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### UPCOMING EVENTS

### September 5

Holiday (No School)

# Parents Information & Communication

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# Child Development Center Newsletter



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HOME-SCHOOL-CONNECTION

### Facts About Sunscreens

If you spend time outdoors during daylight, you need to use sunscreen regardless of skin type, the sun's energy penetrates deeply into the skin and damages DNA of skin cells. This damage may ultimately lead to skin cancer. Children are especially susceptible to the harmful effects of the sun, so take extra steps to protect their skin and to prevent sunburns. Babies younger than 6 months should be kept out of direct sunlight because their skin is even more fragile.

All sunscreens products include an SPF, which stands for Sun Protection Factor. The SPF number is a measurement of the amount of UVB protection—the higher the number, the greater the protection.

To maximize protection, apply sunscreen liberally 30 minutes before going outdoors and reapply every two hours, or sooner as needed.

Avoid the sun between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. Because the sun's rays are strongest during these hours, try to schedule outdoor activities for other times of the day. Seek shade whenever possible. If you're unable to avoid being in the sun, limit the amount of time you're outdoors during these peak hours.

Wear tightly woven clothing that covers your arms and legs and a broad-brimmed hat, which provides more protection than does a baseball cap or golf visor. Also, consider wearing clothing or outdoor gear specially designed to provide sun protection.

Resource: www.bing.com/health article

Hold me, love me, praíse me so, teach me, hug me, watch me grow



### Parents:

If you would like the staff to apply sunscreen on for your child, please make sure to fill out the "Permission Slip".

Thank you





I have been working with Family Services for five years and teaching preschool for one year. I currently hold a Bachelors degree in Accounting and a Site Supervisor Permit in Early Child Development. From 1992 to 1999 I was enlisted in the USMC Reserves. I do plan to furthering my education and obtaining a Masters Degree in Early Child Development. My two children and husband have helped me every step of the way in becoming a Preschool Teacher. I have enjoyed learning from the children in my classroom as much as they are learning from me.