

Gummi Bears 2026 September Newsletter



"GOODBYE"

I'm glad i was your teacher. i've come to love you so. I can't believe the end is here. I hate to see you go.

I've watched you learn and grown and change from day to day. I hope that all the things we've done have helped in some small way.

So it's with happy memories that i send you out the door with great hope and expectations for what next year hold in store.

Remember all the fun we had and all the things we did, but most of all remember.... YOU'RE A VERY SPECIAL KID!

Hello Families As we close out our Summer fun we are sending off some of our Gummie Pals to a new Adventure. We are going to miss our little families and friends , But we are Encouraging their Continued Developments.We are super excited to welcome our New Gummie Bear friends and families. Miss Dee,Dawn,Mandy are looking forward to a new Start of Fun and learning Welcome to the Gummi Bear Room.



PINK

The color pink Symbolizes Kindness, Warmth, and compassion. It reflects nurturing energy, emotional healing,and positivity. Pink encourages comfort, tenderness,hope, and the joy of caring connections.

SEPTEMBER THEME: APPLES IN THE FALL

LETTER: Mm, Aa

NUMBER: 3

SHAPE: CIRCLE

COLOR: RED

Special Days:

9/2 Soccer Shuts

9/3 **NO HOT LUNCH DAY**

9/4 Closing At 3:00

9/7 Closed for Labor Day

9/8 NEW classes Start (Move Up)

9/9 Teddy Bear Day

9/20 International Peace Day

9/22 First Day of Autumn

9/23 National Ice Cream cone day

9/25 Johnny Appleseed Day

POTTY TRAINING

We are the potty training room Some friends are just starting and some friends have already started with potty training. When starting potty training we ask for the Parents to communicate that information with teachers. That information helps us work on potty training at school as well. For some children they are less interested in trying and that's fine. Potty training should be something new and exciting for children to learn not Scary we want them to be as Comfortable as Possible and Happy because it gets the job done. For any information about potty training please for free to contact us.

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Madelyn Mines 9/19

REMINDER

We do NOT heat food in the microwave. If you want your child to have warm food, we recommend a Hot/Cold insulated thermos.

PLEASE REMEMBER TO LABEL ALL OF YOUR CHILD'S BELONGINGS. CHECK OUT LNCH BUG FOR PERSONALIZED LABELS.

HOT LUNCH

9/3 NO HOT LUNCH

9/10 NO HOT LUNCH

9/17 PIZZA

9/24 CHICKEN NUGGETS/FRIES

Classroom Cubbies

We do not have lockers we have cubbies inside our classroom where our kids store their clothes. we ask for 3 outfits, socks, and maybe a pair of old shoes to store in cubbies.

Welcome to the start of our **2026-27 school year!** We hope everyone had a great summer and are looking forward to cooler temperatures and the rest of the fun that the fall season brings. The **September Calendar of Events** is posted on the website as well as on the classroom doors.

Specific classroom information and our **Family Handbook** is available on our **website** in the Programs Tab <https://daycarecentersinc.com/programs/>. Click on your child's classroom name, scroll down to the bottom of the page and click on **Welcome Pack** and **Family Handbook**.

Every child **must have had breakfast/first bottle before** coming to care.

Every child must have a **yearly physical form** with all shots up to date. If we do not have a current, up-to-date physical on file for your child **PLEASE get this done immediately. These PHYSICAL FORMS are DUE EVERY YEAR! We are in our State Inspection window. Without a current physical we must deny services.**

Lunch Orders: There is **NO Thursday lunch** scheduled for the first week of school. (9/7) If you do order lunches, please *remember to provide a drink for the meal.*

*If there is **perishable food** in your child's lunch please label it and we will place it in the refrigerator. Please use **ice packs** in lunchboxes as well.

Safety:

*As with the start of every new school year, we ask for your cooperation with **providing proper identification** when picking up your child. Since family members are permitted to enter the building, **keep your child close to you and be aware of other cars in the parking lot. Speed limit in the parking lot is 5 MPH. Enter on Central and exit on Spear. This keeps the traffic going one way in the parking lot. Children may not wander the hallways/stairwells without a parent in sight.**

***Entrance/Exit Door** - our main entrance and exit is the **back door off of the playground**. This is the only door families may enter or exit the building. All doors to the building are kept locked at all times. **The back door is manned from 7:30-9:00 AM and from 3:30-5:30 PM daily.**

When school-age children are outside on the playground (typically on Mon, Tues and Thurs) all other children are permitted to use the climber till they come inside. We will be closing the gate by 4:30 each day.

If your child needs to use the bathroom while you are outside and the building is still open, please do not use the classrooms bathroom. Please use the restrooms located by the Care Bear rooms. There is also a porta-potty outside that you may use. Once children have been signed out for the day, they should not return to their classroom. Thank you for your cooperation!

***ID Required to pick up a child. We have 2 people to man the door in the afternoon. They may not know everyone so please have your ID ready and tell them your name, who you are picking up, and what room they are in.**

***If anyone other than the normal, everyday pick-up person (even if they are an emergency contact person) needs to pick up your child, you must complete a yellow release form and leave it at the backdoor desk.**

***All Children MUST wear socks and closed shoes** (sneakers) to protect their feet while participating in large motor play both inside and outside.

*Long hair **MUST** be pulled up and tied back to prevent head lice.

We hope everyone is excited for our new school!

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