

Early Education Curriculum

Infants- The teachers will send you a copy of your child's individual plan for the month. We encourage you to try some of the activities at home with your little one.

Toddlers Curriculum (12 Months and Up) - Children will be exploring the language objective as well as celebrating summer and all the wonders that come with it. Through activities that promote conversation and communication skills, children will remember, connect experiences, and use symbols and imagery to express themselves. Children will also explore nature by gardening, water play, and other sensory activities.

Red Sox, Breakers, Celtics, Maple, and K1 (Patriots & Bruins) classroom - Children will continue learning about ocean life by integrating learning experiences from all content areas and an in-depth exploration of seashores and tide pools. Through play, projects, peer interaction, and hands-on activities, children will continue engaging in critical thinking, creativity, and integrate and practice new concepts and skills.

Important Reminders

Closures -

Friday, August 19 - Ellis will close at 3PM as a gesture of appreciation for our teachers

Summer Curriculum -

We ask that all children arrive by 9:30 am to ensure no one misses out on special activities

New UPK Families in the Celtics, Bruins, or Patriots classroom (starting September) -

Please make sure to send us by **August 19th**:

- Two proofs or residency
- A copy of your child's birth certificate
- Your child's most up-to-date physical and immunizations

All Classroom - Registration packets will be sent home at the beginning of August. Please make sure to fill them in and return them to us by **August 19th**.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact **Claire McNally** (cmcnally@ellisearlylearning.org) or **Brenda Barreto** (bbarreto@ellisearlylearning.org).

Warm Weather Reminder:

To keep cool during the summer, please update your child's cubby. Please ensure all items are labeled and in their backpack:

- Extra summer clothes (shirt, shorts, socks, and underwear)
- Sunscreen
- Hat
- Bathing suit, water shoes, and towel
- Sneakers or closed sandals (do not bring your child in flip flops or opened toed shoes)

If your child or anyone in your household tests positive for COVID, please email [Claire McNally](mailto:cmcnally@ellisearlylearning.org) and/or [Lauren Cook](mailto:lcook@ellisearlylearning.org) to notify Ellis. ProCare messages are not reliable for COVID-related or any urgent communications.

August Celebrations



8/2 - Jeyda
 8/3 - Paris
 Ms. Claire's Ellis Anniversary
 8/5 - Dean
 8/8 - Jalissa
 8/12 - Mara
 8/13 - Aaliyah
 8/14 - Benjamin
 Ms. Jessika's Ellis Anniversary

8/18 - Liliana and William
 8/19 - James
 8/20 - Lia
 8/23 - Ms. Althea
 8/26 - Dorean
 8/27 - Kaylee and Charlotte
 8/29 - Antazia



Family Engagement Update

- Due to family vacations and summer plans, Caregivers Circle will resume in September. Stay tuned for a survey of topics you would like to explore in the fall!
- Many thanks to everyone who has helped source and find formula for our families who need it.

Summer Calendar

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
1	2 Celtics: Ellis playground Water Play on the deck: Cubs: 10-10:30am Patriots: 10:30-11 am Bears: 11-11:30am	3 Read Boston at Ellis Playground JP - Cedar & Maple: Water Play at Green St Sprinklers Water Play on the Deck: Caterpillars: 10-10:45am Butterflies: 10:45-11:30am	4 Celtics: Ellis playground Water Play on the deck Pollywogs: 10-10:30am Froggies: 10:30-11am JP - Birch: Water Play at Ellis Park	5 Water Play on the deck: Celtics: 10-11am Breakers: 11-12pm Bruins: Frog Pond Boston Commons JP - Oak: Water Play at Ellis Park
8 Celtics: Garden Park Bruins: Water Play on the deck: 10-10:30am Ellis Park: 11 am	9 Celtics: Ellis playground Water Play on the deck: Cubs: 10-10:30am Patriots: 10:30-11 am Bears: 11-11:30am Bruins: Ringgold Park	10 JP - Cedar & Maple: Water Play at Green St Sprinklers Water Play on the Deck: Crickets: 10-10:45am Grasshoppers: 10:45-11:30am Red Sox & Breakers: Christian Science Sprinklers	11 Celtics: Ellis playground Patriots: Frieda Garcia Park Bruins: Frieda Garcia Park Water Play on the deck Pollywogs: 10-10:30am Froggies: 10:30-11am JP - Birch: Water Play at Ellis Park	12 Water Play on the deck: Celtics: 10-11am Caterpillars: 10:45-11:30am Butterflies: 11:30-12 JP - Oak: Water Play at Ellis Park
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