



DECEMBER NEWS

HO, HO, HO! Holiday Fun!

'Tis the season of sharing and caring

For young children, **caring** is much easier than **sharing**. Caring is the foundation of sincere sharing, so **encourage the caring**: "See how happy s/he is with your thoughtful gift!"



Contact Us

Questions, comments, or information to share about your child?

For example:

- successes & accomplishments,
- family changes,
- new preschool, or
- unable to attend a class or a session.

Contact your classroom teacher:

Sherree Tatum

text/call: 503-936-4676 or
SherreeT@SCESD.k12.or.us



Parent Opportunities

Parent trainings offered in the coming months include these topics:

- *Positive Discipline*
- *It Takes Two to Talk*
- *More Than Words*

Interested in joining the **EI/ECSE Parent Group**? Contact our Parent Lead, **Carrie Brown** at

call: 503-341-3193
crose.tafilelig@gmail.com



Strategies for Success

Along with sharing and caring, 'tis also the season for **TOYS**, and not all toys are created equal. Check these suggestions for the best **KINDS**:

- www.zerotothree.org/resources/1076-tips-for-choosing-toys-for-toddlers and
- www.naeyc.org/resources/topics/play/toys.

Our newsletter is now available on the South Coast ESD website:

www.scesd.k12.or.us/, click on **PROGRAMS**, then **EI/ECSE**, then **EARLY CHILDHOOD SPECIAL EDUCATION**.

Important Upcoming Dates:

- **December 20th-31st NO SCHOOL** for Winter Break
- **January 17th NO SCHOOL** for Martin Luther King Jr. Day

