

Early Childhood Digest

The Latest Early Childhood Developments by Wayne RESA



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April 25, 2025

Early Childhood Services Department at Wayne Regional Educational Service Agency (Wayne RESA)

The Early Childhood Services Department oversees high-quality preschool education opportunities across Wayne County to include the Great Start Readiness Program (GSRP) for eligible four-year-old children and the Strong Beginnings pilot for eligible three-year-old children.

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From Libby Rogowski, Executive Director of Early Childhood

Dear Wayne County Early Childhood Partners,

As we continue to navigate the complexities and uncertainties within our educational landscape - especially amidst shifting policies and evolving priorities at the government level - I want to take a moment to acknowledge the weight that many of you are carrying. These are challenging times, and the questions we face do not always come with easy answers.



Yet, in the face of change, our "why" remains steadfast. Every day, in classrooms and centers across our communities, our youngest learners are growing - curious minds are exploring, kind hearts are forming, and foundational skills are taking root. That growth, often quiet and unseen on a grand scale, is powerful.

You, as leaders, are at the heart of that transformation. Your commitment to fostering safe, nurturing, and enriching environments ensures that children not only learn but thrive. In doing so, you continue to shape a future that is brighter, more equitable, and full of possibility.

Let's keep our focus anchored in the work that matters most - the development, joy, and potential of our children. Together, even amidst uncertainty, we are creating consistent, meaningful impact.

As the school year winds down, I hope you take time to enjoy these last special weeks of the school year with your students – head outside, share some laughs, learn something new together, and celebrate the relationships that have made this year so special.

Looking forward to our final Advisory Meeting of the year in-person on Friday, May 9th!

With deep appreciation and shared purpose,
Libby



Please have submissions made by May 6th, 2025.

ACTION STEPS

Action Steps

1. **GSRP Enrollment** as of May 16th DUE May 21st, 2025
 - Go to [Enrollment](#)
2. **Main Operations and Transportation Mid-Year Reviews** are DUE April 30th, 2025
 - Go to [Fiscal](#)
3. **Transportation Verification** is DUE Wednesday, April 30th, 2025.

- Go to [Fiscal](#)

4. For Providers who did not meet full enrollment: **Amended Budgets** are DUE to WCRESA on Wednesday, April 30th, 2025

- Go to [Fiscal](#)
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Enrollment

*****NEW*** Tutorial Available: CBOs only**

Access for a video tutorial on how providers can accept or reject a pre-enrollment for the upcoming 2025-26 school year

[Click here for ENROLLMENT](#)

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Reporting & Monitoring/Assessment

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Social Emotional Support

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REMINDER: Wayne County GSRP Advisory Meeting



The flyer features a blue and red color scheme. On the left, there are two circular images: the top one shows a group of adults with their hands stacked in a circle, and the bottom one shows a group of diverse young children smiling. To the right of these images, the title 'WAYNE COUNTY GSRP ADVISORY MEETING' is written in large, bold, blue capital letters. Below the title, the date and time 'MAY 9, 2025 10AM - 12PM' are listed in red, followed by 'IN-PERSON : ANNEX AUDITORIUM' also in red. A blue arrow points to the right between the images and the date. At the bottom of the flyer, the phrase 'See you there!' is written in a black cursive font. The footer contains four logos: 'WAYNE RESA' (Leading... Learning for All), 'SERVICE LEADERSHIP COLLABORATION EXCELLENCE', 'CFC start Readiness Program' (Michigan's Nationally Recognized Pre-K Program), and 'MiLEAP' (Michigan Department of Lifelong Education, Advancement, and Potential).

WAYNE COUNTY GSRP ADVISORY MEETING

**MAY 9, 2025
10AM - 12PM
IN-PERSON :
ANNEX AUDITORIUM**

See you there!

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CFC start
Readiness Program
Michigan's Nationally Recognized Pre-K Program

MiLEAP
Michigan Department of Lifelong
Education, Advancement, and Potential

GSRP Monthly Leadership Connection:

May 8th CANCELLED

GSRP MONTHLY LEADERSHIP CONNECTION

WHO: ALL DIRECTORS - LEA, PSA,
CBO, ECC CONSULTANTS, AND ECS
CONTRACTORS



MAY 8, 2025

JUNE 12, 2025

*Mark
your
Calendar!*



1:00 -2:00 PM



VIRTUAL

IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO ATTEND, PLEASE HAVE A BACKUP
PLAN FOR YOUR PROGRAM TO HAVE REPRESENTATION.



