

Our Mission

- We are committed to providing support, education and encouragement to families in our community with children birth to 10 years.

What We Do:

- Recognize parents as their child's first teacher.
- Build on family strengths.
- Provide social connections and support for all family members.
- Promote early literacy skills.
- Assist families in times of transitions: relocation, new baby, child care providers, schools, etc.
- Link families to community resources.



Annual Events & Series

Parent Child Date Nights

Experience a night out with one of your children ages 5-10 years old to enjoy some quality interaction while participating in fun activities!

Look for program flyers with additional information including dates and themes.

February Storywalk

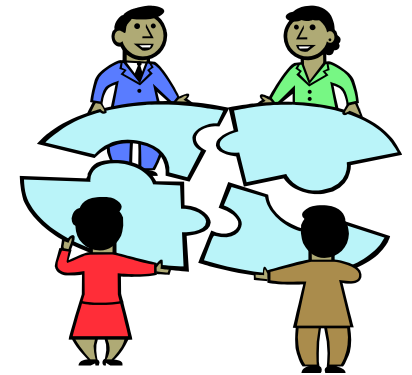
Get out of the cold and into a great book! Stroll through the pages of a beloved children's book at the Agawam Public Library

Agawam Community Informational Fair

The purpose of this event is to connect families with programs & services that support our community.

Event flyer will have additional information for the 2019 Fair

Agawam Family & Community Program



2018-2019 Event Schedule

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Funding for the Coordinated Family & Community Engagement (CFCE) Grant provided by Massachusetts Department of Early Education & Care (EEC)

Weekly Events

Agawam Family Playgroup

Thursdays, 9:30-11:00am
Agawam Congregational Church
745 Main Street
Children Birth to 5 years
No Registration Required

Monthly Events

Parent Café Series

Themed based round table discussions where you can:
* Connect & ask other parents questions
* Obtain new ideas for your family
*Hear from guest speakers

Morning & Evening Cafés are offered with FREE childcare

All Cafés are located at
Agawam Congregational Church
(lower level)
745 Main Street

See monthly calendars for specific Café themes and dates.

Memory Journal Event

Pictures can only tell part of a memory, come learn how to tell the rest of the story. Children will learn to create a memory journal that they will enjoy & treasure for years come.
Registration is required

See event flyer for additional details.

Learn, Play & Grow Events

For Parents and Children Ages 2 to 5 years.

Parents are their child's first teachers/playmate and play a pivotal role in providing a stimulating environment.

See event flyers for specific dates, times and locations.

Homeschool Events

Monthly activities for Homeschool families.

See event flyer for additional details
These events are hosted at the
Agawam Public Library

Kindergarten Readiness

If you live in Agawam/Feeding Hills and have a child entering into Kindergarten in the Fall of 2018, pick up our FREE Kindergarten Readiness Kit at the Agawam Public Library

Adult ESL Classes

*Helping parents connect with the community *Grow communication skills for daily life * Activities for parents & children.

Agawam Congregational Church
(lower level)
745 Main Street

See event flyer for additional details.

Weather Cancellation Policy

The Agawam Family & Community Program follows the Agawam Public School calendar and weather, Holiday and vacation schedules and policies.

Closures: If Agawam Public Schools are closed for weather, Holidays or vacations our programs will be cancelled and if possible rescheduled.

2 Hour Delay: In the event there is a 2 hour delay, all morning programs, including Playgroup will be cancelled

Evening Programs Cancelled: If afternoon & evening events are cancelled for the schools our programs are also cancelled.

For all event details, themes and registration information see event flyers.

Look for additional activities to be announced throughout the 2018-2019 school year.

**To request our newsletter and event announcements email:
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