



## FORESIGHT NEWS

August 2025

**Dear Parents,**

This month we will be exploring the Animal Kingdom. Discovering animal characteristics, habitats, and much more!

In addition to our theme activities, we will begin letter and sound lessons, numeral and number activities, geography skills, practical life skills, cooking, scientific exploration, music, and introductory Spanish.

### Special Events:

**Monday, August 4<sup>th</sup>:**

**Welcome!!** First day of fall semester!

**Monday, Sept. 1<sup>st</sup> Labor Day:**

Foresight will be closed. Have a safe and happy holiday weekend!

**Our annual Fall special events: TBD**

### Other Foresight News:

#### Our Front Entry:

The sign-in tablet and some parent information are located on the counter in our entry room. We ask that if you are waiting to pick up your child at 11:30 or 3:30, please wait in this room to chat with other parents (& to minimize disturbances to the front classroom)

**Also, you are required by ADHS to sign-in and sign-out your child before entering the second entrance.**

**Please do not share the code with your children, do not let them enter the buttons, or hang on the door handle.** It is a rather expensive system and should not be included as part of your child's routine to enter the school.

Thank you for your cooperation!

#### Your Account:

Please remember there is an annual registration fee in August.

We understand that the cost of things keeps rising. We are trying our best to help as much as we can, so we have postponed our tuition increase until January 2026 (when minimum wage goes up again). We will send out the new rate increase and keep you informed of changes as they get closer.

Also, we are enclosing a standard registration policy that needs to be initialed, signed and returned to Kori ASAP. Tuition is due on the 5<sup>th</sup> of each month.

### **Arrival Time and Pick-up Time:**

Please have your child here 10 minutes before his or her scheduled time. Late arrivals can be very disruptive to the classroom, the teacher's lesson, and can upset children who have difficulty seeing parents come and go. Also, we will be enforcing our late fee charge of \$10.00(for each child) for every 5 minutes you are late. See enrollment/tuition fee sheet for entire policy. We understand that situations occur occasionally, but late pick-up will result in additional fees to your account. This policy is to guarantee that we stay in ratio, children are not waiting (which can cause anxiety) and teachers are not required to supervise children during their prep time, lunch time, or break time. Thank you for your consideration of our staff.

### **NAEYC Family Website**

[www.families.naeyc.org](http://www.families.naeyc.org) is a great website for parents! It provides a monthly newsletter, and it is full of research-based information on children's learning, development and best practices in preschool during the health crisis. There are answers to many questions you might not even know you had!

### **Parent Suggestions??**

Please feel free to send us an email or call the school with questions, concerns, and suggestions. Also, we have a parent suggestion box located on the front desk. This is just one way we can communicate,

address concerns, and find solutions together. Please feel free to use it at any time! Also, know that Beth's door is always open to discuss any concerns, issues or questions regarding our program.

### **Bathroom Accidents:**

Please provide a change of clothes in your child's backpack in case of a bathroom accident, we have some clothes for emergencies, but most children are more comfortable in their own clothes. If your child does have an accident, please be sure to get your child's soiled clothes from the hamper in the boy's bathroom. **All soiled clothes will be disposed of every Friday at 5:30 PM.**

### **Contact Information:**

It is required by law that we can contact you or someone local if there is an emergency involving your child. If we do not have a contact number while your child is at school, we are forced to call DCS-Department of Child Safety in case of emergency (the last thing we want to do). This means if you are out of town for the day, or you give us numbers that are not accurate you put us (and your child) in a very uncomfortable position.

### **Foresight Communication:**

We will continue to send all communications via e-mail, the Playground app, monthly tuition, newsletter, special events, closures, holidays, and daily routines. **Please be sure that our emails go to your**

*inbox and you have notifications turned on for the Playground app.* We also have our outside display cabinet at the entrance with lesson plans and reminders. Lastly, you can put our website as a favorite on your computer [www.Foresightlearningcenter.com](http://www.Foresightlearningcenter.com) or like us/follow on Facebook and Instagram.

**Foresight Events Calendar:**

E-mailed with your newsletter is the 2025 -2026 calendar of events, so please make note of special events, school closures, and sudden schedule adaptations. Don't hesitate to contact Beth or Kori with any questions regarding policies or our school schedule.

**Labeling your child's personal items:**

Please be sure to write your child's name on their water bottle and on the outside of their snack/lunchbox. Any personal items should be labeled. It helps staff find items more quickly and eliminates staff from needing to remember what personal items look like (all 58 students), and sometimes students have the same item.

**Snack/Lunch Reminders:**

With all of our new students starting, we are attaching our food policy as a reminder for snacks and lunches. Please be sure to look it over and know that we have your child's very best interest at heart. We are following the best practices set by Quality First and NAEYC.

**Staff:**

Most of you know Isabelle left in July to head to the Grand Canyon with her boyfriend while he starts his new job as a 2<sup>nd</sup> grade teacher. Jaime has been our morning general assistant and will continue in that position and helping out in other positions until NAU starts back. She has been a real-life saver during a few staff gaps. Mikah will be returning and will be our morning assistant for the remainder of the school year. We feel very fortunate to have returning staff and teachers who are so dedicated and kind.

*Peace and Love,*

**Beth, Kori, Bere, Jena, Mikah, Lilly, Sam G., Jaime, Annie, and Sam S.**

**Thought for the Month:**

*Be kinder than necessary, Always.....  
Unknown*

**\*\*\*Documents included:**

- Standard Registration policy
- Parent Observation of Child

**Please return ASAP!**

Also included:

2025-26 Calendars  
2025 Class schedule