LUNCH WITH LORI The first Friday of every month



Bring your lunch and join our leadership team in the Children's Place Gym from 12p – Ip on the 1st Friday of every month to share ideas, discuss a new parenting topic each month and meet new friends. Babies are welcomed!



Social-Emotional Coaching: Join our discussion on how you can support your child in social/emotional development. This includes problem solving, coping strategies and respectful interactions.



RIE: Resources for Infant Educarers -- Come learn all about our infant program philosophy which incorporates respectful caregiving, individual goals for learning and development, and freedom of movement.



Literacy and language: Create a literacy rich environment. Every child and family has their own favorite book or author. We will discuss how you can take those books and create extension activities and integrate language development. We will also discuss integrating storytelling and sign language into your home routine.



Outdoor fun: Let's bring our lunch outside as we talk about physical development, fitness and play.



Routines and transitions: Managing change throughout the day can be difficult for adults, so this month we will discuss how to make it easier on little ones. We'll touch on separation, morning and bedtime routines and the new school year.



All About Children's Place: At Children's Place, we incorporate our vision and values into everything we do. This month, we will talk about how our center's philosophies are woven throughout our curriculum. We will also discuss opportunities for parent involvement.



Sensory play: Tired of the same old play time? During this lunch, we will share new ideas for play, including recipes.



Mealtime: We believe that mealtime is family time. We will discuss ideas to engage conversation, proper nutrition and more.



Traditions: This month, we hope to engage you in ways to create meaningful memories and family time/activities for years to come.