Macaulay Centres for Children
EarlyON Child and Family Centre
Program Calendar November 2026

Free inclusive programs for families, caregivers, and their children (newborn to age 6)

We are currently offering in-person programs and services as follows:

In-Person Programs: We are offering in-person programs for families with children from birth to 6 years of age. **Note:** SPACES ARE LIMITED and **All** individuals, adults and children who are not feeling well or experiencing any symptoms of illness, they are advised to stay home.

Pre- registered programs: Our Child Development Consultants can assist you with any questions or concerns regarding your child's development or parenting/family challenges, and can provide you with information and referrals to local programs/services. To speak with one of our Child Development Consultants, please contact Eddie at ewoo@macaulaycentres.org and/or Amahley at amayor@macaulaycentres.org and/or Tina at tosahan@macaulaycentres.org

Closed for the Staff Training: November 10th

All drop-in programs are on a first come, first served basis and program times are subject to change.
Specialized PROGRAMS are Pre-registered ONLY
For all **other Programs**, see the email links in each program description and/or contact one of our staff for more information.

We serve families across Toronto and in the following neighborhoods:

Dufferin EarlyON Child & Family Centre
2700 Dufferin Street Unit #55, M6B 4J3
Tel: (416) 783-7298

Keele Hub EarlyON Child & Family Centre
1652 Keele Street, M6M 3W3

Falstaff Community Centre
50 Falstaff Ave, M6N 4R8

Amesbury Community Centre
1507 Lawrence Ave W, M6L 1A8

Joyce Public School EarlyON
26 Joyce Parkway, M6B 2S9

Head Office
2010 Eglinton Ave W #400, M6E 2K3
Tel: (416) 789 7441

Jane Hub EarlyON Child & Family Centre
1541 Jane Street, M9N 2R3

Annette Street Toronto Public Library
145 Annette Street, M6P 1P3

Barbara Frum Toronto Public Library
20 Covington Road, M6A 3C1

Rockcliffe Middle School
400 Rockcliffe Blvd, M6N 4R8

If you have a disability and require extra support to participate, we may be able to help.
Contact us at (416) 789-7441 or email Vidushi at vmishra@macaulaycentres.org
A support person who accompanies someone with a disability is welcome

In-Person Programs at 2700 Dufferin

Monday Nov 2-30	Tuesday Nov 3-24	Wednesday Nov 4-25	Thursday Nov 5-26	Friday Nov 6-27	Saturday Nov 7-28
Toddler Time 9:00 AM -2:00 PM 1 - 2.5 years	**Make the connections (Toddler)** *Pre-registration Required* 9:30 AM –12:30 PM Lea (Starts: Nov 17)	**Play & Learn** 9:00 AM –4:30PM 0 – 6 years	**Extra Support Group** *Pre-registration Required* 9:30 AM –12:30PM Eddie & Sarabjit	**Play & Learn** 9:00 AM-12:30PM 0 – 6 years	**Play & Learn** 9:00 AM-12:30 PM 0 – 6 years
Play & Learn 2:00 PM-6:30 PM 0 - 6 years	**Baby & Me** 2:00 PM-4:30 PM 0 - 12 months		**Specialized Building Language** *Pre-registration required* 2:00 PM-4:30 PM Lea (Starts: Nov 12)		

In-Person Programs at Jane St Hub

Monday Nov 2-30	Tuesday Nov 3-24	Wednesday Nov 4-25	Thursday Nov 5-26	Friday Nov 6-27
Cultural Tales and Tunes *Pre-registration required* 9:30 AM – 12:30 PM 2 - 6 years Kristine & Claudia	**Play & Learn** 9:00AM – 4:30 PM 0 - 6 years	**Specialized Building Language** *Pre-registration required* 9:30 AM – 12:30 PM Tina	**Play & Learn** 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM 0 – 6 years	**Mental Health Wellness Series** *Pre-registration required* 9:30 AM – 12:30 PM Lea & Eelendri (Ends: Dec 11)
Early Parenting *Pre-registration required* 2:00 PM – 04:30 PM 0 – 12 Months Kristine & Claudia		**Extra Support Group** *Pre-registration required* 2:00 PM – 4:30 PM Tina & Sarabjit	**Supporting Young Families** *Pre-registration required* 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM Kristine (Ends: Dec 10)	

In-Person Programs at Library Sites

Barbara Frum Library	Annette Library
Play & Learn Thursday 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM 0 - 6 years	**Play & Learn** Wednesday 10:30 AM – 12:30 PM 0 - 6 years
Play & Learn Friday 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM 0 - 6 years	**Play & Learn** Thursday 2:00 PM – 4:00 PM 0 - 6 years

In-Person Programs at Community Centres

Falstaff	Amesbury Community Centre	Keele St Hub
Play & Learn Wednesday 9:30 AM – 12:30 PM	**Specialized Building Language** *Pre-registration required* Monday 09:30 AM – 12:00 PM Eddie	**Parent Support Program** *Pre-Registration Required * Tuesday 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM Sarabjit & Stephanie
Your Child's Kindergarten Journey. What to expect? *Pre registration Required* Friday 9:30 AM – 12:00 PM Sarabjit	**Play & Learn (Tagalog / English)** Tuesday 9:30 AM – 12:30 PM 0 - 6 years	**Play & Learn (Spanish/English)** Friday 9:30 AM – 12:30 PM 0 - 6 years
	Stepping Stones Triple P Ends on Nov 11 **Handle With Care** Wednesday 9:30 AM – 12:00 Eddie *Pre-registration required* (Starts: Nov 18)	
	Move & Play Friday 9:30 AM – 12:30 PM	