**HIGH
PRIORITY
REQUIREMENT!**

Our Mission

Wayne RESA is committed to leadership through service and collaboration for excellence in teaching and learning for all.

Our Vision

Leading ... Learning for All.

Our Beliefs

We believe Leadership is the foundation of our organization

We believe Service is the core of our work

We believe Collaboration is essential to our success

We believe in the pursuit of Excellence



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Set your child up
for success.

FindPreK.org



MILEAP

These materials were developed under a grant awarded by the Michigan Department of Lifelong Education, Advancement, and Potential.

FindPreK.org

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نحن نطور مهارات القبول في رياض الأطفال
مستعدة من وزارة التعليم والتعليم العالي



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para el éxito.

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Enrollment

CBOs ONLY: Pre-Enrollment/Automated Referral Process

CBO Pre-Enrollment Referral Process

******NEW Videos Available******

Accepting a New Referral

Denying a New Referral

Attn: CBOs End of Program Review

Attn: CBOs
Join us for the

**MISTAR-Q END OF PROGRAM
EARLY CHILDHOOD REVIEW**

MAY 9, 2024

9:00AM - 10:30AM

Register (in advance) on Zoom:

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[net.zoom.us/meeting/register/py-](https://resa-net.zoom.us/meeting/register/py-P2uvLYSz-oeg69ZhPoFQ)
[P2uvLYSz-oeg69ZhPoFQ](https://resa-net.zoom.us/meeting/register/py-P2uvLYSz-oeg69ZhPoFQ)



Click Here to Register

2024-2025 Fiscal Year Enrollment Review

ENROLLMENT REVIEW

schedule

COLLECTION DATE	COLLECTION PERIOD
MAY 21	GSRP ENROLLMENT AS OF FRIDAY May 16, 2025 UP NEXT! **CBO PROVIDERS MUST HAVE CURRENT AND ACCURATE DATA IN MISTAR BY THESE DATES**



Contact Us Here!

If you have any questions or require assistance, please contact the Service Desk by [creating a service ticket](#) or calling 734-334-1870.

Jira Ticketing System

Users will submit, update, and manage tickets through the **MISTAR Customer Service Portal**.

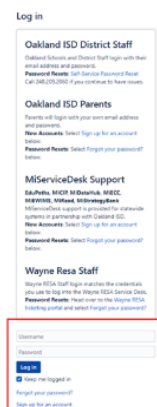
(<https://servicedesk.oakland.k12.mi.us/servicedesk>)

You will receive email notifications of new tickets and updates for submitted tickets or from the email address below

Service Desk (MISTAR ticket #) <jira-no-reply@oakland.k12.mi.us>

Account Login:

- You may already have an account created and will use your email address as your username to login. To obtain your password, click on the [Forgot your password?](#) link.
- If you receive the message: Password resetting is disabled for your username. Please ask your Jira Service management administrator to enable password resets. [Use this link to reset password: Can't access your account?](#) - Wayne RESA Service Desk
- Enter your Username (email address) and then click on Send - A reset password link will be sent to the specified email address, and you'll follow that link to create a new password.



Creating a New Ticket:



On next page enter the following:

- Add Contact Phone Number
- County - Wayne
- District - RESA EC
- Summary - CBO site name
- Details - Describe the issue: missing student, no schedule, missing teacher, etc.
- How urgent is this – only select Medium
- Click Create to Submit

Viewing Tickets submitted tickets:

- Click on the Requests button in the top right corner of the screen.
- Click on My requests - this will display all the tickets for support that have been submitted
- In the drop down for Open Requests - you can filter on: Any status, Open requests or Closed requests
- Clicking on any request will open it up to be able to view the support conversation that has been taken place on that request.



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Enrollment Updates


2025-2026 Fiscal Year

1. Students that will turn four in the gap window, September 2 - December 1, may be enrolled on or after September 2nd and after all age-eligible students are enrolled.
2. Any student with a current Individualized Education Plan (IEP), regardless of income and recommended placement, should be prioritized in the lowest bracket, 0-50% of the FPL.
3. Over-income students, families whose Federal Poverty Level (FPL) is at or above 401%, may be enrolled on or after May 1, 2025.
 1. Just as income-eligible students, over-income students should be prioritized based on their FPL percentage.
 2. Over-income students do not have to have any additional Eligibility Factors (EF) to qualify for GSRP.
 3. If the student has any EFs they should be prioritized over students with no EFs.





