

Please see our parent board for more parent resources!

## <u>Magic Reindeer</u> Food

A fun activity to do at home with the kiddos!!!

https://www.slayathomemo ther.com/reindeer-foodrecipe/



Picture (winter and holiday themes)
Re Take Day is Friday, December
2<sup>nd</sup>, 2022!!

### **Upcoming Dates:**

Abilities First is CLOSED 12/23 & 12/26

Winter Breakfast Event: 12/15/22 8-10 a.m.



# Tis the season for sickness

To keep all children in our care healthy and happy, please remember to wash hands often. Join us in reminding our children how to stop the spread of germs. Keep your child home if they are showing symptoms of illness. We want to keep everyone healthy!

### **Holiday Parties**

Holiday Parties and Holiday Spirit week will be December 19-December 22. Feel free to bring treats to share. If you bring homemade treats, please let us know the ingredients used so can keep our allergy friends safe. Each classroom will announce details in the coming weeks!



#### Teacher of the Month

December's teacher of the month is Jaiden Cox. Jaiden is a newer teacher of ours and has been with us around 3 months. She has been a floater and been in just about every classroom. She has been a light in each classroom she has shined in. We appreciate her kind and calm approach with our kiddos and families and her willingness to go above and beyond what is asked! Jaiden will enjoy a sweet treat on us this month! To nominate a teacher for January, please email Stephanie @ stephanie.cress@abilitiesfirst.org



### Winter Breakfast Event

Join your little(s) in a winter themed pancake breakfast with fun crafts to do together. Santa will also be on site for a photo opportunity. Each family can have their photo emailed to them or printed and sent home the next day. Let the kiddos show you where they learn and play. Join us on December 15<sup>th</sup> from 8-10 a.m.



## Holiday Wish Lists

As you are cleaning out your old toys and items for the holidays this year, please keep us here at Abilities First in mind before you toss them! Our ECLC and ALC classrooms are always in need of some new (or slightly used) toys for our kiddos. If you would like to donate toys, please see Stephanie or bring to any ECLC teacher! Below are just a few things on the classroom wish lists!

#### **Infant/Toddlers**

- Rocking Chair
  - Music Toys
  - Art Easels
  - Play food
- Baby doll accessories
- Science and sensory items Powerclix frames
- Stamps and stamp pads
- Shape and letter sorters

#### **Preschool/Pre K**

- Dotters
- Art Easels
- Magna Tiles
- Wooden Blocks
  - Books
  - Puzzles
- Sensory items
- Science and Discovery items



Enjoy a pancake breakfast with your littles, along with crafts and a picture with Santa!

THURSDAY

DECEMBER 15

ABILITIES FIRST GYM

08:00AM - 10:00AM



INCLUDES: DELICIOUS BREAKFAST,
PHOTO WITH SANTA (WILL SEND A DIGITAL COPY TO
AN EMAIL) WINTER CRAFTS, MUSIC, ENTERTAINMENT

PLEASE RSVP WITH THE INFO ON THE NEXT PAGE BEFORE MONDAY,
DEC. 12, 2022

OR CALL: 513-423-9496