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Dear Preschool Families,

I hope that this letter finds you well. We are quickly coming to the end of our school year here and are preparing for the 2024-25 school year ahead.

The Connecticut State Department of Education has recently enacted change to raise the minimum age for automatic entry into public school in CT, effective July 1, 2024. **Students attending the PreK 3 program must now be three on or before September 1<sup>st</sup> of any school year. Students attending the PreK 4 program must now be four on or before September 1<sup>st</sup> of any school year.** All children must be completely potty-trained, including undressing and dressing independently by the start of school. Parents are responsible for providing transportation.

The PreK 3 students will attend from 8:30-11:30. The PreK 4 program will be given the option to attend the regular school day program 8:30-3:15 or a half day program from 8:30-11:30am.

The annual fee for the PreK 4 full day program will be \$ 3,000 and the fee for the PreK 3 and PreK 4 half day program will be \$1,500. Tuition will be paid in two installments. The first installment will be due on the first day of school, August 28, 2024 and the second installment on January 1, 2025. A sliding scale based on state guidelines will also be used to determine cost for families that qualify for assistance.

We will host a screening/registration on **Tuesday, April 9<sup>th</sup> 9:00 - 10:00 am** in the school Library. At this time, you will meet Mrs. Goguen, our school principal, Mrs. Guinazu, our preschool teacher, Mrs. Casey, our school nurse, Mrs. Jenna Michna, our school Social Worker and Mrs. Kristy Earl, our Speech and Language Pathologist. We will also share registration information, information regarding the school day and you will have a chance to visit your child's classroom.

A reminder will be sent as we get closer to the date for the screening/registration in April. Please feel free to reach out to me if you have any questions or concerns. We look forward to seeing you on April 9th.

Sincerely,

Alissa Goguen

Principal