



Sherman County Child Care Foundation, Inc.

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### **Schedule**

I would like to take the time to thank everyone for being so understanding when it comes to our schedule. We are making it work with just the two employees currently but some days are harder to adjust than others. I appreciate the advance notice and parents working with us while we try to arrange everything. We are still look to find a third employee so if you know someone, feel free to send them our way.

### **Routine and Structure**

I have noticed lately that the afternoon structure was highly lacking and we are currently working to tighten that back up. Right now I sit with the children in the nap room and I have seen a drastic difference in not only the time it takes them to fall asleep but their moods when they wake up. Brooklyn is also working with me to keep the same rules and structure throughout the day. Currently we are enforcing keeping our hands and feet to ourselves as I found that wasn't being monitored as well as I would have liked. But I can proudly say I am already seeing a difference in the afternoon. The children are finding their inside voice again, there is less chaos and the children are able to get ready and out the door with their parents. I'm looking forward to continuing these improvements and seeing the children grow while learning more manners and being polite to each other.

### **Fun In The Sun**

The sun is coming out more and more which means we will be spending much more time outside. We ask that the kids still come with a light jacket and shoes. If you wish to leave outside attire at the day care, that is fine with us. Just put their name on the tag and we will put it away until ne need it. Once we start going outside, we will be needing to use sunscreen. If you wish for your child to have a specific brand, you may bring a bottle and put his or her name on the bottle and we will keep it in the cupboard.