

# April 2018

## EarlyON Child and Family Centre Ajax

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Please note as of January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018, we have been rebranded and our new name is EarlyON Child & Family Centre.

**Ready, Set, Grow Checkup 2018**  
**EarlyON Ajax - April 18, 2018**  
**9:30 am. – 1:30 pm.**

This is a free drop-in time for parents to bring their children ages 0-6 years. This is an opportunity for you to ask questions about their learning, development and behaviour.

Professionals from various agencies in Durham Region will be present.

### **PLEASE NOTE:**

All of our programs require you to supervise your child (ren). Please remember to **tidy up** after yourself and encourage your children to help you. Enjoy the time with your children.



### **May 2018 Program Registration**

**\*\* to register please e-mail**  
**[earlyon.ajax@ymcagta.org](mailto:earlyon.ajax@ymcagta.org)\*\***

The May 2018 calendar will be available on **Monday April 16<sup>th</sup>**. Registration for May programs will begin on **Monday April 23<sup>rd</sup>**.

Registration will be accepted by phone or email. Space is limited. Registration begins at 9:00 a.m.

The EarlyON Child and Family Centre Ajax reserve the right to cancel a program due to low registration. The calendar may not reflect these changes.

### **Indoor Shoe Policy**

Please help us keep our Centres, outreach and hub locations clean by bringing in a pair of indoor shoes for yourself and your child(ren). Thank you for your cooperation!



### **Hot Drinks Policy**

Hot drinks are not permitted in any EarlyON Child and Family Centres, including outreach locations.



### **Illness Policy**




Please be aware of our illness policy.

