Many of you are looking forward to your child starting kindergarten with a combination of excitement and apprehension. Parents often wonder what they can do to help their child prepare for school. School readiness includes the areas of literacy, numeracy, self-regulation and social-emotional skills.

Luckily, helping your child prepare for kindergarten is easy and fun! School readiness activities don’t have to be complex or time-consuming. Your everyday activities are a great place to start. Play can build the academic and social skills that will set your child on the path for school success.

How can you make your child’s play a little more fun, a little more interesting, and a little more educational by adding some new ideas? Supporting Kindergarten Readiness at Home offers simple ways to incorporate school readiness play into your summer routine.

We can’t wait to help your child play, learn and grow at LILA. We are ready!

“Play is often talked about as if it were relief from serious learning. But for children, play is serious learning. Play is really the work of childhood.”

-Fred Rogers

Staff Feature:
Melissa and Tiffany, Main Campus Front Office

Do you have a question, concern, or need information? Our fabulous front office staff, Melissa LaFayette and Tiffany Kurpiel, are here for you. They can be reached at 651-464-0771 during LILA business hours all summer. Call anytime.

Summer Fun With LILA!

Each issue in this spot, we’ll be featuring videos that showcase bedtime stories, activities, projects, your target language, and more! Click the links below to watch the LILA community in action!

Mrs. Alwin’s Adventures
Bedtime Story with Ellyn Venburg

Registration Opens Soon!

Get a jump on fall with LILA’s virtual or on-site target language classes and camps designed for incoming kindergarten students.

Virtual Summer Spark – for class details, click here.
On-site Language Camp – for camp details, click here.

Virtual Parent Information Sessions Next Week!

Spanish – Tuesday, June 23 & Thursday, June 25
Chinese – Wednesday, June 24
Details here
Register here