



Lakeland's Little Learners  
Jackson Wrap-Around  
September 2019 News and Welcome!  
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Dearest Families,

With a busy summer behind us, as the leaves begin to change, I am very excited to welcome back your precious children whom you have entrusted in my care. I am so grateful to have some of my old friends back and eager to meet my new ones!

With that in mind, let me tell you something about myself. My name is Jasmina (the kids affectionately call me Miss Mina). I am from Bosnia. I have been in the United States for 22 years. I call Chicago my true home; it is where all my family lives. I am passionate about art and classical music. I love to read and study poetry. I currently live in Elkhorn and have been with Lakeland's Little Learners for 9 years. It has been said that "Education is the key to unlocking the world, a passport to freedom" OW. It is my hope that as your children and I make that journey into learning together we will get to discover the world.

In the month of September, the theme will be Art. As each child discovers their inner artist, we hope to create many masterpieces that will be remembered. As we read about the great painters of the past, we hope to imitate their methods and learn from them.

Reminders:

Entry into the Jackson Wrap-Around program is through door #9. You must walk up from the parking lot, as driving on the service road is not permitted. When you get to the door please knock loudly and I will open the door for you, because all doors are kept locked.

Your child will have a window space with their name on it where their backpack and other belongings can be placed until they are dismissed for school.

Upon arrival, please sign your child in with your initials on the clipboard.

Lakeland's Little Learners does not provide a breakfast; however, if you would like to send a healthy breakfast with your child, they may eat it here. We do stop sitting for breakfast by 7:30am so we can get on with our program.

If you would ever like a conference or time to talk about your child's time at Wrap-Around feel free to contact me and time will be arranged. If you have specific needs or expectations for their time with me, please let me know. E.g. working on homework, special snacks, etc.

We do go outside, so always make sure to send appropriate outdoor clothing for the weather.

Please check your mailbox each time you are at Wrap-Around. Lakeland's Little Learners policies, announcements, news, where to find information, etc. will be posted above the mailboxes.

At this time, we will not be holding an after school Wrap-Around here at Jackson. We did not have enough families sign-up to be able to offer the afterschool time. Care is still available at our main center, and there is a bus children may ride from Jackson to Lakeland's Little Learners. If this situation changes, you will be contacted and offered your after school spot at the Wrap-Around.

I am looking forward to a wonderful school year with your child!

Ms Jasmina

