

**BRIGHT HORIZONS AT
The Children's Campus @ Georgia Tech**

From the Director

Well Hello July!

Although we still have a few more weeks of summer, our teachers are hard at work preparing our classrooms for the new school year and their new students. Many of our students will be transitioning into new classrooms next month, and we look forward to making each transition a success. We are also excited to welcome our new families and teachers joining us in August! All students scheduled to transition on August 1st will receive a letter in the next week with transition details! Thank you for your patience as we finalize student and teacher placement. We are so excited to have each of you as a part of our center community, and we are looking forward to a school year filled with many learning experiences, fun, and success stories!

I believe our center is not just a school/daycare center/childcare facility, but a center where learning is embraced, and a sense of community is valued. I'm so proud to be a part of a center that has caring and supportive parents. Thank you all for making TCC a pleasant place to be for the leadership and teaching team.

If you are traveling near or far or just relaxing in your backyard with the grill going and the sprinklers sprinkling, I want to wish everyone a wonderful happy and safe 4th of July!!!

Britney Patrick



Important Dates

July 4th and 5th Center Closed

July 13th Georgia Pre-K Orientation

July 18th – 22nd Water Play Week

July 29th Back to School Blast

Reasons to Celebrate



Congratulations to our 2022 Awards of Excellence Nominees!

Princess Shannon

Jasmine Deas

Brieun Fagan

Christine Zeigler

Health & Safety at Bright Horizons

Our enhanced COVID-19 protocols ensure health and safety practices in every center align with the CDC and state and local municipalities. Learn more about what we are doing to keep children, families, and staff safe.

brighthorizons.com/health-safety

Life is BRIGHT – Pass it on!

Join the **BH Challenge** with Nickelodeon's **Emmanuel Carter** and raise money for a good cause.



**Start
Dancing!**

Life is Bright – Pass it On!

Looking for a fun activity for the whole family? Check out the BH Challenge and raise money for a good cause too!

1. **Watch** the dance tutorial from Emmanuel Carter, Nickelodeon's host of "Noggin Knows."
2. **Record** the dance on TikTok or Instagram Reels using our "Life is Bright" song.
3. **Post** your video using the #LifeIsBright hashtag. Then tag a friend.

All set! We'll donate \$5 for every video to the Bright Horizons Foundation for Children (up to \$25,000)—to make other lives bright.

Visit brighthouse.com/lifeisbright to start dancing!

Growing Readers – July Issue

This month's Growing Readers Book of Excellence, *Who Takes Care of You* by Hannah Eliot and Jade



Orlando, celebrates all the caregivers in children's lives. It truly does take a village to raise a child!

Also in the issue – a riveting video episode of the Growing Readers Book Club. Uncover the world through books and foster a love of reading.

Click [here](#) to read the current issue and watch the video.

8 Kid Friendly Alternatives to Summer Camp

Summer camp options tend to fill up quickly – but don't worry if you missed the boat. There are plenty of summer camp alternatives that will keep your children entertained – and enriched – while school is out.

1. Check out programs at museums and zoos.
2. Go to the library and look for story time days or visits from local organizations like the aquarium.
3. Look into community farms. Many offer farmer-led activities for children.
4. Invite special visitors to stay with you like grandparents, aunts, uncles, and family friends.
5. Go for a swim! Visit the local community pool or sign up for swimming lessons.
6. Look into local parks and rec centers that may offer day camps or sporting activities.
7. Explore nature at the park or urban garden.
8. Give back and volunteer in your community.

Go Outside and Play!

Outdoor play: it's more than a breath of fresh air. Find out how it contributes to your child's imagination, encourages healthy risk taking, builds resilience and confidence, and inspires STEM skills.

[Register for this webinar today!](#)

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