

# Children's Discovery Center

## July 2020 Newsletter

### COVID-19 INFO:

- Checklist for Childcare Centers:  
<https://gov.texas.gov/uploads/files/organization/opentexas/OpenTexas-Checklist-Child-Care-Centers.pdf>
- Checklist for Families:  
<https://gov.texas.gov/uploads/files/organization/opentexas/OpenTexas-Checklist-Child-Care-Families.pdf>
- Guidelines from Centers for Disease Control and Prevention:  
<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/community/schools-childcare/guidance-for-childcare.html>

### EVENTS AND CLOSURES:

- Our 10-year anniversary just past on June 1<sup>st</sup>! We are so pleased to have served the South Austin community for 10 years!
- Children's Discovery Center South will be **closed** Friday, July 3<sup>rd</sup>. Have a great 4<sup>th</sup> of July weekend!
- Our Redbud graduates leave for Kindergarten this August. Their last day at CDC will be 8/14 (at the latest), so get your goodbyes in while you can. We will miss all our CDC alumni!

### A PEEK BEHIND THE CURTAIN:

- We are working towards a virtual Back to School Night in August to help us maintain distance, but still allow for families to engage. If you have any skills or know-how on basic video production, we would love to hear from you! Send us email if you think you can help.

## ACTIVITIES TO DO AT HOME:

While these activities are geared towards a specific age,  
most can be adjusted for all ages.

- Infant: [https://www.modernlymorgan.com/diy-bath-paints/?fbclid=IwAR2rQG-GMQ7C1NoLONk0AraTCale6bEYn8KXWUlkOvjcfDo3hL6mitcNN\\_w](https://www.modernlymorgan.com/diy-bath-paints/?fbclid=IwAR2rQG-GMQ7C1NoLONk0AraTCale6bEYn8KXWUlkOvjcfDo3hL6mitcNN_w)
- Toddler: [https://www.pinterest.com/pin/546202261039089924/sent/?invite\\_code=82d35ed0bc734855b6e57dcd1118a6e4&sender=111534665680049968&sfo=1](https://www.pinterest.com/pin/546202261039089924/sent/?invite_code=82d35ed0bc734855b6e57dcd1118a6e4&sender=111534665680049968&sfo=1)
- PreK: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oAIAm6BF0fs&feature=share&fbclid=IwAR24v6tGxMyq1U4i6L1S4bI6RjpCFILA0a7eEgBh-sa1crX2AgTmm7lqzPk>
- Websites with activities:
  - <https://handsonaswegrow.com/nature-activities-kids/>
  - <https://theimaginationtree.com/60-nature-play-ideas-for-kids/>
  - <https://www.zerotothree.org/resources/3264-at-home-activity-guide>
  - <https://littlebinsforlittlehands.com/kids-sensory-play-ideas/>

## Classroom Engagement and Contact Info

### Sprouts:

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- <https://www.facebook.com/groups/219642039143000>

### Snapdragons:

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- <https://www.facebook.com/groups/240192937159883>

### Sweetpeas:

- SweetpeasCDC@gmail.com
- <https://www.facebook.com/groups/262973734707671>

### Redbuds:

- CDCRedbuds@gmail.com
- <https://www.facebook.com/groups/215990796283652>

### Beanstalks:

- BeanstalksCDC@gmail.com
- <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1103835169954888>

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# Classroom Photos









