

## January 2023 Newsletter

Welcome to our New Families:

Allen Family
Bethsworth Family
Huppe Family

Happy Birthday! Ms. Regina January 8th

Find the RSLC School Menu for January 2023



Happy New Year!
We are thankful for the families and community that pour into our programs! As well, look for several exciting changes coming to RSLC in 2023!

RSLC is accepting enrollments for PreSchool (Ages 2 - 5 year old)

Did you know that RSLC has a Family Referral Bonus Program?

Contact RSLC Leadership for more details!

Check out our amazing community partners!







parents as teachers







### 2022 at RSLC was Awesome!







## We can't wait for 2023!









#### **Developmental Corner**

This month's Developmental Focus is **Sensory Play!** 

Sensory play encourages learning through exploration, curiosity, problem solving and creativity! It helps to build nerve connections in the brain and encourages the development of language and motor skills!

## Want to create a Sensory Bin at home?



Click Here!



Where Messy Kids...
...Are Learning Kids!



#### RSLC Teacher Spotlight

If you ask Ms. Regina why she does what she does, be prepared for a dissertation on children, child development, and their authenticity. She wants every child to feel loved, respected, and valued for who they are no matter where they are. Anyone that has had the pleasure to watch her in class would agree, as it is hard to overlook her insight when it comes to child development.

When she is not loving on every single child at RSLC (everyone is her favorite – but don't tell anyone else that!), Ms. Regina is spending time with her children and grandchildren. She is also pursuing her degree in Early Childhood Education and working hard to set an example for the future of our world.

#### RSLC Family Spotlight

The Huppe Family has only been at RSLC for a couple of months but their impact has been felt by the entire community! While Dad, Andrew, is from the KC area, the family recently relocated from Brooklyn, NY in September of 2022. Ruben (2) joined RSLC just after they moved to KC, with Issa (6 months) join in December.



The family has already found many new family traditions and has had fun finding new adventures for their family. From exploring pumpkin patches to visiting Santa, they love exploring in the metro. They are looking forward to even more discoveries this spring and summer!

Do you love
Rising Sun
as much as we do?





# Have you heard about MEEC?

According to the <u>CDC</u>: Early developmental opportunities can provide a foundation for children's academic success, health, and general well-being. Preschool-aged children experience profound biological brain development and achieve 90 percent of their adult brain volume by age 6. This physiological growth allows children to develop functional skills related to information processing, comprehension, language, emotional regulation, and motor skills.

#### How does this happen? Early Childhood Education (ECE) Centers & Providers of course!

ECE Providers are a critical resource for families and an integral component of the national infrastructure. MEEC's goal is to help ECE Providers gain access to support systems, policy influence, and advocacy resources that an organized representation can provide.

#### How can you get involved?

Follow us on Facebook and here for more on what MEEC is doing to support the ECE Community!