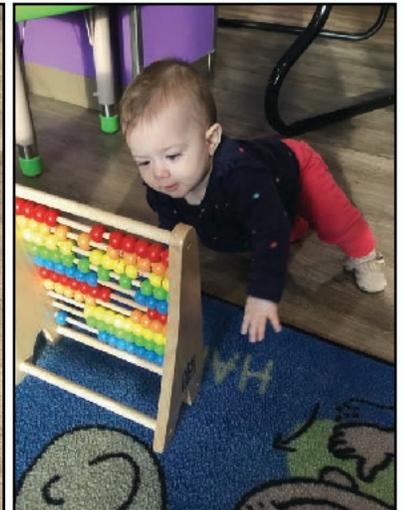




## Infants

This month infants will be working on fine motor skills. The reason being is because fine motor skills are very important for infants. We will use the following activities to help them with their skills. The first way we can improve their fine motor skills is tummy time. For infants like Mohammed and Olympia tummy time would help with their fine motor skills. Using a colourful toy to get their attention to reach using their back and neck muscles. Another way we help the infants improve on their fine motor skills is by hand over hand. For example, during lunch time we will encourage the children to hold their spoon with hand over hand. Lastly, we're helping the infants improve their fine motor skills by action songs.



Actions songs like, itsy bitsy spider and baby shark are great songs that encourage children to use their fine motor skills. In conclusion, In the infant room our focus of the month is fine motor skills as it is important for their development.

## Toddlers

The focus for the month of January will be understanding daily routines.

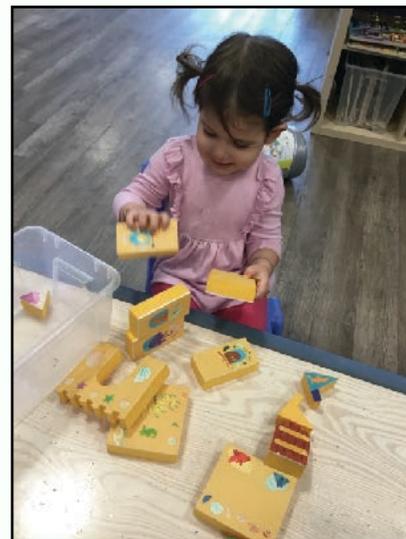
Setting up a schedule maybe hard for our toddlers at first, but they will become accustomed to it. The educators need to be patient. It takes time to become regular for kids. Some of the helpful strategies we practiced in our class, during circle time showing the kids pictures, icons, magnet flash cards about daily routine. The educator can explain like lunch time you have to eat to be strong, nap time relaxing your body. Circle time you have to sit on the carpet and listen to teachers. We give the kids a loud alert when we want them to do a task like we need them to tidy up, the teacher says loudly five more minutes to tidy up. At the beginning, they don't know what does that mean but they gradually understand how to act accordingly.

Songs also can help kids to learn and follow the routine like we need them to wash hand, wash your hand song is so cute our kids love it reading stories is beneficial to enhance vocabulary. During practicing, daily routine our kids develop their imagination at art time, cognitive with science experiment, and emotional, physical and social skills.



## Preschoolers

Greetings! We make the well-being of children our top priority. In the coming days we would be focusing on the Emotional Domain. Each child is unique and we want them to experience their own qualities. Henceforth, we would help them to notice their own abilities. Each child would be provided various opportunities to talk about their families, culture and what their interests are. We would be helping children to hone their self-esteem. Each child is on different developmental stage and our focus would be on providing individualized learning plan for them. We would encourage their efforts of judging themselves as worthy individuals. Modelling the expected behaviour would be our way of teaching. To sum up, we would be targeting on positive reinforcement to help our tiny friends grow holistically.



## Event Calendar



2021

New Year's Day –  
centre closed



Orthodox  
Christmas Day



Work Out  
Wednesday



Orthodox  
Christmas Day



Disney Day



Hat Day



Dr. Seuss Day



Opposites Day



Green Day

## Learning Fun

Winter can be a very adventurous time of the year, there are many activities we can do from the comfort of our own home that promotes endless learning opportunities. Here are some activities you can do at home during the month of January.

A cool science experiment for children would be watching crystals grow, this one should be monitored by an adult or set up by an adult, but the effects can be observed by children of all ages. You'll need a few things, but the end result is super cool and super fun!



Winter Science  
Snowflake Crystals

The second activity is something simpler and requires 2-3 items. Salt, white glue and food colouring (if you wish).



## Supervisor

Happy 2021! Hope everyone had a nice safe holiday.

Just a reminder we still have strict COVID-19 protocol in place, please inform your child's classroom or the office if you or your child is experiencing any symptoms.

Also, to ensure your child goes home with all belongings at the end of the day please call 5-10 min before arriving and we can ensure we have everything; Please see extension below:

289-444-5055

Infant-**5057**

Toddler 1-**5058**

Toddler 2-**5059**

Toddler 3-**5065**

Pre K1-**5061**

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# ★★★★★ Reviews



**Mary WM**  
Local Guide · 14 reviews



**Positive:** Professionalism, Quality, Reliability, Responsiveness, Value

My 2 year old daughter has been going to lullaboo heartland for about a year and a half now. She loves it there; so much so that she doesn't want to come home. She is excited to see her teachers every morning and comes home really happy. All the staff I've encountered there are very friendly and caring. The facility coordinator Andrea does a great job of running the facility. She's very responsive to phone calls and emails and provides updates about what's going on at the centre. They serve good healthy food there and my picky eater of a toddler usually eats well. The facility is clean and well maintained and they follow strict protocols related to covid. Overall I'm happy with the care my daughter receives at lullaboo and would happily recommend it to other parents looking for a good daycare.



