





Agawam Family & Community Program

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January 2019

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Program Descriptions

**For all event registrations and questions email:
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Homeschool Event Wednesday, Jan. 2nd 11:00-12:00pm

January's Theme: Where does snow come from? We will discuss how snow is made while partaking in hands on activities! This event is geared towards early elementary students, siblings are welcome to attend. This event will take place at the Agawam Public Library 750 Cooper Street.
**Registration is appreciated.

Agawam Family Weekly Playgroup Every Thursday 9:30-11:00am

Open to all families with children Birth to 5 years. Two age appropriate rooms for children and their parent/caregiver to learn, explore and build friendships. This event takes place in the Lower Level of the Agawam Congregational Church 745 Main Street.

**Registration is not required.

ESL Group 6 Week session begins Jan 8th 10:00-11:30am

Helping ESL families connect with their community. ~ Grow communication skills for daily living ~ Reach personal language goals ~ Parent child-based activities. **FREE Childcare

This event takes place in the Lower level of the Agawam Congregational Church 745 Main Street .

**Registration is appreciated.

Memory Journal Tuesday, Jan. 8th 6:00-7:00pm

Pictures can only tell part of a memory, come learn how to tell the rest of the story. Learn to create a memory journal that you and your family will treasure for years come. This event will take place at the Agawam Public Library 750 Cooper Street

**Registration is appreciated.

Learn, Play & Grow Thursday, Jan. 10th 6:00-7:00 pm or Friday, Jan. 11th 9:30-10:30am

January's Theme: Brrrr! It's cold outside! Get out of the house and join in the fun with some snow themed activities like a mitten matching game and a snowball toss! You can take home your own unique snowman craft too! This event is for children ages 2-5yrs to attend with their parents or care taker. Morning & Evening Location: Lower Level of the Agawam Congregational Church 745 Main Street.

** Registration is appreciated.

ESL Group Conversation Group Jan. 22nd 10:00-11:30am

This group is designed for advanced English language learners. Join us for refreshments and casual conversation about our day to day activities and topics relating to parenting/community. **FREE Childcare This event takes place in the Lower level of the Agawam Congregational Church 745 Main Street.

**Registration is not required.

Parent-Child Date Nights Jan. 23rd 6:00-7:00pm

January's Theme: Come join in the fun as we learn where snow comes from! We will make our own snow to take home and make some snow crafts! This event is for parents/caregivers and one child age 5-10yrs. This event will take place at the Agawam Public Library 750 Cooper Street.

**Registration is appreciated.

Parent Café Jan. 31st 6:30-8:00pm or Feb. 1st 9:30-11:00am

January's Theme: Explore parenting through the lens of what type of adult will your child grow to become. Join us for an informal panel discussion made up of educators and parents. Bring your thoughts, success stories and struggles.

**FREE Childcare This event takes place in the Lower level of the Agawam Congregational Church 745 Main Street.

**Registration is not required.

Weather Cancellation Policy

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