4. Programs will hold 10%, 1-2 students per classroom, of their allocation for students that are income-eligible, 0-400% of the FPL until September 1, 2025

Please see the website for all Enrollment and Recruitment documents and resources found under *Recruitment and Enrollment* then *2025-2026 Enrollment*:

Wayne RESA GSRP Website



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Administrative SupportEducational ResourcesEarly EducationSpecial EducationProfessional DevelopmentFamily & Community

Family ResourcesProgram ResourcesEarly Childhood Specialists / Consultants**Recruitment & Enrollment**Additional Resources**Recruitment Documents**
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[Recruitment Log](#)

2024-2025 Enrollment ▾

2025-2026 Enrollment ▲

2025-2026 Enrollment File

- [Enrollment Training Slides](#)
- [Interest Form \(Optional\)](#)
- [Interest Form: Google Form Version \(Optional\)](#)
- [GSRP Intake Application - English](#)
- [GSRP Intake Application - Spanish](#)
- [GSRP Intake Application - Arabic](#)
- [Wayne County Child Record Review](#)
- [LARA Child Information Record - English](#)
- [LARA Child Information Record - Spanish](#)
- [LARA Child Information Record - Arabic](#)
- [LARA Health Appraisal \(2 pages\)](#)
- [LARA Written Information Packet Documentation](#)

2025-2026 Family Engagement File

- [Individual Development Plan \(IDP\) \(2 pages\) - Home Visits](#)
- [Individual Development Plan \(IDP\) \(2 pages\) - Family Conferences](#)
- [Family Contact Form](#)
- [Family Contact Form: Google Form Version](#)
- [Partnering on Child Development \(Optional\)](#)

2025-2026 Guidance Documents

- [Early Childhood Program Overview](#)
- [Eligibility Factors Defined](#)
- [Income Eligibility Guidelines](#)

Head Start

- [Head Start Locator](#)
- [Federal Poverty Level Calculator](#)
- [Head Start Referral Process](#)
- [Early Childhood Program Overview](#)

2025-2026 Fiscal Year Enrollment Training



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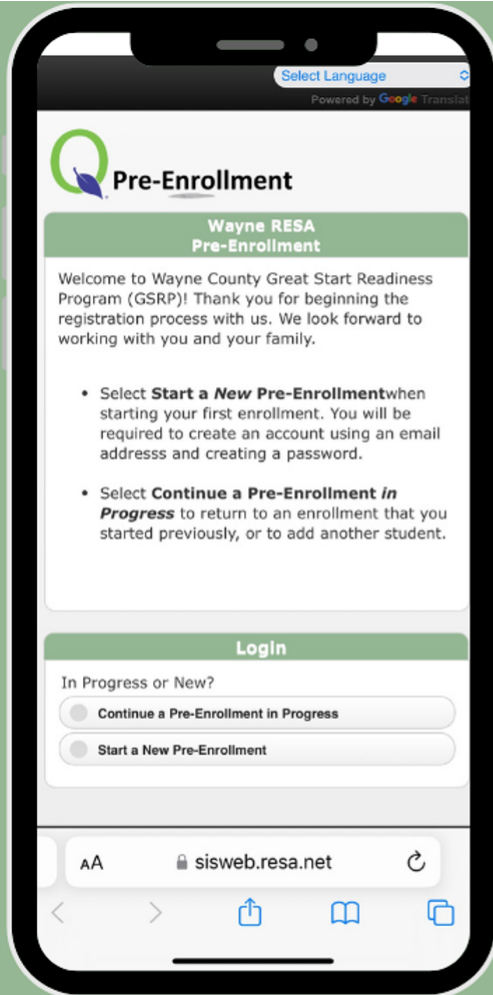
Eligibility Factors Guidance



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MISTAR Pre-Enrollment



<https://sisweb.resa.net/RESAEarlyChildhood/PreEnrollment>

MISTAR Service Desk

How do you submit a ticket?

- Users will submit, update, and manage tickets through the [MISTAR Customer Service Portal](#).
- Users will receive email notifications for ticket updates and must access the ticket portal to view detailed communications or respond to a ticket.
- Users may continue to call the Service Desk Help Line at 734-334-1870 to create a ticket.

If you have any questions or require assistance, please contact the Service Desk by [creating a service ticket](#) or calling 734-334-1870.



