



EARLY CHILDHOOD FAMILY EDUCATION For Parents and Children

Welcome to the Early Childhood Family Education (ECFE) program. Parents have a great influence on their children as the first and most significant teachers in their lives. Because the role of parenting is so important, this program is designed to include children with their parents where they will reassure parenting skills, encourage children in caring ways, and will bring parents and children together for a variety of shared experiences.

PARENT-CHILD ACTIVITIES

Join ECFE for support, information, and enjoyable activities with your children. Any family with children between birth and kindergarten is welcome to attend. There will be a \$15.00 fee per family/year for classes. No family will be denied participation due to an inability to pay.

Please pre-register 1 week before class starts

Please use the Southeast door (office). Class meets in Preschool Room (101).

***DUE TO WEATHER OR UNFORSEEN CIRCUMSTANCES, ECFE EVENTS MAY CHANGE. PLEASE SEE:**

**SCHOOL WEBSITE, FERTILE-BELTRAMI SCHOOL NEWS ON FACEBOOK,
OR JOIN NEW TEAM REACH APP**

FOR ANY CHANGES OR CANCELLATIONS

Health Screening

Before coming to an ECFE class/event, please screen your child for illness.

If your child has one of the following, please keep them home.

- o Fever of 100.0 or higher
- o New or worsening cough
- o Difficulty breathing
- o Loss of taste or smell

If your child has two of the following, please keep them home.

- o Chills
- o Muscle or body aches
- o Excessive fatigue
- o Sore throat
- o Congestion or runny nose
- o Headache
- o Nausea or vomiting
- o Diarrhea
- o Muscle or body aches
- o Close contact or cared for someone with COVID-19

Let's help keep everyone safe and healthy!

ECFE CLASSES

Cabin Fever Nights (3-5 year olds)

(Lunchroom) Tuesdays 6:30-8pm

January 13, January 20, January 27

Break up the winter and enjoy this family time together experiencing large motor activities such as parachute play, scooters, volleyball, dance, playful learning activities, and art. The evening will end with circle time, story, and a snack.

Winter Evenings Celebrating the Seasons (2-5 year olds)

(Room 101) 1st Tuesday of each month

February 3, March 3, April 7

Enjoy learning and doing things related to the upcoming holidays!

Walking With Animals (2-3 year olds)

(Room 101) Tuesdays 6:30-8pm

February 10, February 17, February 24

A special time for parents and children together to enjoy stories, activities, finger plays, art, and music.

Lively Little Ones (Birth-2 years old)

(Room 101) Tuesdays 6:30-7:30pm

March 10, March 17, March 24

Connect with other newer parents and families. Share joys and developmental changes of your child. Explore activities learning and having fun with the world all around us.

ONE TIME ECFE SPECIALS

Pre-registration one week ahead is recommended

Pre-registration Options: 1) Call the school at 945-6953 ext. 101

2) Email: bmeine@isd599.org

3) Mail: ECFE, F-B School, 210 Mill St S, Fertile, MN 56540

4) Team Reach App

*All special events "Fun Nights" are free of charge unless otherwise stated.

*Watch the school website, Fertile-Beltrami School News on Facebook, or Team Reach App for any updates or cancellations.

Daddy and Me Carpenter Night

Tuesday, April 14, 6:30-8:00pm, Fertile-Beltrami School

Lunchroom

\$5.00 fee

Preschool children and their dad, grandfather, or special male friend are invited to make a wooden item. Please bring a hammer. Be sure to pre-register one week before so there are enough supplies.



Preschool Screening-Friday, March 6th, 8:00am-12pm (you will receive information by mail if screening needs to be done at this time)

State guidelines make preschool screening mandatory before entrance to preschool and Kindergarten. It is an opportunity for parents and care givers to review their child's growth and development and follow up any concerns. If you are new to the district, please call the school at 218-945-6953.

Bingo for Books-Watch for an update on date

Play bingo games about colors, shapes, numbers, and pictures with your preschool child. Every child will receive a book.

ARE YOU ON THE SCHOOL CENSUS???

Parents with children 0-5 years of age... You are never too young... or too new... to be in our school census. Call the school at 218-945-6953 to enroll your child on the census (Mailing List).



Pre-registration Form

Mail: ECFE, Fertile-Beltrami School 210 Mill St. S, Fertile, MN 56736

Call: 218-945-6953 ext. 101

Email: bmeine@isd599.org

Team Reach App:

Parent's Name _____ Home Phone _____

Address _____ Work Phone _____

Email address _____

Child's Name Birth Date Session

\$15.00 class fee enclosed _____ Fee for 2025-26 previously paid _____

Unable to pay at this time _____

****TEAM REACH INFO:**



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