**Sara Ibrahem**  
4 reviews



The best care centre !! I have tried two daycares and the same fees but no the same care at all .. the teachers are wonderful and the supervisor Miss ANDREA is amazing .. they replies to emails the same minute and do a lot of fun an nice activities for the children my daughter is so happy in her class specially Miss MARIAM she is really wonderful and of course Miss Jennie and Miss Judaea .. they care about their activities, health , and everything and the best thing the quantity of food they offer to kids my daughter is really a picky eater .. but they tried their best to let her eat it is really so amazing to have this kind of honest and love .. if i would i may rate this centre 100 star 🌟❤️🌸



**Nimesha Nguyen**  
1 review



**Positive:** Professionalism, Quality, Reliability, Responsiveness, Value

We started our twin girls at lullaboo in October in the toddler classroom and we were nervous as it was their first time in a childcare setting, but the staff at lullaboo were amazing during the transition to daycare especially during COVID . Our girls love going to lullaboo and they do so much with them! We were concerned about speech for the girls and after a couple of weeks at lullaboo, their vocabulary has greatly improved! I'm so grateful to the teachers for taking the time and making it the best experience for our children! We love reading the icare reports at the end of the day with pictures and how their day went, as well as the crafts that get sent home!! Lullaboo was the best choice for childcare that we made for our girls! A BIG Thank you to all the staff for going above and beyond during these unprecedented times! We are so grateful!



**odun fadayomi**  
1 review



**Positive:** Professionalism, Quality, Reliability, Responsiveness, Value

My son, Semi started in Lullaboo a few months ago from a home daycare to the centre. Choosing Lullaboo was the best decision. My son is a very picky eater so at first his eating was challenging but Andrea assured us he will be fed. They offered him several options just so he eats something which was great. They daily report was a blessing because I knew what happened in the day, from the report I knew what they learned and I can always repeat them at home and he loves that.

Now when we drop Semi off...he literally runs into his class...always so excited. He is more vocal and uses more words now..It melts my heart when I hear him say Mummy, Daddy with his tiny cute voice...lol.

Thank you Andrea, Chelsea, Mikayla...They know every single child by name just by seeing the parent at pick up and Semi's teachers...Ms.Harpreet, Ms.Iktemal, Ms. Trinh...We appreciate the care and attention. Semi is always so excited about daycare and that's because he knows he is loved.



**Tanya Martinovic**  
1 review



**Positive:** Professionalism, Reliability, Responsiveness

We've sent both our boys to lullaboo (heartland) and we have total peace of mind. The teachers are very caring and professional. Management and teachers are very quick to respond to queries or issues and most of all, my boys have been (older now in school) and are happy there!



**Meg T**



My daughter has been at lullaboo since May 2018 and absolutely loves it! She has learned so much and developed such a personality and I truly believe it is due to lullaboo and it's dedicated teachers taking the time to work with the kids and teach them every day. I am beyond happy with them. Such a great day care!



**Nawang Sherpa**



**Positive:** Professionalism, Responsiveness

Very friendly and lovely teachers. My son enjoyed everyday stay in this Daycare, and learned a lots skills and words in Preeschool.i Strongly recommend to other parents.

## Staff of The Year

I truly appreciate your feedback for our Staff of the year and would like to share with you this year's staff of the year! Ms. Maryam has been working at our Heartland campus since January of 2018. She was one of the first staff members at the centre to help open for new families. Ms. Maryam has always been extremely flexible, very patient and always welcoming to all staff and families. She always comes to work with a smile on her face and ensures all children and families are happy. During the COVID pandemic, Ms. Maryam returned to join our frontline workers to help with Emergency care for our families. Her diligence and willingness to help has always been the key to her success in being a great educator. Please help me in Congratulating Ms. Maryam as our 2020 Staff of the Year.



## Director

This year has been a challenge and nothing like we had imagined. I hope you find the joy in the memories you were able to create together with your family and children during quarantine. Whether they be life changing or humble, there were gifts and this year had gains I know we will benefit from in years to come.

As we head into the Christmas and holiday season, knowing that it will look a little different this year, we hope you are able enjoy a stress-free, anxiety-free holiday, in the company of your children. We hope you will continue to take little steps to ensure the emotional well-being of your self and your children.

Thank you so much for being part of our Lullaboo community. Our daily work with the children and delivering engaging educational content, and working with families in need of our support means so much. On behalf of all of us at Lullaboo we wish you a cozy and safe Christmas and holiday season with your loved ones. May your home be filled with all the joys of the season!

Together, we are enhancing the lives of children and their families by transforming education. Thanks to your partnership, this Christmas and holiday season.

I leave you with this quote-

***“There is no one giant step that does it! It is a lot of little steps.”***

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