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CBO MISTAR Training Slides

2025-2026 State of Michigan PreK for All Digital Toolkit

Digital Toolkit



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Fiscal Reminders

Budget Amendments

Please note that if you wish to change your budgets due to a change in your expected expenses, all budgets will be reopened on Friday, April 11, 2025 – Wednesday, April 30, 2025. Once determined that a budget amendment is necessary, please send an email to pressa@resa.net and scottl@resa.net as well as your assigned P-ECC.



2024-2025 MID-YEAR REVIEW



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Main operation and transportation mid-year review **due by Wednesday April 30th**

Mid-Year Review

Mid-Year Reviews have been extended and are now due April 30, 2025, as a reminder the Mid-Year Review tab is located in the Main Budget Google Folder, following the March ledger tab. If you need assistance with completing the review, please don't hesitate to contact your P-ECC.

Transportation Verification

The fiscal team is ready to begin the Transportation Verification process. Which will involve collecting information to evaluate current and future transportation operations. Please use the link provided <https://forms.gle/Mr8mukAG9srhqfvgZ> or the link that was emailed to complete the Transportation Verification.

Reminder - Expense Ledgers are Year-to-Date

Please note that the format for the ledgers has changed from last program year. **Ledgers are now organized to report expenses Year-to-Date**, meaning that each ledger will include all the previous month's expenses. Please also note that providers are being asked to report their end of month enrollment in each ledger. Ledgers will be reviewed by our finance team and providers may be asked to provide documentation for various expenses. Finally, for LEAs/PSAs that utilize WCRESAs SMART system, completing ledgers in the google budget document are still recommended, but not required.

Failure to complete ledgers in a timely manner will result in the following consequences:

- If the main operations ledgers are submitted **one month late**, **10%** of the monthly allocation will be deducted from the next payment distribution.
 - If the main operations ledgers are submitted **two months late**, **25%** of the monthly allocation will be deducted from the next payment distribution.
 - If the main operations ledgers are submitted **three months late**, **all future payments will be held, until reporting requirements have been met.**
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Reminder – Bookkeeper/Accountant Requirement

As a reminder, please note that all providers must have an assigned bookkeeper or accountant to assist them with their finances. While WCRESA has not placed any restrictions on who the provider may choose to utilize, it is expected that all ledgers, budgets, and other financial documents will be reviewed or completed by this person. Please note that WCRESA may require that the provider take specific steps if budgets and ledgers are not completed on time or correctly on multiple occasions.

Main Operations Expense Ledgers Review Process

When reviewing Main Operations expense ledgers, we are primarily looking at the following:

- Is the ledger signed and dated by an authorized representative?
- Are all expenses listed in the correct line item by object code and are expenses being tracked year-to-date?
- Do all employees with wages listed also have benefits?

- Do the wage and benefits amount align with the staff information section of the budget?
 - Has the number of children enrolled been provided in the ledgers?
 - Do all line-item expenses have a description?
 - Are there any line items that are over-budget?
 - Do the ledgers contain any unapproved expenses?
 - Is the provider expending money as expected based on the planned budget?
 - Are the ledgers calculated using Year-to-date method, opposed to Month-to month.
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Transportation Ledgers

Transportation ledgers, as with Main Operations Ledgers, are due to be completed by the 15th of the month following the month in question. Failure to submit ledgers by this date will impact the date by which funds will be reimbursed. Please note that when reviewing transportation ledgers, we will be looking specifically at the following items:

- Is the ledger signed and dated by an authorized representative?
- Are all expenses listed in the correct line item by object code?
- Do all employees with wages listed also have benefits?
- Has the number of children transported been provided in the ledgers?
- Do all line-item expenses have a description?
- Are there any line items that are over-budget?



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2024-2025 GSRP PAYMENT SCHEDULE

MONTH	PAYMENT DATE
October	10/25/2024
November	11/29/2024
December	12/27/2024
January	1/31/2025
February	2/28/2025
March	3/28/2025
April	4/25/2025
May	5/30/2025
June	6/27/2025
July	7/25/2025
August	8/29/2025



