

POLICY OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

It is very important to inform the teachers to update your address, telephone numbers, emergency contacts, etc., each and every time there is a change.

First Aid Requirements: All staff educators must hold First Aid Certification as per; Part 3, Division 1, Section 23 - First Aid” of the “Community Care and Assisted Living Act CHILD CARE LICENSING REGULATION” [Last amended June 1, 2020 by B.C. Reg. 118/2020]

- 23 (1)A licensee must ensure that children have at all times immediate access to an employee who
 - (a) holds a valid first aid and CPR certificate, provided on completion of a course that meets the requirements of Schedule C,
 - (b) is knowledgeable respecting each child's medical condition, if any, and
 - (c) is capable of effectively communicating with emergency personnel.

MISSING CHILD EMERGENCY:

All teachers are dedicated to the care, security, and individual attention needed by all the children. They are familiar with all the Preschool policies and procedures, and realize the great importance of adhering to them. Even though the Preschool has never had a child go missing, it is extremely important to outline an emergency procedure, to try to alleviate any fears this frightening experience could entail, for all involved in our preschool environment.

DISASTER / EVACUATION EMERGENCY (such as earthquake, flood, gas leak, fire):

In the case of any emergency requiring the building to be evacuated, the children would be moved out, without taking the time to put on outdoor clothing or footwear. Educator will practice drills with children on a monthly basis.