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# Welcome to **Hewson** Parenting and Family Literacy Centre



## LOCATION

Hewson Public School  
235 Father Tobin Rd.  
Brampton, ON L6R 0G2

## HOURS

Monday to Friday  
9 a.m. to 1 p.m

## DIRECTIONS

North of Sandalwood  
Pkwy. and East of  
Bramalea Rd.

[Map](#)

## CONTACT US

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## WHAT YOU NEED

- ✿ Indoor shoes!
- ✿ Lunch, if desired

✿ **No registration required**

✿ **Drop in during regular program hours**

## Our Daily Activities

On a typical day in a Parenting & Family Literacy Centre children are engaged in a range of activities that encourage language development, problem solving and socialization.

The centre offers a variety of fun learning activities for children, while engaging parents in their child's learning. Through music, stories and play, babies and children can start to build essential skills like sharing, early literacy and numeracy as well as communications skills. The play-based program enhances children's natural curiosity and desire for exploration while helping them learn.

Children can play with each other and become more familiar with the school and its activities. The centre is also a great place for parents to meet other families and share ideas. They can also borrow books in different languages, learn activities they can do with their children at home and learn about additional community resources.

## RESOURCES

### HEALTH

Peel Health  
[www.peelregion.ca/health/topics/child/parents.htm](http://www.peelregion.ca/health/topics/child/parents.htm)

Growing Healthy Kids  
[www.growinghealthykids.com](http://www.growinghealthykids.com)

Kids Health  
[www.kidshealth.org](http://www.kidshealth.org)

**Learning & Development**  
Family Education Centre  
[www.familyedcentre.org/index.htm](http://www.familyedcentre.org/index.htm)

Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board  
[www.dpcdsb.org](http://www.dpcdsb.org)

Peel Early Years  
[www.peelearlyyears.com](http://www.peelearlyyears.com)

Peel Infant Development  
[www.peelinfant.ca](http://www.peelinfant.ca)

Child Development Resource Connection Peel  
[www.cdrcp.com](http://www.cdrcp.com)

Success By 6 Peel  
[www.successby6peel.ca](http://www.successby6peel.ca)

Understanding the Early Years  
[uey.peelschools.org](http://uey.peelschools.org)

SERVECenter  
[www.serve.org](http://www.serve.org)

### SPECIAL NEEDS

Learning Disabilities Association of Ontario  
[www.ldao.ca](http://www.ldao.ca)

Autism Society of Ontario  
[www.autismontario.com](http://www.autismontario.com)

### PARENTING

Canadian Parents  
[www.canadianparents.com](http://www.canadianparents.com)

Parent Helpline  
[www.parenthelpline.ca](http://www.parenthelpline.ca)

The Parent's Journal  
[www.parentsjournal.com](http://www.parentsjournal.com)

iParenting Canada  
[www.iparentingcanada.com](http://www.iparentingcanada.com)

Today's Parent  
[www.todayparent.com](http://www.todayparent.com)

Parenting iVillage  
<http://parenting.ivillage.com>

eParenting Network  
[www.eparentingnetwork.ca](http://www.eparentingnetwork.ca)

Peel Children's Aid Society  
[www.peelcas.org](http://www.peelcas.org)

Canadian Father Involvement Initiative  
[www.cfii.ca](http://www.cfii.ca)

National Fatherhood Initiative  
[www.fatherhood.org](http://www.fatherhood.org)

### MULTILINGUAL RESOURCES

Great Beginnings – Child Development  
brochure – translated in several languages  
[www.peelregion.ca/health/translated/](http://www.peelregion.ca/health/translated/)

Parents Matter  
[www.parentsmatter.ca](http://www.parentsmatter.ca)

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