

WELCOME TO JONI'S!

Toddlers

Thank you again for choosing Joni's Child Care and Pre-School to care for your toddler. This is going to be a fun and exciting time for you and your child. The days will be filled with new experiences, new faces and great new relationships. Sorting through all of the things your child may need throughout the day can be quite a chore, so we have created the following list that may help you lighten your child's bag.

1. Diapers – Many families choose to leave a package of diapers at the center. We will notify you on your child's daily sheet when your supply is getting low. Please label the package with your child's first name and last initial. We will label the individual diapers for you.
2. Wipes – The center provides wipes for all of the children. We use brands that are hypo-allergenic and fragrance-free. You will only have to provide wipes if your child is hyper-sensitive or requires a specific brand. Again, please label any container with your child's first name and last initial.
3. Diaper Rash Ointment – A supply may be left at the center with your child's name printed on it. Be sure to complete an authorization form for your child's file.
4. Small "Cubby" Box – A 1.5 gal. Size seems to work best for storing spare clothing while leaving room for blankets and other cubby extras that remain in the center day-to-day.
5. Extra clothing – Diapers do occasionally leak and some activities may be messy, so it is important to have at least 1 spare set of clothes, including socks and under shirt.(2-3 sets may be best depending on your child's history or potty training status.)

6. Sippy Cups – A separate, clean sippy cup is required for each feeding. The children are offered a.m. snack, lunch, and p.m. snack as well as breakfast for some children. We do provide disposable drinking cups for children who are drinking out of regular cups by themselves.
7. Food – Please pack a lunch for your child consisting of foods that will encourage independence and self-help skills. For your convenience, we do have refrigerators and microwaves for storage and preparation. We provide nutritious snacks in the morning and afternoon consisting of two different food groups. Milk and juice is also provided for both snacks and lunch.
8. Nap Time – Naptime throughout the center is from 12:30p.m – 2:30 p.m. It is recommended that you bring a blanket for your child to use on his/her cot. It will be sent home at the end of each week for laundering.

You will not need to provide spoons, bowls or toys for your child. The center provides these items and maintains and cleans them on a regular schedule.

You are encouraged to bring your child in for a “trial” day so that you may observe how the needs of different children are addressed and ask any questions that continue to pop-up as your start day continues. Again...
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