



FORESIGHT NEWS
September 2025

Dear Parents,

This month we will focus on the development of positive self-concept. We will be learning about ourselves: feelings, emotions, families. We will also learn about friendship and making good choices. We will discover how we are alike and different and how each of us is very special!

We will also be studying magnets, electricity, and simple tools. We will explore different sources of electricity. We will discover how simple tools work and how they help us in everyday life. We will also experiment with magnets, use a compass, and test magnetic pulls. In addition to our theme activities, we will begin letter and sound lessons, numeral and number activities, geography skills, practical life skills, cooking, and scientific exploration.

Special Events

Monday, Sept 1st. Labor Day: - Foresight will be closed. Have a safe and happy holiday weekend!

Other Foresight News

Your Child's Independence

One of the most important things we as parents and caregivers can do for

our children is encourage and support their independence. When coming and going into school, please allow your child to **walk** into the building and **carry** their own belongings.

Having appropriate expectations of self-care for your child is an easy way to promote self-confidence and positive self-esteem!!!!

Let's Stay Connected!!!

Please be sure to follow us on Instagram and Facebook. We are working to be sure to post as much as we can about what the students are busy doing!

Also know that you can call us and talk anytime! If you are newly enrolled (or have attended for a while) and would like to visit your child's classroom, be a volunteer, or just want to get to know your child's teachers/routine better we can set up a time for you to come into the school. Talk to Beth or Kori if this is something you would like to do!! We want everyone to feel connected to your child's learning environment and to be secure in your choice to attend Foresight!

ALSO, please turn on notifications for the Playground App. We use this for much of our communication,

and it is necessary you see it in a timely manner.

Diapers and wipes:

It is the responsibility of parents in the preschool room to provide diapers and wipes for their child. Parents receive notifications via Playground when each child is running low. We will be updating our policies to include a \$5 per day fee for students who do not have these supplies(\$5 for diapers/\$5 for wipes, \$10 for both). This policy goes into effect September 1, 2025.

School activities stay at school:

Please return any items that might leave the school with your child. We often have educational materials that fit nicely into a pocket. We have spoken to the students about the importance of respecting items that belong to our school and others. We would appreciate it if you could do the same as a family.

When Your Child is Absent:

If your child is going to be absent from school for any reason, please give us a call or enter it in the Playground app. This helps with classroom planning and attendance.

Your Child's Schedule:

One of the most important parts of your child's day with us is the group circle lesson that opens and closes each class. Please be sure to have your child here a few minutes before their scheduled time so that they can get the most out of our program. It

is such a great way to help your child feel part of the group and get the most from our curriculum! If arriving after the start of class is unavoidable (which we completely understand), please wait until circle time is over, to avoid interrupting the teacher's lesson. We want to alleviate any stress to our students. **This is especially true of the preschool room where emotions can run high when a parent enters/leaves and can result in lots of tears for those students with separation anxiety. Thanks for your help to make this a great experience for everyone.

Parent Suggestions:

If you have any suggestions about ANYTHING, we are always open to hearing them! Feel free to call, email, or send a note with any suggestions, concerns, questions regarding your child/school policy. **If it is the weekend, we will get back to you on the following Monday.

Successful Lunch time:

We ask that you avoid including unhealthy snacks, candy, sugary drinks. We would appreciate it if you could save **meat sticks/jerky** for home; both are high risk choking hazards. If you have any questions, please talk with Beth or Kori. Also, please be sure your child's name is clearly written on the outside of his/her lunch box and that the lunch box is not in their backpack. Also, please avoid sending lunches in plastic grocery sacks. These are suffocation

hazards and are not allowed to be in the cubie area.

Payments and Fees:

Please remember that payments are due by the **5th** of each month, unless other arrangements have been made with Beth or Kori. There is a **\$30.00 late fee** for payments received after the 5th and /or balances not paid in full. This policy will be enforced starting September 1st . Thank you!

Sign in and out EVERYDAY OR... Pay \$5.00 dollars when you don't.

It is required by ADHS that you sign your child in & out daily with a **legible signature**, and when you don't it puts our licensing in jeopardy for closure and fines. That is why we are forced to put this policy into effect. We would rather put our focus on your child, instead of constantly checking and correcting incomplete attendance forms!

Foresight Spoons:

Occasionally we loan out spoons for children to use in their lunch/snack. If you have ANY of these spoons that have accidentally come home, please be sure to send them back to us. Also, it tends to be easier (if your child needs a spoon) to send one in their lunch box.

Children's Belongings:

Please remember to label all of your child's belongings before school (lunch boxes, backpacks, jackets, hats, etc.). We have permanent markers and/or tape so if you need any help just ask a

teacher. We just want to make sure that your belongings are returned to you!

Eating in School:

When coming to school in the morning, please be sure that all eating and drinking is done before coming in. If they need to finish eating, you will need to sit with them until they are finished. We do not allow students to walk around with food in their mouths for obvious safety reasons. All eating gets done while sitting in a chair.

Foresight Staff:

We want to welcome Adrienne Clendenning to our staff. She will be our new late-day assistant. She is an educational major and is very excited to get more experience with preschool friends and other education professionals. She will be taking Annie's position, because Annie's schedule is limited this semester, but she will still be on the sub list-yeah!!! Also, we are very happy to have Mikah back as our general assistant.

Peace and Love -

*Beth, Kori, Bere, Jena, Lilly, Sam G.,
Sam S. and Adrienne*

Thank you...

-Glynn family for the school supplies!

-Sophia S. for bringing in tadpoles during our amphibian lessons!