



WELCOME TO THE TODDLER ROOM

My name is Ms. Marge. I have been working at Wee Welcome Inn since 2003. I have an associate degree in early childhood. I am married and have 2 children. I also have six siblings. Family is very important to me. I like working on jigsaw puzzles, crocheting and gardening in my spare time. In this room we begin to work with the children on being more independent, such as self-feeding with people food, washing their own hands after diaper changes and joining in group activities. We read stories, music (which the children love!), and teach finger plays centered on a weekly theme. We go outside frequently when the weather permits, so please send boots, hats, mittens, snow pants and jackets (ALL LABELED) every day.

Your child will need a sleeping bag and a small blanket for rest. The state requires that the bag be zipped on two sides and relatively thick. We turn off the lights, play soothing music and sit with them as we rub their backs. They all do go to sleep after lunch. We ask that you send food on a daily basis in a LABELED lunch box as we do not have ample storage for a week's worth of food. Please send food that is already prepared and just needs to be warmed up. No easy mac, canned goods, frozen meals, or foods that require longer than 1 minute to warm up. In our room we fill out the daily slips in the morning and continue them throughout the day.

In the summer you can send little swimmers, a bathing suit and towel and a water bottle (all labeled) to keep here. We do play with water outside and will use a sprinkler for more water fun. We look forward to having your child join us in our young preschool program in the morning and a less structured play time in the afternoon. Any questions? Please ask.