

EarlyON Child and Family Centre in York Region

Aurora Centre

40 Engelhard Dr. Unit 1 Aurora, ON L4G 6X6
1-866-404-2077 Ext. 217



January 2026 Calendar

All Aurora's main centre and mobile programs are on the Children's Services Portal in Red

| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| Aurora Main Centre 40 Engelhard Dr. Unit 1 Aurora, ON, L4G 6X6 | | | | | |
| Morning Programs | | | | | |
| Play Learn & Connect (0 to 6 years) 9:00 to 11:00 am | Toddler Time (10 to 30 months) 9:00 to 11:00 am Special Event January 27 See page 3 | Play Learn & Connect (0 to 6 years) 9:00 to 11:00 am | Play Learn & Connect (0 to 6 years) 9:00 to 12:30 pm | Play Learn & Connect (0 to 6 years) 9:00 to 11:00 am | Play Learn & Connect (0 to 6 years) 9:00 to 11:00 am |
| Afternoon Programs | | | | | |
| Baby & Me (0 to 12 months) 1:30 to 3:00 pm | | Baby Music & Movement (0 to 12 months) 1:30 to 3:00 pm | | | |
| Evening Program | | | | | |
| | Play Learn & Connect (0 to 6 years) 4:00 to 7:30 pm | | | | |
| | Play Learn & Connect "Farsi" (0 to 6 years) 5:30 to 7:30 | | | | |

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January 2026 Aurora Mobile Calendar

| Light of Christ Catholic Elementary School – 290 McClellan Way, Aurora, ON L4G 6P3 | | | | | |
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| Play Learn & Connect (0 to 6 years) 9:30 to 11:30 am | Play Learn & Connect (0 to 6 years) 9:30 to 11:30 am | Play Learn & Connect (0 to 6 years) 9:30 to 11:30 am | Toddler Time (10 to 30 months) 9:30 to 11:30 am | Play Learn & Connect (0 to 6 years) 9:30 to 11:30 am | |
| Toddler Time (10 to 30 months) 1:30 to 3:00 pm | Music & Movement (0 to 6 years) 1:30 to 3:00 pm | Toddler Exploring Science (10 to 30 months) 1:30 to 3:00 pm | | | |
| St. Jerome Catholic Elementary School – 20 Bridgenorth Dr., Aurora, ON L6G 7P3 | | | | | |
| Play Learn & Connect (0 to 6 years) 9:00 am to 12:30 pm | | Toddler Stores Come Alive (10 to 30 months) 9:00 to 11:00 am | Play Learn & Connect “Mandarin” (0 to 6 years) 9:00 to 11:00 am | Play Learn & Connect (0 to 6 years) 9:00 to 11:00 am | |
| | | Messy Play (1 to 6 years) 1:30 to 3:00 pm | | | |
| Regency Acres Public School – 123 Murray Dr., Aurora, ON L4G 2C7 | | | | | |
| | | | Ready, Set, Move (1 to 6 years) 8:45 to 10:15 am | |  |
| Sheppard’s Bush Conservation Area – Entrance on Mary St | | | | | |
| | Special Events January 13 and 27 See page 3 | | | | |

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Parenting Workshops & EarlyON Special Events

Let's Talk Virtual

Coping with Frustration – January 5, 2026 – 2:30 to 3:30 pm - You may be embarrassed, especially if the tantrums occur in public. Tantrums are your toddler's way of expressing strong emotions like anger and frustration. Join us as we discuss strategies to help your child cope with big emotions.

Getting Along with Other Toddlers – January 12, 2026 – 2:30 to 3:30 pm - Toddlers sometimes hurt others. This can happen because they are learning how to manage their emotions and behaviours. They are also learning how to say words to express their feelings. You can help your child learn how to express their feelings and wants in a calm, non-hurtful way. Join us to discuss ways we can teach our toddler to be kind and develop their skills for getting along with others.

Getting Attention Politely: Preschoolers – January 19, 2026 – 2:30 to 3:30 pm - When a parent is busy talking to others or concentrating on something. It's OK to expect your child to keep themselves busy and not interrupt. If your child needs your attention, you hope they will say Excuse me and wait instead of demanding your attention immediately. Join us as we discuss some strategies to help your preschooler occupy themselves when you are busy and to get your attention by asking politely.

Sharing Toddlers – January 26, 2026 – 2:30 to 3:30 pm - Learning to share takes time. Join us as we discuss the development of toddlers in learning ownership and how to teach them to take turns

Let's Talk Mandarin Virtual

Join us Tuesdays from **1:30–2:15 pm** for *Let's Talk "Mandarin"*. This program will introduce the **Ages and Stages Questionnaire (ASQ)**—a valuable developmental screening tool. We'll walk you through its different parts and how it can be used to support children's growth.

