



Birth-Five Outreach Team

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PIWI

Parents Interacting
With Infants

*Playgroups for infants
and toddlers using
the PIWI Model*

PIWI Playgroups

Parents Interacting With Infants (PIWI) celebrates parents as their child's first teachers.

Group facilitators are available to:

- Support, understand and respect the parent's role
- Guide specific interaction strategies to validate parents as individuals
- Promote parent competence and confidence in interacting with their children

Each playgroup is designed around a different **Developmental Observation Topic (DOT)**. Each topic includes:

- Parent-child activities relevant to everyday situations
- Topics selected to support healthy parent-child relationships

We offer both a morning (9:30-11:00) or an afternoon (1:00-2:30) option. PIWI groups are geared for children ages 6 months – 5 years.

Groups include:

- Time to interact together with floor activities, songs and books
- Information about child development, temperament and interests
- Learning through play while having fun at the same time

Dates & Times:

Tuesday, March 8, 2016

9:30-11:00 am or 1:00-2:30 pm

DOT: What's My Style? Understanding What I am Like

Tuesday, March 15, 2016

9:30-11:00 am or 1:00-2:30 pm

DOT: Why I Need You: Understanding How Your Presence Helps Me Feel Secure & Help Me Explore and Learn

Tuesday, March 22, 2016

9:30-11:00 am or 1:00-2:30 pm

DOT: What You Can Do & Say to Help Me Explore and Learn

Tuesday, April 5, 2016

9:30-11:00 am or 1:00-2:30 pm

DOT: How You Can Help Me Play With Other Children

Tuesday, April 12, 2016

9:30-11:00 am or 1:00-2:30 pm

DOT: How I Respond to Other's Emotions

Tuesday, April 19, 2016

9:30-11:00 am or 1:00-2:30 pm

DOT: How You Can Help Me Learn to Love Books



Registration:

Registration is required. You may register for one or all dates that you would like to attend by calling **(920) 832-6470**.

Space is limited so call and reserve your spot as soon as possible. We reserve the right to cancel a playgroup if we do not have enough participants to run it.

When registering please include:

- Parent name
- Child's name and date of birth
- Phone number
- Dates and times you are able to join us

Policy and Procedures:

If you have registered for a playgroup and are unable to attend please call **(920) 832-6470** as soon as possible.

Space is limited and we often have families on a wait list. If we know you are unable to attend your spot will be offered to another family for the date(s) you will be missing.

Our policy is if you miss two dates without notifying us you will be removed from the current registration list. You must then call to determine if space is still available and/or to register again.

**We appreciate your cooperation
and understanding!**

We look forward to having you and your child