August 2025

Sandbox News





Building Blocks Learning Academy 's News letter

~Back to School Edition~

Let's Get Ready To Go...

Please mark your calendars...School begins on Thursday, August 14th with a full day of instruction! Please have students arrive no later than 8:55 a.m.!!! This will help your child to establish a normal schedule which includes a hot nutritional breakfast. Breakfast ends at 8:30a.m.

We truly appreciate everyone's support, partnership and dedication throughout the summer and as we continue to help our students achieve *Academic Excellence* in the upcoming school year!





Remember, Tuition is due by the 5th of every month!



FINANCIAL MATTERS

As we prepare for the new school year, we must clear ALL financial obligations that are outstanding! Please make sure that <u>ALL outstanding balances</u> (i.e., tuition, late fees, summer session, copayments, etc.), have been met on or before Friday, <u>August 29, 2025</u> or your child will not be allowed to attend BBLA the following Monday....

NO EXCEPTIONS!!!

In the future, if you are 15 days behind on your tuition or other fees, we reserve the right to ask that your child not return until obligations have been met.



Updated School Physicals & Dentals



As many of you know, it is mandated by the State of Illinois that ALL children attending any learning center or school, must have an updated (annual) immunization record on file. Also, ALL children 3 years old and older must have an up to date dental. If your child(ren)'s shots

or dentals have been updated within the last year, please provide Building Blocks with the ORIGINAL documents.

If you have NOT updated your child (ren)'s shots or dentals, you MUST do so no later than



August 29, 2025. The Department of Health is conducting an audit of all of our student records and if your child's records are not up to date, he/she cannot attend until their immunizations and dentals are current. If you need additional medical and/or dental forms, please see Ms. Courtney.

Help Update Your Child's Information!!!!

As the new school year approaches, we are attempting to update ALL of the necessary information in your child's file. We are asking parents to please take a moment during the month of August to do the following:



ing Blocks is to form a partnership with our parents for a successful experience for both parent and child. The building of trust and collaborative relationships between parents and

staff allows them to share with and learn from one another.

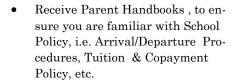
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Please make certain that your child(ren) has the necessary supplies by Tuesday, August 12 2025. All children should have a change of clothes for unforeseen accidents

which may occur.

School Supplies

Update the Emergency Contact Information.



- Ensure that we have your child's Birth Certificates & Social Security Information.
- Provide proof of income, school schedules or job training programs.
- Provide updated Medical Insurance Cards.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation. This will help us to ensure that all pertinent information for your child is up to date!!!!



Letter from Mrs. Redd

Building Blocks Learning Academy is designed to be a home away from home for children where they can learn, laugh, grow and have fun. I am excited about the new

2025-2026 school year and all that we are doing to continue to enhance this home away from home experience & foster partnerships between parent & provider. Thank you so much for trusting us to provide the memorable childcare experience!



God Bless.

Mrs. Redd

As children reach school age, our comprehensive full-day kindergarten program helps them explore, communicate and create—all in a nurturing, small-class setting. Our curriculum offers reading, language arts, math, science, foreign language, and physical fitness presented in fun way to encourage a lifelong of learning.

In addition, our program is aligned with local and state elementary school standards so children will be prepared to confidently enter first grade. We celebrate the academic accomplishments of our students each year with a cap & gown commencement ceremony.



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Inside Story Headline

This story can fit 100-150 words.

The subject matter that appears in newsletters is virtually endless. You can include stories that focus on current technologies or innovations in your field.

You may also want to note business or economic trends, or make predictions for your customers or clients.

If the newsletter is distributed internally, you might comment upon new procedures or improvements to the business.

Sales figures or earnings will show how your business is growing.

Some newsletters include a column that is updated every issue, for instance, an advice column, a book review, a letter from the president, or an editorial. You can also profile new employees or top customers or vendors.

"To catch the reader's attention, place an interesting sentence or quote from the story here."

Inside Story Headline

This story can fit 75-125 words.

Selecting pictures or graphics is an important part of adding content to your newsletter.

Think about your article and ask yourself if the picture supports or enhances the message you're trying to convey. Avoid selecting images that appear to be out of context. Microsoft Publisher includes thousands of clip art images from which you can choose and import into your newsletter. There are also several tools you can use to draw shapes and symbols.

Once you have chosen an image, place it close to the article. Be sure to place the caption of the image near the image.



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Inside Story Headline

This story can fit 175-225 words.

If your newsletter is folded and mailed, this story will appear on the back. So, it's a good idea to make it easy to read at a glance.

A question and answer session is a good way to quickly capture the attention of readers. You can either compile questions that you've received since the last edition or you can summarize some generic questions that are frequently asked about your organization.

A listing of names and titles of managers in your organization is a good way to give your newsletter a personal touch. If your organization is small, you may want to list the names of all employees.

If you have any prices of standard products or services, you can include a list-

ing of those here. You may want to refer your readers to any other forms of communication that you've created for your organization.

You can also use this space to remind readers to mark their calendars for a regular event, such as a breakfast meeting for vendors every third Tuesday of the month, or a biannual charity auction.

If space is available, this is a good place to insert a clip art image or some other graphic.



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