



## DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES OF LEEDS AND GRENVILLE

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Dear Parents and Families,

Inclusive Child Care - Developmental Services of Leeds & Grenville (ICC-DSLГ) is a service funded through the Ministry of Education and the United Counties of Leeds & Grenville to support the inclusion of children with special needs in licensed child care programs.

The Child Care and Early Years Act (2014) [O.reg. 137/15] defines a “child with special needs” as “a child whose cognitive, physical, social, emotional or communicative needs, or whose needs relating to overall development, are of such a nature that additional supports are required for the child.”

ICC-DSLГ works in partnership with your child’s/children’s licensed child care program to support Belonging, Well-Being, Engagement and Expression for all children, to ensure optimal learning and healthy development.

The purpose of this letter is to inform all parents and families that there is an ICC-DSLГ Resource Consultant assigned to your child’s/children’s child care centre who is available to the child care program staff and parents if they have questions or concerns regarding a child’s needs. If you have any questions at any time about the ICC-DSLГ service or would like more information, please talk to your child’s/children’s Registered Early Childhood Educator, Child Care Program Staff, Child Care Supervisor, the Resource Consultant assigned to your child care program and/or call the Inclusive Child Care Program @ 613-345-1290 / 1-866-544-5614.

Yours in Inclusion,

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*Enhancing Abilities, Promoting Independence, Advocating for Inclusive Communities*

