



Parenting Center Guidelines and Calendar

Welcome to the Parenting Center. Here you'll find classes for babies and children ages 0-4, as well as workshops for expecting families.

92Y's Parenting Center is a special and unique place. Our carefully curated programs are created by early education experts and led by experienced teachers. When designing our classes, we start by looking at the child and asking, "How can we help him or her connect with the world?" The Parenting Center is part of the 92Y Wonderplay program for early childhood education.

Please visit 92Y.org/ParentingCenter for guidelines for specific programs and classes.

Tips and Guidelines

- Dress your child in comfortable clothing suitable for fun.
- Come prepared to join in! Adults are role models for children and they learn from our participation in activities such as free play, clean-up and story time.
- Try to be on time – free play is an important part of the class. However, come even if you are running late!
- If your child is having a hard time, it often helps take a short walk in the hall to get away from the bustle of the playroom. Once your child has settled down, rejoin your class for a fresh start.
- Please - no hot drinks in the playroom. We want to avoid dangerous spills.
- Our policy is one adult per child. However, if a special circumstance arises and you would like to bring a visiting relative or sibling, please check with us in advance.
- No cell phones or Blackberries please!
- If a caregiver or relative is bringing your child to a Parenting Center class, go over these guidelines with him/her before class begins.
- Your leader and the Parenting staff are always available for questions and concerns. Feel free to be in touch by phone at 212.415.5611 or by email stannen@92Y.org.



Fall & Spring 2015/2016 Calendar

Parenting Center fall and spring semester classes: Parkbench / Kids in the Kitchen / Art Smarts / Come Dance with Me

September

17 Parenting Center fall classes begin
23 NO CLASS – Yom Kippur

October

12 NO CLASS – Columbus Day

November

13 NO CLASS – 2015 Wonderplay Conference
26 NO CLASS – Thanksgiving
27 NO CLASS - Thanksgiving

December 19- January 3: WINTER BREAK

January

4 Classes resume
15 Parenting Center fall classes end
25 Parenting Center spring classes begin

February 13-21: PRESIDENT'S DAY WEEK

February 22: Classes resume

March 24-April 1: SPRING BREAK

April

4 Classes resume
22 NO CLASS - Passover
28 NO CLASS - Passover
29 NO CLASS - Passover

May

20 Parenting Center spring classes end



Fall 2015 Calendar

Parenting Center fall classes: Babies Together / Little Explorers

September

21 Parenting Center fall session 1 begins

October

12 NO CLASS

November

16 Parenting Center fall session 2 begins

26 NO CLASS – Thanksgiving

27 NO CLASS – Thanksgiving

December 19 - January 3: WINTER BREAK

January

4 Classes resume

15 Parenting Center fall session 2 ends



Fall & Spring 2015/2016 Calendar

Parenting Center 2s and 3s Together Yearlong program

September

10 2s and 3s Together parents' meeting
17 Classes begin
23 NO CLASS – Yom Kippur

October

12 NO CLASS – Columbus Day

November

13 NO CLASS – 2015 Wonderplay Conference
26 NO CLASS – Thanksgiving
27 NO CLASS – Thanksgiving

December 19- January 3: WINTER BREAK

January

4 Classes resume
18-22 NO CLASS – Martin Luther King Jr. Day observance
19 Staff development day

February 13-21: PRESIDENT'S WEEK

February 22: Classes resume

March 25-April 3: SPRING BREAK

April

4 Classes resume
22 NO CLASS – Passover
28 NO CLASS – Passover
29 NO CLASS – Passover

May

30 NO CLASS – Memorial Day
31 Classes resume

June

17 2s and 3s Together – last day of classes