



## Toddler 2

### October 2024 Calendar

#### Important Days:

- October 14<sup>th</sup> – Thanksgiving Day  
(centre will be closed)
- October 24<sup>th</sup> – Childcare Appreciation Day
- October 31<sup>st</sup> – Halloween
- October is: German & Latin American Heritage Month as well as Canadian Islamic & Women's History Month

#### Recipe of the month:

##### Easy Pizza

#### Ingredients:

- Naan or flatbread
- Tomato or pizza sauce
- Mozzarella cheese, grated
- Your favourite toppings



#### Directions:

1. Assemble your pizzas with the toppings you and your child enjoy
2. Bake in the oven at 350°F for 10 – 15 minutes or more for a crispy crust
3. Serve and enjoy!

Have your child help you assemble your pizza, that way they can enjoy the process and may be more inclined to eat it!

#### What we are working on:

When transitioning to our fall schedule, we will be working on dressing independently for the fall weather, spending less time outside sadly as the weather becomes rainy and cold, and interacting with nature in meaningful ways.

We will spend some time observing and learning about squirrels, hibernation, playground and coyote safety, and the changes in our environment.



Always be mindful that there are coyotes in the neighbourhood. While they may not pose an immediate risk if you are in a large group, they can be very intimidating.

When leaving the centre and going to your car or walking along the path, keep your children close, always holding their hand and communicating with them to stay where you can see them. This always applies as there are always cars moving and driving in the parking lot.



#### Halloween:

Please feel free to dress your child in a costume on Halloween! We ask that costumes do not cover your child's face and that they are able to move freely in them. Please also provide a change of clothes as we do not want costumes getting dirty during lunch or outdoor play.

#### Upcoming photo day:

Photo day will take place on November 14<sup>th</sup> this year. More details will be coming soon!