

# 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



## April 2026 Calendar

Please note that we will be closed on **April 3, 4, and 6**. We look forward to seeing you when we reopen!

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

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>Aurora Main Centre 40 Engelhard Dr. Unit 1 Aurora, ON, L4G 6X6</b>					
<b>Morning Programs</b>					
<b>Play Learn &amp; Connect</b> (0 to 6 years) 9:00 to 11:00 am	<b>Messy Play</b> (1 to 6 years) 9:00 to 11:00 am	<b>Play Learn &amp; Connect</b> (0 to 6 years) 9:00 to 11:00 am	<b>Play Learn &amp; Connect</b> (0 to 6 years) 9:00 to 12:30 pm	<b>Play Learn &amp; Connect</b> (0 to 6 years) 9:00 to 11:00 am	<b>Play Learn &amp; Connect</b> (0 to 6 years) 9:00 to 11:00 am
<b>Afternoon Programs</b>					
<b>Baby Music &amp; Movement</b> (0 to 12 months) 1:30 to 3:00 pm		<b>Parent-Child Mother Goose</b> (0 to 12 months) 1:30 to 3:00 pm <b>Registration required</b>			
<b>Evening Program</b>					
	<b>Play Learn &amp; Connect</b> (0 to 6 years) 4:00 to 7:30 pm				
	<b>Play Learn &amp; Connect "Farsi"</b> (0 to 6 years) 5:30 to 7:30				

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Light of Christ Catholic Elementary School – 290 McClellan Way, Aurora, ON L4G 6P3					
<b>Baby &amp; Me</b> (0 to 12 months) 9:30 to 11:30 am	<b>Toddler Time</b> (10 to 30 months) 9:30 to 11:30 am	<b>Play Learn &amp; Connect</b> (0 to 6 years) 9:30 to 11:30 am	<b>Play Learn &amp; Connect</b> (0 to 6 years) 9:30 to 11:30 am	<b>Play Learn &amp; Connect</b> (0 to 6 years) 9:30 to 11:30 am	
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St. Jerome Catholic Elementary School – 20 Bridgenorth Dr., Aurora, ON L6G 7P3					
<b>Play Learn &amp; Connect</b> (0 to 6 years) 9:00 am to 12:30 pm		<b>Parent-Child Mother Goose</b> (0 to 12 months) 9:00 to 11:00 am <b>The program is full</b>	<b>Play Learn &amp; Connect</b> (0 to 6 years) 9:00 to 11:00 am	<b>Toddler Time</b> (10 to 30 months) 9:00 to 11:00 am	<small>Aurora Calendar</small> 
		<b>Toddler Time</b> (10 to 30 months) 1:30 to 3:00 pm			
Regency Acres Public School – 123 Murray Dr., Aurora, ON L4G 2C7					
			<b>Ready, Set, Move</b> (1 to 6 years) 8:45 to 10:15 am		
Sheppard's Bush Conservation Area – Entrance on Mary St					
	<b>Special Events</b> <b>Spring is Here</b> <b>April 28</b> <b>1:30 – 3:30 pm</b>				

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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					
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Play Learn &amp; Connect "Urdu" 11:00 to 11:45 am</li> <li>● Songs Rhymes &amp; Stories 1:30 to 2:15 pm</li> <li>● Let's Talk: 2:30 to 3:15 pm</li> <li>● Songs Rhymes &amp; Stories 3:00 to 3:45 pm</li> <li>● Play Learn &amp; Connect "Punjabi" 3:30 to 4:15 pm</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Play Learn &amp; Connect "Turkish" 1:30 to 2:15 pm</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Play Learn &amp; Connect "Mandarin" 1:30 to 2:15 pm</li> <li>● Baby Music &amp; Movement 1:30 to 2:15 pm</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Songs, Rhymes &amp; Stories 1:30 to 2:30 pm</li> <li>● Play Learn &amp; Connect "Cantonese" 3:30 to 4:15 pm <b>April 23 &amp; 30 only</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Baby Music &amp; Movement 10:00 to 10:45 am</li> <li>● Songs, Rhymes &amp; Stories 11:00 to 11:45 am</li> </ul>	<p>Aurora Calendar</p>

## Virtual Program Description

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#### Virtual Parenting Programs

**Let's Talk English/Mandarin** - Join this 3-week series of informative online workshops for parents and caregivers who are preparing their children to start childcare. We will talk about how to support children and their parents during the transition time.

April 13<sup>th</sup> English Session  
April 20<sup>th</sup> Mandarin Session  
April 27 English/ Mandarin Q&A

#### Virtual Programs

**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 use 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. Offered in **Cantonese, Mandarin, Punjabi, Turkish, and Urdu**

**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 the 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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## EarlyON Special Events

### Special Events and Aurora Main Centre

**York Region's Resources and Free Swap Day – April 14, 2026** – 9:00 to 11:00 am - "Come connect with community partners and discover supports for your child's development. We will also host a Free Swap of pre-loved children's clothes, toys & books. Families are invited to bring gently used children's clothing, toys, and books to exchange and take home new-to-them treasures.

### Special Event at Sheppard's Bush

**Spring is here! – April 28, 2026** – 1:30 to 3:30 pm - Come join us as we explore the new growth that nature has to offer. Remember to wear your rubber boots —spring is a wonderful time to splash, explore, and discover our surroundings together. Follow our EarlyON sign down the path and join us at the pavilion for some fun activities!

### York Region Special Events

**Join free online sessions with a York Region Public Health nutritionist to learn more about children's nutrition.**

**Strategies for feeding toddlers and preschoolers – April 8, 2026** – 6:30 to 7:30 pm - Struggling with picky eating or mealtime battles? This session will help you feel more confident in navigating everyday feeding challenges and learn how to support young children in developing a positive relationship with food.

**Introducing solid foods to babies – The basics and beyond – April 16, 2026** – 1:00 to 2:00 pm - If you are a parent or caregiver starting solids with a baby, this session will help support you every step of your baby's solid food journey!

**Preparing Your Child for Kindergarten - Packing Lunches – April 18, 2026** – 10:00 to 11:00 am - Get ready for lunch and snack time routines with York Region Public Health nutrition staff! Topics will include:

- Lunch ideas and inspiration
- Supporting children with the transition to school lunches
- Litterless Lunches:
- Tips for Making Packed Lunches a Success

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**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 use 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.

**Play Learn and 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.

**Parent-Child Mother Goose** (0 to 12 months) - This program invites you and your baby or young child to a group experience that focuses on the pleasure and power of using rhymes, songs, and stories together. You will be introduced to skills that can enhance your confidence to create positive family patterns during your child's critical early years. Everyone can benefit from enjoyable, healthy experiences with language and communication. It's a great way to connect with other families and educators.

**Ready Set Move** (12 months 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 stay active with your child. 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.

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