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GSRP BUDGET SCHEDULE

Effective July 2024

**Contract dates: July 1st to June 30th

**Grant Funds & Reports: October 1st to September 30th

GSRP Inventory	September 16, 2024
2024-2025 Budgets	September 16, 2024
2023-2024 Final Expense Report	October 16, 2024
(FER) 2023-2024 Carryover Budget	October 16, 2024
Transportation Verification 1	November 2024
Carryover FER	December 20, 2024
CEPI Count Day	February 2025 <small>Spring Collection Window Ends 2/26/25</small>
Transportation Verification 2	March 2025
Budgets/Allocation Updated (Count) 23-	April 7, 2025
2024-25 Mid-Year Class/Transp. Review	April 18, 2025
2024-2025 FER	October 15, 2025
Monthly Ledgers (Operational & Transportation)	15th of subsequent month
Mid-Year Review	October 15, 2025



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Reporting and Monitoring/Assessment

Classroom Coach March 1st - May 16th

The Michigan Department of Lifelong Education, Advancement, and Potential outlines requirements for completing assessments for evaluating program quality. The Implementation Manual provides additional information on data collection and program quality.

The Classroom Coach measures the quality and use of the indoor and outdoor learning environments, teaching and learning routines, adult-child interactions (including interactions that encourage the development of expressive/receptive language, vocabulary, math, literacy, social and emotional skills, executive function skills and conflict resolution skills), evidence-based comprehensive curricula, planning to differentiate instruction based on student interests, ongoing child assessment to monitor learning and adapt/modify learning if needed, and family engagement activities.

Aggregated child outcome and program quality data are used to share success in meeting goals and to address needs that are revealed by data. Data collection helps drive continuous improvement efforts as data patterns lead to ISD-wide goals for improvement and professional learning.

Classroom Coach will be administered between March 1st and May 16th for the 2024/2025

School Year. All Wayne County classrooms will receive Classroom Coach spread over a 3-year cycle. Your Classroom-ECC or ECS will reach out to you to schedule time to conduct Classroom Coach.

Staff Information Report Checklist

Orgs should ensure profiles are current:

- ✓ All GSRP classrooms are properly named and enabled
- ✓ Lead and Associate teachers are assigned
- ✓ Years teaching GSRP/preschool are updated for every GSRP staff person
- ✓ Compliance plan tags are updated as applicable
- ✓ Benefits are completed for every GSRP staff person

Individuals should ensure:

- ✓ Personal profile information is updated
- ✓ Education/credentials updated if applicable
- ✓ Wage is updated
- ✓ Hours & months worked are updated (contact MiRegistry to make changes)

Reminders

- Benefits must be entered by the organization of each staff position.
- Individuals must have a MiRegistry account.
- Orgs need to complete Employee Benefits Offered under the Program Info tab.
- Individuals may not have more than one individual profile.
- Orgs should indicate "Y" in the Position to be Hired column for any vacant teaching positions.
- According to the GSRP grant, individuals must provide Compensation Type, Compensation Amount, Hours per Week, and Months per Year.

MiRegistry Staff Information Report Job Aids

MiRegistry Staff Information Report (SIR) Individual Profile Support Contact

MiRegistry SIR Support: Contact support@miregistry.org

ASQ Ages and Stages Questionnaire

ASQ Requirement

Ages & Stages Questionnaires® (ASQ®) provides reliable, accurate developmental and social-emotional screening for children.

ASQ Technical Assistance is available! If your program needs ASQ Online training, login or password info, or access to the Help Me Grow partner Google Drive please don't hesitate to reach out to Amber Anderson at Help Me Grow. Please see the TA Request Link below.

All GSRP programs should be a Help Me Grow partner to receive their ASQ Online Account.

Amber Anderson

amber@greatstartwayne.org

Care Coordinator/Technical Assistance

Help Me Grow Michigan

Great Start Collaborative Detroit-Wayne

313-410-5235

ASQ TA Request Link: [ASQ Assistance Request](#)

Google form link: [GSRP Partner Intake Form](#)

GSRP Office Hours every Thursday at 2pm

Topic: Amber Anderson's Personal Meeting Room

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/5969353317>

Meeting ID: 596 935 3317

A graphic with a blue background. At the top left is the Wayne RESA logo with the tagline 'Leading... Learning for All' and the text 'SERVICE LEADERSHIP COLLABORATION EXCELLENCE'. In the center, the words 'ASQ Assistance' are written in large, bold, black letters. To the right is a circular inset showing a corkboard with the word 'School' made of colorful letters, a red apple, a red stapler, and a pencil holder. Below the main text, a paragraph reads: 'As part of our new program to bring you the quickest assistance with your ASQ Online accounts, please use the link below to our ASQ Assistance Request Link.' At the bottom, the text 'ASQ Assistance Request Link' is written in white, underlined, with a blue circle to its left. A white paper airplane icon is at the bottom right.

