## FOALS 2



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## WE ARE BRINGING IN THE NEW YEAR IN FOALS 2, AND THERE IS A LOT OF LEARNING AND GROWING IN STORE OVER THE NEXT FEW MONTHS.

We are excited your baby will be part of it. Maintaining your child's daily schedule is a big part of development in our classroom, and our teachers enhance the learning experience by including activities to support that development. Feelings are a key theme we will focus on in the coming months. And we all know that most babies have no problem expressing feelings. We sing songs about feelings – <u>If You are Happy and You Know It</u> and <u>How are You?</u>
Reading books such as <u>Making Faces</u> and <u>Calm-Down Time</u> are fun activities we have in store to teach your baby about feelings.

In Foals 2 we go with the flow but also try to stick to our lesson plans. We encourage our parents to try some of our units at home as well. These become very fun, and it is a great feeling to see your child's intrigues with the activities. In our lesson plans we incorporate sensory activities. This helps with feeding as well. Language activities are also part of lesson plans, such as reading, singing, sign language and even other languages. The activities are endless, and it's always such a joy to see your child show interest.

## **Staying Connected**

Communication is vital in any relationship, and as teachers we would like to make sure we have all lines of communication open to you pertaining to your child. Please feel free to contact us with any questions, concerns, or comments by calling Rocking Horse Academy directly, sending a message through ProCare, or emailing us at foals 2 lead teacher. I try my best to make

foals2@rockinghorseacademy.com. As your Foals 2 lead teacher, I try my best to make myself available during your child's drop-off to discuss any matters. Also please be assured in any case, all teachers in Foals 2 are here to assist you as well. We are grateful to have you and your child as part of our class and look forward to more learning and growing in Foals 2.

