

November 24, 2021

Dear FCCC Parent or Guardian,

Please see the attached Memorandum, dated November 9, 2021, from the Manager, Social Services and Early Years – City of Kingston. In this memorandum, you will see that your December childcare fees will be paid by the City of Kingston's Childcare and Early Years Services (CEYS).

The Frontenac County Childcare Centre (FCCC) will be invoicing you for December fees. This invoice will show the fees that are being paid by CEYS and any outstanding debits or credits. You will still be responsible for paying outstanding debits.

This is wonderful news and a very kind gesture that demonstrates CEYS's commitment to families in our community. As this has been another very challenging year for all of us, we are hopeful that this news helps.

Thank you,

Kim Greek, RECE

Executive Director, Frontenac County Childcare Centre

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## **MEMORANDUM**

Date: Tuesday, November 9, 2021

Re: One-Time Fee Affordability Grant

As the Consolidated Municipal Service Manager (CMSM) for the City of Kingston and County of Frontenac, the CMSM is responsible for planning and managing a broad range of childcare and early years services throughout the region. We provide these services to children and families through the Childcare & Early Years Services (CEYS) program.

Our Team works in partnership with licensed childcare programs in Kingston and Frontenac County to develop a fee affordability strategy that aligns with Ontario's vision of an early years and childcare system focused on high-quality, accessibility, affordability, flexibility and inclusivity.

We are pleased and excited to provide a **One-Time** Fee Affordability Grant for the month of December 2021. This grant is available to those parents who access licensed childcare at a licensed centre within the boundaries of the City of Kingston and/or the County of Frontenac, and with whom CEYS has a Service Agreement. The amount of the grant is determined by the invoiced cost of care for the month December 2021.

Please be advised that your early learning childcare provider will be required to share your December 2021 invoice with the City of Kingston's Childcare and Early Years Services. CEYS will make payment directly to the centre on your behalf.

Sincerely,

**Heather Mitchell** 

Manager, Social Services and Early Years