Dear parents,

Here is a document describing myself, my routine and the English program for the 4 years old groups.

My name is Marie-Claude Perreault and I have been teaching English here at the CPE since 2001. I am with the Patenteux (Monday), Dégourdis (Tuesday), Débrouilllards (Wednesday) and Branchés (Thursday). I have a Special Education Assistant diploma combined with an Early Childhood Certificate from British Colombia. I have added lately a TEFL Certificate.

The main goals for the English program are:

- Learn in a fun and active way.
- Helping my young students form positive attitudes and perceptions not just about the English language, but learning in general.
- Build activities for the children so they can use the vocabulary on the premises.

My English routine starts early at 9 with the project's vocabulary which we use through out the days in a variety of activities, games, stories, center time, snack, etc. I use mainly flashcards associated with a specific word in English and hang it on my English wall. Each week we revise the old words from the project and add some more. Once the word is up, I relate to it in English. I tend also to use simple and short phrases in English and repeat it in french afterwards.

Flashcards examples with animals project:

1. Mom pig

2. Baby pig



SONGS AND STORIES:

There is always a song associated with the project that I will post on my English wall and send to you during the project.

When reading a story, I emphasize on the English word we are covering or that we know.

ROUTINE:

My routine is identical to the french day one. Routine vocabulary will be part of our english day too all through the year.

FUN! FUN! FUN! My aim is to make English day a fun day!

Bonus: If you do not know Wormmy, ask your child or come and see me for more info on the travel opportunities this year 2017-2018.



Marie-Claude Perreault