual "Charitable Fundraisers." We also post information about our center happenings on our website and Facebook page.

We realize that you are often inundated by the endless amount of paperwork you receive on a daily basis. We also have an obligation to be environmental friendly. Therefore, we will be using a Notebook Program to be utilized for children who are 2.9 years of age, through age 6. Each child will have an individual notebook that will be sent home each week. The notebook should be returned on the following Monday, in order for us to maintain this program. Your child's teachers will be writing individual anecdotal notes, along with personal observations regarding your child's learning experiences while at our Center.

The children participating in our Toddler Program, under the guidelines set by the State of Massachusetts, will receive Daily Up-Dates.

Your input in identifying your personal communication preference regarding your child's learning experiences is importance to us. Please take a moment to let us know if you prefer daily, weekly, bi-weekly up-dates, or will our Notebook Program be sufficient. Please keep in mind you can communicate daily with your child's teachers, either when your child enters the program or before you leave in the evening. We also encourage you to feel free to call your child's classroom teachers any day between 1:00 p.m. and 2:00 p.m. to discuss any questions or concerns that you might have regarding your child.

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Parent's Signature:	
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