

## **Changes to Childcare**

## **Important changes - Please Read**

After reflection and additional information regarding the current recommendations for social distancing and infection control, Sophia's Hearth childcare will be adopting the following changes until further notice.

Beginning on Wednesday, March 18, 2020

- Childcare open hours will change to 8:30-4:15 daily. Your tuition payments will be credited to reflect the changed hours.
- We will not be allowing visitors to the building.
- Teachers will screen your child each day for symptoms of illness. Your child can not attend if they have a fever or any symptoms of respiratory illness. Children must be able to participate in regular daily activities.
- Please report any occurrence of respiratory illness in your household.
- While we always use universal health precautions, we will be increasing our daily cleaning and disinfecting routines.
- Due to the increased amount of cleaning, we will not be able to wash children's clothing or outdoor gear. Please plan on taking clothes and gear home for daily washing.
- Sophia's Hearth will not be enrolling any additional children.

These are extraordinary times and information changes every day. We will keep you updated via email and by phone as changes occur. We will also post updates on Facebook and when possible will update our website.

Please keep us informed about your child's attendance. We care deeply for your child and want them to remain healthy. We know this is a challenging time for parents. We will try always to balance your needs with the social responsibility we must all embrace.