



Parents, Friends and Supporters of SUMMIT Early Learning,

We are reaching out to you in uncertain and confusing times. As an education service provider for over 1,200 children, we thoughtfully made the decision to follow the public schools and temporarily close our doors in an effort to minimize the spread of COVID-19 and protect our staff, children, and families.

It was also determined that the precautions we would need to take to reopen during this time were neither practical nor sustainable. Reopening would mean additional staffing to ensure things like maintaining toddlers at a social distance of 6 feet, removing most play things from the classrooms, and maintaining a staff to infant ratio of one to one, in addition to constantly disinfecting all surfaces.

SUMMIT is also committed to the well-being of our employees and that includes maintaining salaries and benefits during closures. We have dedicated staff who provide loving care and education that our families have come to expect and desire for their children.

We know many businesses are struggling and agencies are seeking donations for food and other necessities for families in our community. We have had families generously reach out and ask how they can support us during this time.

As a nonprofit, we are always appreciative of donations; and since we are not currently receiving child care tuition payments, any donation would be even more appreciated.

You can make a donation by sending a check to: SUMMIT Early Learning
14 S. 11th Street
Mifflinburg, PA 17844

Please include a brief note stating it is a donation or note on the memo part of the check.

Another simple way to support SUMMIT is to utilize Amazon Smile and simply select SUMMIT Early Learning as the charity you support. Every time you purchase something from Amazon, the agency receives a small percentage, and every little bit helps!

Thank you for your support of SUMMIT Early Learning. In this ever-changing situation we wish you good health and hopes for a return to business as usual.

Sincerely,

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