If **you** or **your** child is displaying symptoms of illness, please return to the centre when symptoms have resolved or at least 24 hours after taking an antibiotic.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>1</p> <p>Hope you have a Happy Easter!</p> <p>Centre Closed</p> 	<p>2</p> <p>Easter Monday</p> <p>Centre Closed</p> <p>All EarlyON Child and Family Centres will be closed for staff training</p>	<p>3</p> <p>Play to Learn Dinosaurs 0 - 6 years 9:00 - 11:00 am</p> <p>Centre Closed For Community Agency Program 1:00 - 3:00 pm</p> <p><u>Focus on Infants</u> 0 - 12 months 3:30 - 4:30 pm</p>	<p>4</p> <p><u>Focus on Toddlers</u> 1- 2.5 years 9:00 - 10:00 am Durham Region Public Health Nurse available 9:00 - 11:00 am</p> <p>Play to Learn 0 - 6 years 10:30 - 11:30 am</p> <p>Centre Closed For Community Agency Program 1:00 - 4:00 pm</p>	<p>5</p> <p>Centre Closed For Community Agency Program 9:00 am. - 12:00 noon</p> <p><u>Focus on Infants</u> 0 - 12 months 1:30 - 2:30 pm</p> <p>Baby Play to Learn 0 - 18 months 3:00 - 4:00 pm</p> <p>4 Real - Youth Centre 5:30 - 7:00 pm</p>	<p>6</p> <p>Play to Learn 0 - 6 years 10:30 - 11:30 am</p> <p>Family Time All ages 1:00 - 3:00 pm</p>	<p>7</p> <p>Centre Closed</p> <p>Please visit EarlyON Whitby 250 Michael Blvd. 0-6 years 9:30 - 11:30 am</p>
<p>8</p> <p>Play to Learn 0 - 6 years 9:30 - 11:30 am</p>	<p>9</p> <p>Play to Learn Discovering Spring 0 - 6 years 9:00 - 11:30 am</p> <p>Family Time All ages 1:30 - 3:00 pm</p> <p><u>Focus on Preschoolers</u> 2.5 - 6 years 3:30 - 4:30 pm</p>	<p>10</p> <p>Play to Learn 0 - 6 years 9:00 - 11:00 am</p> <p>Centre Closed For Community Agency Program 1:00 - 3:00 pm</p> <p><u>Focus on Infants</u> 0 - 12 months 3:30 - 4:30 pm</p>	<p>11</p> <p><u>Focus on Toddlers</u> 1- 2.5 years 9:00 - 10:00 am</p> <p>Play to Learn 0 - 6 years 10:30 - 11:30 am</p> <p>Centre Closed For Community Agency Program 1:00 - 4:00 pm</p>	<p>12</p> <p>Centre Closed For Community Agency Program 9:00 am. - 12:00 noon</p> <p><u>Focus on Infants</u> 0 - 12 months 1:30 - 2:30 pm</p> <p>Baby Play to Learn 0 - 18 months 3:00 - 4:00 pm</p> <p>4 Real - Youth Centre 5:30 - 7:00 pm</p>	<p>13</p> <p><u>Focus on Toddlers (Inbetweeners)</u> 12 - 18 months 9:00 - 10:00 am</p> <p>Play to Learn 0 - 6 years 10:30 - 11:30 am</p> <p>Family Time All ages 1:00 - 3:00 pm</p>	<p>14</p> <p>Centre Closed</p> <p>Please visit EarlyON Whitby 250 Michael Blvd. 0-6 years 9:30 - 11:30 am</p>
<p>15</p> <p>Play to Learn 0 - 6 years 9:30 - 11:30 am</p>	<p>16</p> <p>Play to Learn Discovering the Weather 0-6 years 9:00 - 11:30 am</p> <p>Family Time All ages 1:30 - 3:00 pm</p> <p><u>Focus on Preschoolers</u> 2.5 - 6 years 3:30 - 4:30 pm.</p> <p>Pick up May Calendar!</p>	<p>17</p> <p>Play to Learn 0 - 6 years 9:00 - 11:00 am</p> <p>Centre Closed For Community Agency Program 1:00 - 3:00 pm</p> <p><u>Focus on Infants</u> 0 - 12 months 3:30 - 4:30 pm</p>	<p>18</p> <p>Play to Learn 0 - 6 years 9:00 - 11:30 am</p> <p>Ready, Set, Grow Check-up 0-6 years 9:30 - 1:30 pm. EarlyON Ajax</p> <p>Centre Closed For Community Agency Program 1:00 - 4:00 pm</p>	<p>19</p> <p>Centre Closed For Community Agency Program 9:00 - 12:00 noon</p> <p><u>Focus on Infants</u> 0 - 12 months 1:30 - 2:30 pm</p> <p>Baby Play to Learn 0 - 18 months 3:00 - 4:00 pm</p> <p>4 Real - Youth Centre 5:30 - 7:00 pm</p>	<p>20</p> <p><u>Focus on Toddlers (Inbetweeners)</u> 12 - 18 months 9:00 - 10:00 am</p> <p>Play to Learn The World and Me 0 - 6 years 10:30 - 11:30 am</p> <p>Centre Closed</p> <p>Please visit Whitby EarlyON 250 Michael Blvd. 0-6 years 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm</p>	<p>21</p> <p>Centre Closed</p> <p>Please visit EarlyON Whitby 250 Michael Blvd. 0-6 years 9:30 - 11:30 am</p>
<p>22</p> <p>Play to Learn 0 - 6 years 9:30 - 11:30 am</p> <p>Happy Earth Day!</p> 	<p>23</p> <p>Centre Closed for May registrations</p> <p>Family Time All ages 1:30 - 3:00 pm</p> <p><u>Focus on Preschoolers</u> 2.5 - 6 years 3:30 - 4:30 pm. Dur. Reg. Health Nurse visit today</p>	<p>24</p> <p>Play to Learn Recycle, Recycle, 0-6 years 9:00 - 11:00 am</p> <p>Centre Closed For Community Agency Program 1:00 - 3:00 pm</p> <p><u>Focus on Infants</u> 0 - 12 months 3:30 - 4:30 pm</p> <p><u>PJ's &amp; Pasta</u> All Ages 6:00 - 7:30 pm</p>	<p>25</p> <p><u>Focus on Toddlers</u> 1- 2.5 years 9:00 - 10:00 am</p> <p>Play to Learn 0 - 6 years 10:30 - 11:30 am</p> <p>Centre Closed For Community Agency Program 1:00-4:00 pm</p>	<p>26</p> <p>Centre Closed For Community Agency Program 9:00-12:00 noon</p> <p><u>Focus on Infants</u> 0 - 12 months 1:30 - 2:30 pm</p> <p>Baby Play to Learn 0 - 18 months 3:00 - 4:00 pm</p> <p>4 Real - Youth Centre 5:30 - 7:00 pm</p>	<p>27</p> <p><u>Focus on Toddlers (Inbetweeners)</u> 12 - 18 months 9:00 - 10:00 am</p> <p>Play to Learn 0 - 6 years 10:30 - 11:30 am</p> <p>Centre Closed</p> <p>Please visit EarlyON Whitby 250 Michael Blvd. 0-6 years 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm</p>	<p>28</p> <p>Centre Closed</p> <p>Please visit EarlyON Whitby 250 Michael Blvd. 0-6 years 9:30 - 11:30 am</p>
<p>29</p> <p>Play to Learn 0 - 6 years 9:30 - 11:30 am</p>	<p>30</p> <p>Play to Learn 0-6 years 9:00 - 11:30 am</p> <p>Family Time All ages 1:30 - 3:00 pm</p> <p><u>Focus on Preschoolers</u> 2.5 - 6 years 3:30 - 4:30 pm.</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;"><b>April 2018</b> EarlyON Child and Family Centre Ajax 75 Centennial Road (in the Ajax Community Centre)</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Hours of Operation</u> <b>Monday to Thursday:</b> 9:00 am. - 4:30 pm. <b>Friday April 6 and 13th, - 9:00 am - 3:00 pm</b> <b>Sunday April 8, 15, 22, 29, - 9:30 am - 11:30 am</b></p>				

