

# BRITANNIA PRESCHOOL ARTSMART



## WHAT'S NEW? ARTSMART "LINKING ARTS TO EDUCATION."

We would like to welcome you to our ArtSmart Art Program, that will be part of our Preschool Curriculum for the remainder of the school year.

Due to COVID 19, we are unable to accommodate Arts Umbrella Instructors within our Preschool environment this year, in order to preserve our bubble and decrease possible exposures.

However, we remain committed to delivering an arts enriched program to your families because we believe that creativity is an essential part of holistic development.

Our specialized curriculum will be delivered in an approach, which will incorporate visual art, creative writing and other forms of arts, together in a program called "ArtSmart." ArtSmart was developed by Vasi many years ago and has been delivered to several elementary schools and community centres over the years.

All programming will be based primarily on the interests of the children in an emergent style curriculum. Children will engage in open ended activities that promote individuality and freedom of expression. They will learn to create stories through visual art, in addition to exploring a variety of music, movement and dance from around the world. The teachers will combine all their ideas, talents and abilities to build a strong and cohesive program.

Please see our programming calendar and click the links below to get an idea of what we are working on. These are our plans so far, based on the children's interests, and our observations to date.

<https://youtu.be/dmjuSV1EWSM>

<https://youtu.be/WshwMLAnWqQ>

Hope you are as excited as we are.

Thank you!