

Early Childhood Development
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SEED

Supportive Environments
and Experiences for Development

An interactive program providing support and information in a collaborative setting for parents and families of children from birth to four (except Ontario which is birth to three).



The earliest years of a child's life lay the foundation for lifelong health, development, and learning. This has been consistently demonstrated by research in brain development, psychology, education and medicine.



Parents and families play the most important role in providing quality care and education to their children in the earliest years of life.



The **SEED** program provides support and information to parents and families during this important phase in their child's life.



For families that do not live in the vicinity of a Jamatkhana, we offer a virtual program called **eSEED**. To learn more, contact eSEED@iicanada.net



Join us for weekly small group sessions with trained facilitators and other parents and families of young children.

Together we will:

- Experience play based learning highlighting early literacy, music/movement and physical literacy
- Learn from trained facilitators and engage in activities in a social environment
- Access resources and information geared specifically to the developmental age of our children
- Meet other parents and families, build friendships and support networks
- Share ideas on how to instill Shia Ismaili Muslim values from the earliest years of life