

December 26, 2020

**Re: Targeted Emergency Child Care for School Age Families**

Dear families.

During the week of January 4-8, 2021, elementary school closures shall be in effect Ontario wide. As a service to our families, we hope you find the following information useful.

Families which have parents or guardians working as identified essential workers, and who require care during this week, may be approved to receive targeted emergency child care, at no cost. Those families are encouraged to use the links offered below to apply for childcare during the week of January 4-8, 2021.

Families are advised that they must be approved by the region for Targeted Emergency Care and use care at an approved site that may not be at a YPCE site. As previously stated in our message from December 22, 2020; families whose children would normally receive before and after school care, shall not have fees withdrawn on January 1, 2021, until further notice.

Links:

[County of Simcoe](#)

[Region of York](#)

Please continue to visit our website to learn of additional updates.

As always, we thank you for your cooperation.

Yours very truly,

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