## GREAT LAKES CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER Welcome to Preschool

Welcome to the 2023-24 school year at Great Lakes Child Development Center. I am Miss Carol and I'm very excited to start the new school year with your children.

I have completed my certification in Early Childhood and have earned my CDA. I have been teaching preschool here at GLCDC for the past 15 years.

Our preschoolers will be exposed to a variety of learning experiences including languages (Italian and German) and special classes such as art and library. In our preschool classroom we will be enriching students through various subjects including math, language arts, science and social studies. If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to call during the school day (586-268-8500) or leave me a note and I'll call you back.

I look forward to working with you and your child to make this a very memorable year. Enclosed with this letter is a preschool daily schedule and a school supply list.

Thank you,

Miss Carol

## **Preschool Daily Schedule**

- **7:30-8:30** Arrival, breakfast, independent play in learning centers
- 8:30-9:00 Learning centers and restroom
- 9:00-9:30 Morning group and large group
- 9:30-10:00 Learning centers and small group activities
- **10:00-10:20** Wash up and morning snack
- 10:20- 10:45 Learning centers, small group activities, restroom
- **10:45-11:15** Outside play time (weather permitting)
- 11:15-11:30 Come inside, wash up, prepare for lunch
- 11:30-12:15 Lunch and wash up
- 12:15-12:30 Restroom
- 12:30-2:30 Rest time
- **2:30-3:00** Independent reading, restroom and wash up for snack
- 3:00-3:20 Afternoon snack
- **3:20-4:00** Learning centers
- 4:00- 4:30 Large Group and restroom
- **4:30-5:00** Outside play (weather permitting)
- 5:00-5:30 Come inside, wash up, and get ready for dismissal
- \*Children are able to use the restroom at any point needed

## **Preschool Supply List**

2 boxes of <u>8-count large crayons</u> (please no jumbo size)

1 ream of copy paper (white) - used for daily work

Refillable water Bottle- Make sure to label water bottles with name and water only please daily

Normal Size Back Pack- Please send in daily

Please write child's name on all items.

An extra set of clothing, including socks and underwear in a large zip-lock bag. Please write your child's name on each item of clothing and on the bag. Also, an extra pair of shoes to leave in back pack

We will be using cots for nap time. Please send in a crib sheet and blanket for rest time.

If potty training, send in Velcro pull ups. No Diapers please.

\*Please make sure your child wears closed toe shoes to school every day (no crocs)

## <u>Thank You!!!</u>