



## **Welcome to the 2 year old room**

My name is Ms. Alyssa. I have been in the childcare field since 2020. I enjoy drawing, painting, and reading.

The children this age are learning how to put on their shoes and socks on, developing self-help skills, to share, and be kind to each other.

We do group time, art, and free-play daily as well as going outside.

We work on learning our full names/family information, colors, numbers, counting, and letter recognition. We use our fine motor skills by coloring, puzzles, and building blocks. Math skills are learned by counting objects. The children love learning about the alphabet and counting.

We usually begin our day by doing 'group'. This consists of name cards, colors, counting, animals, and letters. We finish group by singing songs. We then go on to art.

We do try to get outside daily weather permitting. I also ask that an extra set of weather appropriate clothes be brought in in case of accidents or something spilling on your child during snack or lunch. It's always nice to have a clean, dry set of clothing to change into! During the warmer weather I ask you to bring a swimsuit, beach towel, and water bottles.

I encourage children to become more independent.

(I uphold an anti-bullying stance and try to have children work out problems on their own with supervision. We try to come up with ideas as to how to avoid these conflicts in the future. It is amazing how well with a little help the children can 'fix' things amongst themselves.)

I look forward to spending time with your child.