

March Newsletter - Harvey

Director's Desk

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I would like to share IAFC Harvey Learning center creative curriculum to your children. Children learn best by doing, and learning isn't just repeating what some says: it requires active thinking and experimenting to find out how things work and to learn firsthand about the world they live in.

In the early years, children explore the world around them by using all their senses = In using real materials such as blocks and by trying out their ideas about sizes, shapes and colors, children begin to notice relationships between things. Play provides the foundation for academic or school success by helping children become enthusiastic learners. This means encouraging children to be active and creative as they explore their own ideas on the road to becoming independent, self-confident, curious learners.

You can help your child succeed in school build the habit of good attendance in the early years. Attending Head Start regularly (85 percent attendance is required) helps children feel better about school. It is the parent/guardians responsibility to call the school when their child will be absent.

You should keep your children home if the following symptoms are present

- Vomiting two or more times in 24 hours
- Body Rash, especially with fever or itching
- Three or more watery stool occurrences in 24 hours
- Thick mucus or pus draining from your child's eyes
- Fever with swollen glands
- Temperature of 100 F or more with sore throat, rash, vomiting or just not feeling well.

Any extended time off from school due to the reason listed above requires a doctor's statement to return to the program.



UPCOMING EVENTS - MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

3/1/19 through 3/8/19 | IMPACT returns

Monday | 3/4/19 | Parent Teacher Conference

(closed for children)

Wednesday | 3/6/19 | Parent Meeting and Mental Health Workshop (9 a.m.)

Friday | 3/29/19 | Professional Development (**closed for children**)