



Monday, February 7, 2022

Dear YMCA Child Care Families,

We hope that you are keeping healthy and safe.

With the current public health measures and guidance surrounding isolation and quarantine requirements for COVID-19, we are experiencing staffing shortages in our child care centres. Although our supervisors do their best to ensure that centres remain open, there may be times when we have to temporarily close a specific site or classroom.

In the event that a centre has to be temporarily closed due to staffing shortages, families will be notified through email and Weemarkable.

We strongly encourage families to check their emails each morning prior to dropping off their child(ren) at their respective centre to ensure that the centre is open and running. Child Care families will also be notified through Y Alerts on Weemarkable.

We understand that these closures are an inconvenience to families however, we need to ensure proper child to educator ratios and high quality care. Should you have further questions, please do not hesitate to contact the supervisor at your child(ren)'s centre.

Thank you for your continued support and stay well.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Courtney Berlinghoff".

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