ASQ Assistance

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ASQ Assistance Request Link



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Resources

SPRING FAMILY ENGAGEMENT NEWSLETTER

MARCH 2025

As we welcome the spring season, there are plenty of exciting opportunities to celebrate young learners and strengthen family connections! March is Reading Month, a perfect time to foster a love for literacy at home and in the classroom. In April, we honor young children and early childhood educators during NAEYC's Week of the Young Child, and we look ahead to Teacher Appreciation Week, where we'll recognize the incredible impact of our educators. This newsletter includes key dates, celebration ideas, and ways to engage families in meaningful ways this season. Let's make these months memorable!

MARCH IS READING MONTH

This month is all about celebrating the joy of reading with your little ones. To help make reading fun and engaging, our resource folder includes a **Family Reading Bingo**, a **list of local libraries**, and a **Library Bingo Card** to encourage visits to your neighborhood library. Let's make reading an adventure together!



WEEK OF THE YOUNG CHILD

April 5-11, 2025

Week of the Young Child is a fun-filled week celebrating early learning, young children, their teachers, families, and communities. The purpose of the Week of the Young Child® is to focus public attention on the needs of young children and their families and to recognize the early childhood programs and services that meet those needs.



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MARCH 2025



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TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK

May 5-9, 2025

Also in the resource folder is a planning guide for administrators offering creative ways to celebrate teachers, such as virtual thank-you messages, classroom helper programs, teacher appreciation awards, and family-teacher collaborative projects.

Feel free to use these resources to make Teacher Appreciation Week meaningful and memorable!



FAMILY CELEBRATIONS!

Inclusive family engagement events are essential for building a welcoming and supportive school community. By embracing diverse family structures and avoiding gender-specific labels like "Muffins with Mom" or "Donuts with Dad," we ensure that all caregivers feel valued. Using inclusive event names such as "Family Feast" or "Special Treats with Special Guests" helps create meaningful experiences where every child can celebrate with someone special in their life.



FAMILY ENGAGEMENT CHAMPION AWARD

We are excited to announce the second year of the Family Engagement Champion Award! This award recognizes educators who go above and beyond to build strong partnerships with families and create meaningful connections between school and home. Winners will be featured by Detroit Public Television. More details are located in the resource folder.

We encourage you to nominate an outstanding educator who exemplifies family engagement.

[Nominate
Here!](#)



Spring 2025 Family Engagement Newsletter (1).pdf

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Dear Preschool Teachers,

We are thrilled to announce the second year of the Family Engagement Champion Award! This award was created to celebrate and honor the outstanding efforts of educators who go above and beyond to build strong, meaningful partnerships with families in our community-based preschool programs.

As we enter our second year, we continue to recognize the crucial role you play not only in teaching but also in fostering connections between school and home. Your dedication, creativity, and commitment to family engagement have a lasting impact on the children and families you serve, and we want to highlight your incredible work.

The Family Engagement Champion Award will recognize teachers who excel in the following areas:

1. Effective Communication with Families – Keeping families informed and engaged through regular updates, newsletters, and communication channels.
2. Sharing Classroom Learning – Showcasing children's learning experiences through photos, videos, and interactive displays to involve families in their child's education journey.
3. Encouraging Active Learning at Home – Providing resources and support for families to participate in educational activities at home, promoting a collaborative learning environment.
4. Planning Engaging Partnership Meetings – Organizing interactive and informative meetings where families can collaborate, share feedback, and actively participate in the educational process.

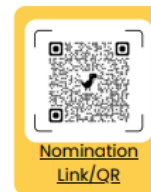
This award is more than just recognition—it's a celebration of the impactful work you do every day to create a positive learning environment for our children and strengthen our school community.

Teachers, administrators, or your early childhood consultant can nominate you for the Family Engagement Champion Award.

Exciting News! Detroit Public Television will once again highlight your school and the awarded teacher on their Facebook page. We can't wait to see the amazing ways you continue to engage families and inspire others through your innovative approaches. Let's make the second year of this award even more impactful!

Family Engagement Workgroup

Wayne RESA Family Engagement Workgroup



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Early Care and Education Wage Pilot Case Study Report & Recommendations

March 2025



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Professional Learning

Literacy Professional Learning Opportunities

The Literacy Team works to address the literacy crisis across the state by closing the gap in Wayne County through extensive training in early childhood developmentally appropriate literacy practices. Below is a list of our offerings for the remainder of the school year. REGISTER TODAY!



