

# Toddler One Group

# April 2 - 13, 2018

# Theme: In Our Neighborhood



## Cognitive Development: Our goals are to:

- talk about the different places we see in our neighborhood.
- talk about the important jobs people in our neighborhood do.

Vocabulary words: neighborhood, doctor, nurse, heartbeat, stethoscope, firefighter and police officer.

### Art: Each child will:

- Decorate a doctor kit cutout using band-aids, popsicle sticks and gauze pads.
- Make a police car using paint and his/her foot.

#### Gross Motor Skills:

- Hopping on one foot, then both feet.
- Throwing and catching a ball.

#### Centerwide Fun:

- Toddler One will be transformed into a doctor's office. The other groups will come to our room to "get a check-up".
- Toddler One will visit the Greenhouse neighborhood stopping at the library, grocery store, bakery, fire station and post office.

### Language Development:

#### Books:

- Dr. Cat by Harriet Ziefert
- Clifford Visits the Hospital by Norman Bridwell
- Firefighter Ted by Andrea Beaty
- I'm Going to be a Police Officer by Edith Kunhardt
- Corduray Goes to the Doctor by Don Freeman

#### Music:

- Barney's "Growing" and "Hurry, Hurry Drive the Firetruck"
- Doc McStuffin's "Time for Your Check-Up"
- "This is the Way I Wash My Hands"

### Fine Motor Skills:

- Putting together puzzles.
- Pouring and scooping the sand in the sand table.

# Special Events:

- April 4<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> Matt the Music Man will be here at 10:30am to perform for the children.
- Saturday, April 7<sup>th</sup> Matt the Music Man Concert at 11:00am in the CCB - see flyer for more information.
- April 12<sup>th</sup> Pizza Lunch for \$3.50 your child can enjoy pizza, fruit and a drink for lunch.