# April 2018 Outreach Calendar

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat			
Centre Closed	Playday Monday McLean's Community Centre 10:00 am. -12:00 noon & 1:00 pm. - 3:00 pm. 0-6 years Indoor Shoes are required!  <b>*NO PROGRAM APRIL 2</b>	St. Andre Bessette Play to Learn 0-6 years 9:00 -11:15 am.  	Indoor Playground Audley Recreation Centre 10:00 am -12:00 pm 0 - 6 years Indoor Shoes are required!  <b>Musical Babies</b> <b>Ajax Main Branch Library</b> <b>0 - 12 months</b> <b>2:00 - 3:00 pm.</b> <b>&amp;</b> <b>3:30 - 4:30 pm.</b>	Play to Learn McLean's Comm. Centre Banquet Room B 0-6 years 9:30 -11:00 am.  <b>Stepping Stones</b> <b>St. Andre Bessette C.S.</b> <b>2.5 - 6 years</b> <b>(Priority is given to children starting school in Sept 2018)</b> <b>(9:00 - 11:00 am)</b> <b>Register at</b> <b>905-686-6466</b>  <b>Infant Massage</b> <b>0-12 months</b> <b>Ajax Main Branch Library</b> <b>1:30 - 3:00 pm.</b>	<b>Parent/Child</b> <b>Mother Goose</b> <b>McLeans Public Library</b> <b>10:15 am - 11:45 am</b> <b>0-12 months</b> <b>Program starts</b> <b>April 6 - June 8</b> <b>10 week program</b>	Centre Closed			
<b>Eagle Ridge Public School</b> 425 Delaney Drive, Ajax, ON  Monday: Play to Learn 0 - 6 years 9:00 am - 11:00 am EarlyON Pickering 905-839-3007 <b>Closed April 2nd</b>  Thursdays: Play to Learn 0-6 years 9:00 -11:00 am EarlyON Pickering 905-839-3007			Tuesday A.M.: Play to Learn 0 - 6 years 9:00 am - 11:00 am EarlyON Pickering 905-839-3007  Fridays: Play to Learn 0-6 years 9:00 - 11:00 am <b>FCAP</b> <b>905-686-6466</b> <b>Closed April 27th</b>			<b><u>OUTREACH LOCATIONS</u></b>			
<b>Eagle Ridge Public School</b> 425 Delaney Drive, Ajax, ON			<b>Eagle Ridge Public School</b> 425 Delaney Drive, Ajax, ON		<b>St. André Bessette Catholic School</b> 60 Seggar Ave. Ajax, ON				
<b>McLean's Community Centre</b> 95 Magill Dr. Ajax, ON			<b>McLean's Community Centre</b> 95 Magill Dr. Ajax, ON		<b>Ajax Main Branch Library</b> 55 Harwood Ave. S. Ajax, ON				
<b>Audley Recreation Centre</b> 1955 Audley Rd. N Ajax ON			<b>Audley Recreation Centre</b> 1955 Audley Rd. N Ajax ON						

