

GUILDFORD CHILDCARE CENTRE Newsletter

March 2026: Exciting Updates from Our Daycare & OOSC Program

Welcome to our March 2026 newsletter! As we step into the vibrant season of spring, we are thrilled to share the exciting activities, learning themes, and important updates for our daycare and Out of School Care (OOSC) program.

Daycare & Preschool Themes for March

This month, our daycare and preschoolers will explore the wonders of **Spring** through interactive activities and themed learning experiences. Our curriculum focus includes:

- **Letters:** M, N, O
- **Numbers:** 0-7
- **Color of the Month:** Green
- **Opposites Concept:** Tall & Short

A warm welcome to all the new families joining our daycare! We are excited to embark on this journey of learning and fun together.

OOSC Program Activities

Our Out of School Care (OOSC) program offers a variety of engaging activities designed to foster creativity, curiosity, and teamwork. Here's what we have planned for each day of the week:

- **Monday:** Structured Play
- **Tuesday:** Science & Math Madness
- **Wednesday:** Bingo & Baking
- **Thursday:** Art Day
- **Friday:** Movie & Treat Day

Important Note: Please ensure your child brings a **sufficient and healthy snack** for the afternoon. **No nuts, please.**

We are looking forward to a fun-filled month with exciting activities planned for our OOSC program. Please check the calendar for detailed schedules and ensure your child is registered on time.

Important Reminders

✔ **Monthly Fee Deadline:** Fees are due by **Friday, February 27, 2026**. Please make timely payments to avoid penalties.

✔ **Subsidy Renewals:** If you require a subsidy, ensure it is renewed on time.

✔ **Drop-off Cut-off Time: 10:00 AM.** Late arrivals beyond this time will not be accepted.

✔ **Extra Essentials:** Make sure your child has extra clothes and indoor shoes at daycare.

✔ **Spring Break: March 16-27**

We appreciate your cooperation in making this a smooth and enjoyable experience for all children. If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to us. Let's make March a month full of learning, laughter, and new experiences!

Stay connected for more updates!

Guildford Childcare Newsletter

March Highlights

Welcome to March!

Spring is almost here bloom, and we're excited to share all the fun and learning happening at Guildford Childcare Centre this month. From special days to exciting programs, March is packed with activities that will keep your little ones engaged and happy!

March Highlights

Special Days to Celebrate

- **March 8th: Daylight Saving Time**
It will be time to set those clocks forward, marking the beginning of daylight saving time (DST) for 2026.
 - **March 17th: St. Patrick's Day**
This day celebrates the life of Saint Patrick, the patron saint of Ireland. We will fill our activities with Leprechaun Shamrock and c Rainbow. We encourage the children to wear green shirt.
 - **March 21st: International Day of Forests**
The International Day of Forests was established on the 21st day of March, by resolution of the United Nations General Assembly on November 28, 2012. The purpose is to raise awareness of the importance of all types of forests, and trees outside forests, for the benefit of current and future generations.
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Programs and Activities

- **Spring Art Projects**
This month, children will create colorful spring-themed crafts, including flower paintings, butterfly collages, and handprint rainbows.

- **Outdoor Play Adventures**

With the warmer weather, we'll spend more time outdoors exploring nature, playing games, and enjoying picnics.

- **Music and Movement**

Our music program will focus on spring songs and dances, helping children develop rhythm and coordination.

- **Storytime Spotlight**

We'll read books about shamrock, leprechaun and flowers, including *Thing One, Thing Two and the Leprechaun* by Dr. Seuss and *Green Shamrocks* by Eve Bunting.

Parent Reminders

- **Spring Break:** March 16-27, 2026.
 - **Extra Clothes:** Please ensure your child has a set of weather-appropriate clothes for outdoor play.
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Thank You!

Thank you for trusting us with your little ones. We're so grateful to be part of their growth and learning journey. If you have any questions or suggestions, feel free to reach out to us at 604-589-5437.