



Parents,

As we embark on our partnership with Grow NJ Kids, we have started training our staff members on our new curriculum, Creative Curriculum. After reviewing the different curriculum programs at Grow NJ Kids offers, we feel that Creative Curriculum would work best of the dynamic of our center. This curriculum allows children to learn through play and structured group studies conducted as a class.

All full-time staff members and management will complete six hours of training before we implement the curriculum center wide. On the next page we have provided some information about what Creative Curriculum is, why it is important and how it works.

Please let us know if you have any questions or would like additional information on it.



The Creative Curriculum is an early childhood curriculum that encourages children to learn through exploration and discovery. It's designed to help children develop confidence, creativity, and critical thinking skills.

What it's about

- The Creative Curriculum is research-based and used in preschools, pre-K, and kindergarten.
- It's also used for infants, toddlers, and twos, and in family childcare.
- The curriculum is project-based and encourages children to use all their senses to learn about the world.
- It helps children develop social, emotional, physical, cognitive, and language skills.

Why it's important

- The Creative Curriculum helps children become independent, self-confident, inquisitive, and enthusiastic learners.
- It helps children develop lifelong critical thinking skills.
- It connects families to their children's learning.

How it works

- The Creative Curriculum emphasizes a classroom environment with responsive daily routines and meaningful, individualized experiences.
- It helps teachers create a high-quality learning environment.