

# REGGIO'S JOURNAL

Reggio's Treehouse at FCC



MAY 2024

## IMPORTANT DATES

May 6-10-Educator Appreciation Week

May 10-Mother's Day Celebration:  
4:30 pm

May 27-Closed for Memorial Day

May 28-Lifetouch Picture Day

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

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## A Note from the Director

May is a big month for us here at TeleTots!

In the first two weeks we will most likely receive a visit from NAEYC to observe and determine if we will be accredited! This is an honor for our center as it represents that we uphold and support best learning practices and care for our students' success!

We will also have our second infant room opening. As new families and new staff come in we will continue to build upon the strong foundation we have at our center. We are grateful for the families and students who fill the hallways of our center with smiles, laughter, and joy.





# LATEST NEWS and REMINDERS

## Mother's Day Celebration

On Friday, May 10 at 4:30 pm, we invite all of the mothers and motherly figures in for a celebration with our staff and the children! We will have light refreshments, snacks, and activities.



## Parent Referral Program



Refer your friends, family, & co-workers & earn a \$250 referral bonus! For each family that you refer and that enrolls with us, you will receive a \$250 for each full-time enrollment and \$100 for each part time enrollment. The referral bonus will be applied 60 days from the referral's start date & your friend gets free registration!

## Donations



We kindly request donations of recyclable materials for our classrooms to include fabrics, yarn, and old electronics. These items will greatly enhance our learning environment and provide hands-on experiences for our students. If you have any of these materials that you would be willing to donate, please send them to our classroom. Your generosity will have a lasting impact on our students and their education. Thank you in advance for your support.



## EVACUATION LOCATIONS

### Primary Site

FERC Child Care Center  
888 First Street NE  
Washington DC 20426





# ARTICLE

Are you curious about the innovative Reggio Emilia approach to early childhood education? With this month's article, we invite you to delve into an enlightening article that unpacks all you need to know about Reggio Emilia. Discover how Reggio Emilia fosters creativity, critical thinking, and a deep love for learning in young minds. Gain insights into its child-centered approach, where every child is seen as competent, capable, and full of potential. Explore how the Reggio Emilia approach nurtures collaboration, exploration, and a sense of community within classrooms. Get ready to embark on a journey of understanding and empowerment for both you and your child. Click the link below to access the article and unlock the secrets of Reggio Emilia!

<https://www.parents.com/toddlers-preschoolers/starting-preschool/curriculum/reggio-emilia-philosophy-what-to-know/>



# WHAT ARE WE LEARNING?



## RADICI

In Radici as we welcome our new students we will be focusing on supporting our friends' milestones. We will continue celebrating with students as they develop their crawling, walking, and language skills. As the weather has gotten nicer we are going on walks more. As we walk around our community we will continue speaking to students about what they see and hear. We will spend this time outside collecting nature pieces, capturing photos of the fire trucks, buildings, and sounds we hear.

## GAMBO

Gambo has been busy engaging in so many activities each day, building new friendships, and spending quality time together. During the month of April we have noticed how much our friends like to play in the kitchen. We will be diving deep into the senses of taste as we have conversations about fruits, vegetables, and kitchen items. Our students love to engage during pretend play and we are excited to extend their learning with more dramatic play opportunities and activities.



## FOGLIA

Foglia has grown so much in the last couple of months! Students are working hard getting potty trained and we are excited to continue seeing them grow in their friendships. In the month of May we will welcome our new teacher, Miss Itali!