## Bolton C. Falby Public School - 80 Falby Crt. Ajax, ON - Room 111

Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri
Infant Play to Learn 0 - 12 months 9:30 - 11:00 am. EarlyON Ajax  <b>*No Program April 2</b>  <b>Hub Closed</b>	<b>Stepping Stones</b> <b>2.5 - 6 years</b> <b>(Priority is given to children starting school in Sept 2018)</b> <b>12:30 -2:45 pm.</b> <b>Please call to Register at</b> <b>905-686-6466</b> <b>FCAP/EarlyON</b>	Infant and Child Development 0-12 months 9:00 am. - 12:00 noon Register at 1-800 841-2729 or 905 668-4113 Ext. 3203 Louise	International Play to Learn 0 - 6 years 9:30 - 11:30 am EarlyON Ajax  <b>Hub Closed</b>	<b>Hub Closed</b>

# Roberta Bondar Public School - 25 Sullivan Drive. Ajax, ON

Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri
Play to Learn 0 – 6 years 9:00 – 11:00 am <b>*No Program April 2</b>  <u>Stepping Stones</u> 12:45-2:45 pm 2.5-6 years (Priority is given to children starting school in Sept 2018) <b>*No Program April 2</b>	<b>Hub Closed</b>	Play to Learn 0-6 years 9:00 -11:00 am Drop-in program FCAP	<b>Hub Closed</b>	Play to Learn 0-6 years 9:00 -11:00 am Drop-in program
<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 10px; width: fit-content; margin: 0 auto;"> <p><b>Registration for these programs for            May 2018 is on April 23            beginning at 9:00 am.            Please call to register at 905-686-6466</b></p> </div>				

## Drop-in-Programs

### Play to Learn (0-6 years)/Baby Play to Learn (0-18 months)

We provide opportunities for parents and children to participate in unstructured early learning activities and to enjoy the use of the play materials and resources kept on site. This program is designed to encourage quality adult and child interactions in an age-appropriate, child-focused environment that enhances and promotes healthy child development. This program is open to children from birth to six years of age and requires no registration. Hours will vary from day to day.

### Family Time (all ages)

This is an extension of Play to Learn. Children of all ages, where at least one child is between the ages of 0-6 years, are welcome to engage in a variety of stimulating activities

## Registered Programs

### Infant Massage (0 - 12 months)

Learn techniques in infant massage that will promote healthy development, growth and positive interaction between parents, caregivers and children.

### Focus on Infants (0 -12 months)

This interactive infant program enhances and promotes healthy child development by providing age specific activities focusing on social, intellectual, physical, and emotional skills. Adults will discover age appropriate activities to enhance their child's growth and development, and be able to network with parents/caregivers with children of the same age. Parents and children are free to explore in a child-focused and age appropriate environment.

### Focus on Toddlers (1 -2.5 years)

This interactive toddler program enhances and promotes healthy child development by providing age specific activities focusing on social, intellectual, physical, and emotional skills. Adults will discover age appropriate learning experiences that will keep children engaged during play.

### Focus on Toddlers (Inbetweeners) (12 – 18 months)

This program is designed to enhance the appreciation and enjoyment of music and movement activities and highlights the value of music to development. Toddlers will enjoy this fun program including songs, instruments and a variety of creative movement activities.

### Musical Babies (0-12 months)

This program will introduce infants to songs, nursery rhymes, and musical instruments. Parents/caregivers will engage with their child while participating in a variety of musical experiences while incorporating variety of activities such as parachutes, shakers and other instruments.

### Focus on Preschoolers (2.5 - 6 years)

This school readiness program will allow your child to develop skills that will help them be successful when they enter kindergarten. While participating in the program, your child will have the opportunity to enhance social, fine motor language, mathematical, problem solving and self-help skills.

### PJ's and Pasta (All Ages)

The program will provide opportunity for children of all ages and their parent/caregiver, to learn how to make a healthy meal while having fun! Together adults and children will have the opportunity to use and practice many early learning skills as they create a healthy meal.