In-Person Programs at Other Locations

2010 Eglinton	Joyce	Rockcliffe
Art Therapy ***Pre-Registration Required***	**Play & Learn** **(Little Moments, Big learning)**	**Play & Learn**
Thursday **9:30 AM -12:30 PM** **Tina** **(Ends: Nov 5)**	**Monday** **09:30 AM – 12:30 PM**	**Tuesday** **09:00 AM – 12:30 PM** 0 - 6 years
	Play & Learn **(Little Moments, Big learning)**	**Play & Learn**
	Wednesday **09:30 AM – 12:30 PM**	**Thursday** **09:00 AM – 12:30 PM**

Parent Advocacy

Tuesday Community visit	Thursday Community visit
Parent Advocacy **Check-In**	**Parent Advocacy** **Check-In**
2:00 PM - 4:30 PM **Sarabjit**	**2:00 PM - 4:30 PM** **Sarabjit**

Virtual Program

Monday
Triple P Baby ***Pre-Registration Required***
1:30 PM - 3:30 PM **Tina & Lea** **(Starts: Nov 9)**

Parent-Child Programs for All Ages (Birth to 6 Years)

Baby and Me
Parents and their babies can meet with other new parents in a relaxing, social environment. This program includes a variety of stimulating activities, informative chats. **For more information and/or registration please email: LPalacio@macaulaycentres.org**

Toddler Time
This program provides an opportunity for parents and caregivers to support their toddlers' early learning. Families with their children will engage in a variety of activities which includes sensory, crafts, stories and songs. **For more information and/or registration please email: fgrigoli@macaulaycentres.org**

Play & Learn
This program is for parents, caregivers and their children to socialize with others in an interactive learning environment. Children will learn, explore, communicate and understand new concepts to help expand their knowledge through play-based and guided activities. **For more information and/or registration please email: vmishra@macaulaycentres.org**
For more information on Play & Learn (Spanish) please email: CAndrade@macaulaycentres.org
****At some locations Spanish programs are offered**.**

Early Parenting Program
This Program provides information to Parents/ Caregivers regarding ways to keep children safe, make the most out of parenthood and build a secure attachment with their children. We also provide information on Child development and referrals to other community agencies. **For more information and/or registration please email: CAndrade@macaulaycentres.org**

Extra Support Program
This registered program is designed for families seeking extra support for their child or children with behavioural guidance, speech and language development, or other developmental needs. **For more information and/or registration please email: ewoo@macaulaycentres.org**

Movement & Play
This is a fun and engaging program for parents/caregivers and children**.** Families and children will have the opportunity to engage in activities to help enhance developmental skills. Gross motor activities will be provided to encourage movement of the body. **For more information and/or registration please email: STang@macaulaycentres.org**

Parent Advocacy Programs:
Parent advocacy programs offer child minding. Pre-registration is required. **For more information and/or registration please email: slall@macaulaycentres.org**

Stepping Stones Triple P Program
This is a registered parenting program for parents of children with extra support needs that provides strategies to encourage positive behavior, independence, and self-regulation.
For more information and/or registration please email: ewoo@macaulaycentres.org

Special Education and Individual Education Plans (IEPs)
This is a registered program designed to help parents and caregivers learn about Special Education services and supports available within the school system. Participants will gain information about Individual Education Plans (IEPs), accommodations and modifications, available services for students with special education needs, and how to advocate for their child's success at school. **For more information and/or registration please email: slall@macaulaycentres.org**

Art Therapy Program:
This program designed to provide a creative, supportive space for individuals to process their emotions, manage their stress and connect with others**. For more information and/or registration please email: tosahan@macaulaycentres.org**

Mental Health and Wellness Series (A Focus on Black Families):
This program creates a welcoming space for connection, reflection, and wellness. Through meaningful conversations and shared experiences, we'll explore simple ways to support ourselves and our families while celebrating culture, community, and resilience. **For more information and/or registration please email: tosahan@macaulaycentres.org**

Supporting Young Families:
8-week program for parents and caregivers under 29 with children between the ages 0–6, promoting positive parent–child interactions through children's activities and supportive parenting discussions.

Make the Connections:
This parenting program put attachment theory into six fun and purposeful sessions. Parents/caregivers learn what toddlers need to form secure attachments, practice with their toddler and reflect on their parenting role. **For more information and/or registration please email: AMayor@macaulaycentres.org**

Triple P Baby Program:
This program aims to prepare parents for a positive transition to parenthood and the first year with baby, promoting sensitive and responsive care in the perinatal period. Parents actively participate in a range of exercises to learn strategies to develop a positive relationship with their baby, promote their baby's development and help teach their baby new skills and behaviours. **For more information and/or registration please email: tosahan@macaulaycentres.org**

Handle With Care
This parent/caregiver program provides a strengths-based approach to families that are encountering day-to-day challenges. We also provide problem solving skills, parent coaching, and community resources that can help build parent-child relationships. **For more information and/or registration please email: ewoo@macaulaycentres.org**