EarlyON Special Event

Family Literacy Day with Dina and Daniela – January 27, 2026 – 10:00 to 10:30 am - Special Readings for a Special Day! Celebrate Family Literacy Day with us as we welcome two local authors for engaging story readings. Join us as they share helpful tips and simple strategies to encourage a love of reading at home with your children, at the Aurora Main Centre.

EarlyON Special Events at Sheppard's Bush

Do You Want to Build a Snowman? – January 13, 2026 – 1:30 to 3:00 pm - Come join us as we make the most out of winter in Canada and build a snowman with us

Walking in a Winter Wonderland – January 27, 2026 – 1:30 to 3:00 pm - Join us as we explore the wonders of nature as we walk through the trails at Sheppard's Bush

Aurora Public Library

In partnership with the Aurora Public Library, the Baby Café program meets on the third Tuesday of every month at the Magna Room in the library from 11:00 am to 12:00 pm. **Register on Eventbrite for January 20, 2026**

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Virtual Programs

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| Virtual Programs- Pre-registration required. The link will be sent by email 30 minutes before the start of the program | | | | | |
| <p>Play Learn & Connect "Punjabi" 11:00 to 11:45 am</p> <p>Songs Rhymes & Stories 1:30 to 2:15 pm</p> <p>Songs Rhymes & Stories 2:30 to 3:15 pm</p> <p>Let's Talk: 2:30 to 3:30 pm</p> <p>Play Learn & Connect "Cantonese" 3:30 to 4:15 pm</p> | <p>Let's Talk "Mandarin" 1:30 to 2:15 pm</p> | <p>Songs Rhymes & Stories 1:30 to 2:15 pm</p> <p>Baby Music & Movement 1:30 to 2:15 pm</p> | <p>Songs Rhymes & Stories 1:30 to 2:15 pm</p> <p>Play Learn & Connect "Urdu" 3:30 to 4:15 pm</p> | <p>Baby Music & Movement 10:00 to 10:45 am</p> <p>Play Learn & Connect "Spanish" 11:00 to 11:45 am</p> <p>No programs on January 9</p> | <p>Aurora Calendar</p> |

Program Descriptions

Baby & Me (0 to 12 months) - You and your baby are invited to join us for songs, rhymes, and experiences designed to help you connect with your baby. Enjoy engaging conversations and sharing information on healthy child development. It's a great way to connect with your baby, other families and educators.

Baby Music & Movement (0 to 12 months) - This program invites you and your baby to enjoy music and movement together. We'll sing songs, play with instruments and materials that help support healthy development while connecting with other families and educators.

Messy Play – (1 to 6 years) - This program invites you and your child(ren) to explore the environment with their senses to promote early learning and development. Dress for the mess and join us for interactive, hands-on activities while connecting with other families and educators.

Music & Movement – (0 to 6 years) - This program invites you and your child(ren) to enjoy music and movement together. We'll sing songs, play with instruments and materials that help support healthy development while connecting with other families and educators.

Play Learn & Connect – (0 to 6 years) - This program invites you and your child(ren) to engage in experiences that promote early learning, social skills, and creativity. Together, you may explore songs, stories, and hands-on activities through interactive play. It's a great way to connect with other families and educators. Available in Farsi on Tuesday evenings and Mandarin on Thursdays mornings at St Jerome

Ready Set Move – (1 to 6 years) - This program invites you and your child(ren) to join us and get moving together! "Ready, Set, Move!" is packed with experiences to build strength, coordination, and confidence. Whether it's jumping or balancing, enjoy quality time and staying active with your child. It's a great way to connect with other families and educators.

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Toddler Exploring Science – (10 to 30 months) - This program invites you and your toddler to enjoy hands-on activities that spark curiosity and creativity. Discover the wonders of science together. It's a great way to connect with other families and educators.

Toddler Stories Come Alive (10 to 30 months) – This program invites you and your toddler to join in fun activities that make stories exciting and enhance the reading experience. Families can enjoy playful learning opportunities that inspire a love for reading, encourage language development, and help build strong relationships. It's a great way to connect with other families and educators.

Toddler Time (10 to 30 months) - This program invites you and your toddler to enjoy fun learning activities together. You'll explore different materials, play, and learn, while building positive relationships. It's a great chance to bond with your child and connect with other families and educators.

Virtual Parenting Programs

Let's Talk (0 to 6 years) -Join us for the opportunity to speak with educators and other families. Topics may include child development, available community information, newcomer and prenatal, and postnatal supports. Community partners may also join to offer their expertise.

Let's Talk "Mandarin" (1 to 6 years) - Join us Tuesdays from **1:30–2:15 pm** for *Let's Talk "Mandarin"*. This program will introduce the **Ages and Stages Questionnaire (ASQ)**—a valuable developmental screening tool. We'll walk you through its different parts and how it can be used to support children's growth.

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Songs Rhymes & Stories (0 to 6 years) - This program invites you and your child(ren) to engage in singing, rhyming, and storytelling! This program supports development of language and literacy skills in a fun and engaging way. It's a great way to connect with other families and educators.

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