6611- Pre-Kindergarten Read Alouds in Practice: There should be at least two planned read aloud times in every prekindergarten daily routine. 1) Read aloud with reference to print; and 2) Interactive read aloud with a comprehension and vocabulary focus. Participants who join this session will gain practice in efficiently planning for these two read aloud times and observe both types of read alouds in practice. Friday, May 2, 2025 9:00 AM - 12:15 PM

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2024-2025

Search for additional professional learning opportunities by clicking here: [LEARNING STREAM](#)

Attention Directors:

Invite teachers to attend upcoming Wayne RESA Early Childhood Professional Learning Opportunities!

Upcoming WRESA Early Childhood Professional Learning

SAVE THE DATE!

The MAISA Early Math and Early Literacy teams will be sharing common space at the Amway Grand Plaza Hotel in Grand Rapids during the week of August 11-14.



Early Math Leadership Institute

August 11-13, 2025

Purpose

To bring Michigan education leaders together to align their vision of early math teaching and learning and engage with resources, build community and inspire a systems approach to instructional transformation.

Target Audience

ISD Leadership Teams of up to 10 participants

- GELN Member
- ECAN Member
- SEIN Member
- Mathematics Consultant(s)
- Other Education Consultants
- ISD Elementary Math Specialists
- Early Childhood Consultants/Coaches/Specialists
- LEA Leader(s) with focus on math
- Literacy Consultant and/or Coaching Coordinator (August 12)





Hotel and registration information will become available on our [registration site](#) in mid-February.

Literacy Essentials

Annual Literacy Coaching Institute

August 13-14, 2025

Purpose

This institute is designed for Michigan's state-wide Early Literacy Coaching Network in which coaches gather to engage in high-quality research-aligned professional learning. The content builds upon the culmination of learning from the previous year's quarterly meetings and serves as a launch into the 2025-2026 school year.

Please note: This institute meets one of the [MOE 35a required assurances](#). Attendance is required for coaches funded through 35a.



Target Audience

- ISD Literacy Coaches
- ISD Coach Coordinators
- ISD Positions directly supporting coaching work
- GELN Member



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*With remote sites in the upper peninsula



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Local Field Trips

Planning Field Trips

Family and community engagement is crucial to enhancing our educational programs. By planning field trips within Wayne County & its surrounding areas, we aim to create meaningful learning experiences that connect children, families, and the community. These trips will provide opportunities for children to explore local resources, engage with diverse environments, and build stronger connections with the world around them, all while reinforcing the importance of family involvement in their educational journey.



Belle Isle Nature Center
<https://belleislenaturecenter.org/>
 Contact: 313-852-4056



Belle Isle Park
 DNRBelleIsleQuestions@michigan.gov
 Contact: (313) 821-9844



Brilliant Detroit
<https://brilliantdetroit.org/>
 Field Trip Interest Form



The Charles H Wright Museum of African American History
<https://detroitthives.org/>
 Email: info@detroitthives.org
 Contact: (248) 808-8467



Cranbrook Institute of Science
<https://science.cranbrook.edu/>
 Email: info@cranbrook.edu
 Contact: (248) 645-3200



Detroit Historical Museum
<https://detroithistorical.org/>
 Email: info@detroithistorical.org
 Contact: (313) 833-7935



Detroit Hives
<https://detroitthives.org/>
 Email: info@detroitthives.org
 Contact: (248) 808-8467



Detroit Riverfront
<https://detroitriverfront.org/>
 Email: info@detroitriverfront.org
 Contact: (313) 566-8200



Detroit Zoo
<https://detroitzoo.org/>
 Email: info@detroitzoo.org
 Contact: (248) 541-5777



Dossin Great Lakes Museum
<https://detroithistorical.org/dossin-great-lakes-museum/plan-your-visit/general-information>
 Email: info@detroithistorical.org
 Contact: (313) 833-1805



The Henry Ford Museum of American Innovation & Greenfield Village
 Email: contactus@thehenryford.org
 Contact: (313) 982-6001

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The Detroit Children's Museum
Reopening soon- Learning Kits Available
Email: info@detroitchildrensmuseum.org
Contact: (313) 873-8100



Pottery Creations- Wyandotte
<https://www.potterycreations.com/>



Detroit DNR Outdoor Adventure Center
Website: <https://www.michigan.gov/oac>
Email: DNR-OAC@Michigan.gov
Phone: 844-622-6367 (844-OAC-MDNR)




Ann Arbor Hands on Museum
Field trips website:
<https://discoverscienceandnature.org/field-trips>
Contact: (734) 995-5439



Michigan Science Center
<https://www.mi-sci.org/>
Email: info@misci.org
(313) 577-8400

field trip



SCAN ME!

