



*December 1st, 2021*



Here is a quick note of Courtyard happenings and reminders!

- Staffing – It has been a FULL TWO MONTHS since we have felt the need to update parents on staffing. Whew! That felt good! We have again hit a point where the number of applicants are extremely low, and of course it is illness season! 😊 We are not super concerned yet, however, we wanted to give parents a heads up that if we continue to have a high number of illnesses and very few new teachers, there is a chance that we will struggle a bit.
- If you know of anyone looking for a job, please remember to refer them to us! We are pretty cool to work for.
- As we move into the cooler temps, please remember to bring a coat for your child. *IF YOUR CHILD'S NAME IS NOT WRITTEN ON THEIR ITEMS, WE WILL WRITE IT IN THERE FOR YA.* We try to keep everything organized; it helps when items are labeled.
- We have a LOT of fun Christmas plans. Please check out our website to find out more about our Christmas program!
- We are looking for someone to bake sugar cookies for our Christmas party. The kids will be decorating them. Please contact Christa if you are willing to assist with this task.
- Thank you for all you have done. We are excited to finish up 2021 and kick off 2022! *THANK YOU.*



We are green when we have adequate staffing.



We are on yellow when we are concerned about staffing, however, we are going to see how it goes.



We are on red when we are extremely concerned about our ability to staff the center.

- Backup Plan – When we are on “RED” please continue to have a backup plan should we ever need to send kids home. If we have to quarantine a string of teachers, or if an illness runs through the center, we will not have teachers for every classroom all day. Be prepared.
- Absences – When we are on “RED”, please remember to let us know in advance of planned absences.