

**A typical day in the toddler room would look something like.....**

The toddler room is designed to help your child learn more about the world and themselves. They are encouraged to explore their surroundings by playing and through hands on experiences. The High Scope Curriculum encourages teachers to really focus on the children's likes and dislikes and to use this knowledge in a teachable manner. For example.... if your child loves to play with blocks, encourage your little one to stack the blocks on top of each other. This will help enhance your child's fine motor skills, hand eye coordination, and many other important skills that your child will need in life. Although it is important to have a schedule, the toddler schedule allows for more flexibility in order to meet your toddler's needs. Below is an example of your toddler's day.

8:00-8:30 a.m.	Welcome/Breakfast
8:30-9:30 a.m.	Work Time (children choose where to play)
9:30-9:45 a.m.	Hands on Activity at table or carpet
9:45-10:00 a.m.	Diaper Changing/Get ready for gross motor
10:00-10:30 a.m.	Gross Motor
10:30-10:40 a.m.	Large Group/Story Time
10:40-11:30 a.m.	Work Time (children choose where to play)
11:30-11:40 a.m.	Music & Movement
11:45-12:15 p.m.	Lunch
12:15-12:30 p.m.	Diaper Changing/Story Time on Cots
12:30-2:30 p.m.	Rest Time
2:30-2:45 p.m.	Diaper Changing
2:45-3:05 p.m.	Snack
3:05-3:30 p.m.	Gross Motor
3:30-3:45 p.m.	Story Time/Finger Plays
3:45-4:30 p.m.	Work Time (children choose where to play)
4:30-4:45 p.m.	Diaper Changing
4:45-5:00 p.m.	Music & Movement