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H**ello November!**

**COMMUNITY SPOTLIGHT**

Cooking Matters and Little Bitty Learning partnered with McMillian’s First Steps to offer an 8 week cooking course to parents and guardians of children 2 years to 5 years of age. Families who signed up for the course participated in informative lessons that addressed -limiting screen time, increasing sleep duration and increasing family mealtime from local community agencies and took part in hands-on cooking lessons from local chefs and dietetic interns. Children were engaged by local child centered organizations that specialized in Yoga, Kung Fu, dance and wellness. Families enjoyed a family styled dinner at every class and at the end of the 8 week session they received a Cooking Matters reusable grocery bag, cutting board and abook full of recipes and simple tips on cooking and buying healthy, low-cost foods.

LSUEHS-CCP would like to give a very special thanks to **Lisa Staples,** LSUHSC Masters of Public Health student for coordinating the Little Bitty Learning program, Chef Jaryd Kase, Ms. Denisha Tate (McMillian’s First Steps Food Technician) and Tulane University School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine Dietetic interns and graduates. Also, a warm thanks to all of the sponsors, local organizations, volunteers, parents and staff at McMillian’s for helping to make the program a success.







# It’s hard to believe we are almost at the end of another year! Recently, teachers completed this year’s first parent teacher conferences; which they shared your child’s progress and assessment outcomes from Teaching Strategies Gold. With that said, we are extremely proud of each child’s developmental accomplishments and enjoy watching them grow! Remember to stop by your child’s classroom and pick up a School to Home packet, they are filled with great activities that you and your child can work on together.

Keep in mind young children learn through play and interaction with their peers and adults. Consistency and continuity are beneficial to the development of each child. Teachers and staff do their best to provide this each day. **Parents we ask that you ensure that children are attending school consistently.** Attendance plays a big part in the day and life of a child. A missed school day is a lost opportunity for children to learn.

**FAMILY TIME**

The holiday season is quickly approaching, Halloween has come and gone and Thanksgiving will soon be here. With many family gathering opportunities occurring, this is a great time to involve your child in helping to prepare meals. **Cooking with children may take a little more time and can be messy, but look at the rewards for your child.** When your child helps prepare food, they are more likely to eat what they have made. What a great way to introduce new healthy foods to their diet, teach them academic skills, and enjoy family time!

! You have taken on an important task. We are confident you will do a wonderful job. We appreciate your commitment and remember, we are with you all the way! Also, special THANKS all parents, family & friends who continue to volunteer their time and those of you who participated in LSUEHS’s recent HCI trainings on Oral Health.

**We truly appreciate your commitment!**





**Congratulations, Ms. Revia!**

Revia Ellis began her journey as an EHS parent at Kids Kingdom Academy, this is where she set the goal of wanting to become an Infant and Toddler teacher. Ms. Revia enrolled into the CDA evening program held at Educare, studied hard and earned her Child Development Associate (CDA) Credential on 10/09/17. Soon after, Ms. Revia was hired as an Infant and Toddler teacher at Kids Kingdom Academy. Ms. Revia states that she is thankful and blessed for the opportunity to be a part of the Kids Kingdom Family.



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**The OneApp Main Round application window for the**

**2018-2019 School Year launches Wed, November 1st.**

**Main Round Window Opens** Week of Nov 1, 2017

**Early Window Deadline** Jan 12, 2018

**Main Round Window Closes** Feb 23, 2018

**Results available** April 2018

**Did you know?**

**You Literally Can’t Spoil A Baby**

Your baby cries -- a lot -- and you're frantic. You're not sure if you're supposed to comfort her or let her wail.

You're not alone. Nearly a third of U.S. parents know very little about what to expect from babies, according to a University of Rochester Medical Center study. Your instinct may be to comfort her, while friends and relatives warn, "No, you'll spoil her!" The question is, can you spoil an infant? **"In a word, NO,"**

According to Lawrence Balter, Ph.D., professor of applied psychology at New York University and author of Dr. Balter's Child Sense. Spoiling means teaching someone to expect that her every demand will be met whenever she makes it. "Babies under three months exist in the present," says Balter. And because crying is your infant's only way of telling you something's wrong, you need to attend to her so she can begin to make the connection between her cries and your comforting, which happens around 6 months of age. Even then, an older baby probably isn't capable of manipulating you to get your attention, Balter says.

Young babies shouldn't have to wait for a response, either. **"Too much stress on an infant's nervous system -- such as crying continuously -- isn't healthy for her development," says Balter.** **It's never a good idea for babies to "cry it out."** So trust your gut: Soothe your child when she wails. Turn a deaf ear to everyone's advice -- not your little one’s cries.



