

## Southborough Extended Day Program – **Enrichment Program Information**

### **Typical Daily Schedule:**

- 11:30 – Kindergarteners are dismissed from their classroom to the lobby where they are met by the SEDP teacher and escorted to our room for free play.
- 11:45 – Pre-K students are dismissed from their classroom and walked down the hall to our room by one of the Preschool teachers.
- 12:00-12:30 Lunch
- 12:30-1:05 Outside Time
- 1:05-1:15 Quiet Time
- 1:30-2:00 – Rotations: Circle, manipulatives, arts & crafts, special projects, science and group games.
- 2:00-2:30 – Open Snack and Free Play
- 2:30-2:50 – Clean-up/Story time/Group Game
- 2:50 - Children are picked up by parent/guardian directly from the Extended Day classroom.

Preschool students are picked up by parents directly from the Extended Day door, no later than 2:50.

Kindergarten students have the choice of being picked up by a parent, taking the bus home, or staying for the afterschool program.

### **Program Philosophy:**

SEDP believes that children need strong relationships and ample opportunity for play in order to optimize their growth and learning. Play based activities are essential to the health and well-being of children by offering experiences full of creativity, movement, dramatic play, group games, reading, outdoor play, social skill development and more.

The program is closely supervised for safety, while allowing ample opportunities for freedom, exploration and choice. Activities and materials are carefully selected to appeal to the specific abilities and interests of the children.

Our staff invests the time to get to know each child and family personally. We learn their strengths and preferences and look for meaningful ways to connect them to their peers and the curriculum, and ensure they feel welcome and accepted.