If you printed this document and need to get the links scan here!

When planning a field trip, consider how it:

- Supports individual family goals as well as the program's goals for socializations
- Aligns with the existing curriculum, goals, and experiences
- Increases families' awareness and access to community resources
- Responds to the developmental stages of all the children in your program
- Accommodates young children who may be active or noisy
- Promotes culturally and linguistically appropriate activities and locations
- Accommodates children with Individualized Family Service Plans or Individualized Education Programs and fits with their goals and needs
- Allows for adaptations necessary for children suspected of or who have disabilities to fully participate in the field trip experience
- Provides accessibility to any family members with special needs
- Is child- and family-friendly and whether the location has enough room for families to bring equipment such as strollers, diaper bags, or other gear
- Provides accommodations for feeding and diapering
- Ensures families can get to the field trip site by including reasonable transportation options that conform to program policies and guidelines

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Empowering Education Leaders: A Toolkit for Safe, Ethical, and Equitable AI Integration

Resource: [AI toolkit](#)

This relevant, user-friendly resource was developed through engagement with educators, community members and technology leaders and is shaped by the real-world challenges faced by schools and districts of all sizes. Whether an education leader is at the beginning stages of AI adoption or is already exploring its applications, this toolkit offers critical guidance to support the intentional use of AI in education across ten key modules—from federal policies to pressing educational issues, including privacy, data security, civil rights, and digital equity. Educators can download a copy of the toolkit at the U.S. Department of Education's [Office of Educational Technology website](#).

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Early On

We know that many of our programs serve infants and toddlers, and Wayne RESA is committed to supporting you to serve families of the youngest of children.

Early On is designed to provide comprehensive services to eligible infants and toddlers and their families. RESA collaborates with Wayne County Human Service agencies, Early Head Start, Infant Mental Health programs as well as local school districts to provide services.

Making a Referral

To make a referral for Early On, please do one of the following:

- Call the Wayne RESA Referral Hotline at (734) 334-1393 or 1-800-EARLYON.
- email echild@resa.net.
- visit the [Early On online referral](#) website.



**Submit a referral for
Early On**

[Learn more about Early On](#)

- 0 years to 2 years, 10 months

Safe And Healthy Schools

Did you know...

Wayne RESA GSRP offers School Nurse Consulting Services to support you, Wayne RESA GSRP and Strong Beginnings partners, in meeting the chronic and acute health needs of your students?

School Nurse Consulting Services, which are available upon request, include:

- Review of and recommendations on program health policies and procedures.
- Free attendance for program staff to the foundational training, Safe and Legal Support of Students with Health and Medication Needs.
- Assistance in securing appropriate individual Medication Administration Authorizations (MAAs) and Medical Management Plans (MMPs)
- Facilitated trainings to support safe implementation of individual MMPs for all identified students, including:
 - Access to templates of necessary forms;
 - Review of completed MAA and MMP forms;
 - General Tier 1 (Awareness) sessions on recognizing and beginning the response to potential health-related emergencies;
 - Student-Specific Tier 2 (Emergency Care) and Tier 3 (Daily Care and Support) training sessions with the identified school health teams and parents/guardians;
- Unlimited consultation for safe and legal school support of identified students' health needs.

- Free attendance for school staff to Medical Emergency Response Team (M.E.R.T.) Training.
- Communicable disease guidance and support.

Please complete this [GSRP Nurse Consulting Services Request Form](#) to initiate a formal request for support.

Great Start Collaborative – Wayne County

Great Start Detroit / Wayne County is dedicated to ensuring every child has a strong start in life by collaborating with families and community partners. We help you stay connected with Free to low-cost Events, Help & Fun in Detroit & Wayne County!

On our [Find Help](#) page, you will find resources for shelters, food, diapers, finance, and so much more.



Looking for free or low-cost Family Fun? We also work hard to find all the local activities, festivals, reading fun, arts and crafts, and more! Check out our [Find Fun](#) Page.

Lastly, Check out our updated [Out and About Resource Guide](#)!

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Statewide Autism Resources & Training

Michigan's Child Care Center Administration Business Series is Now Available On Demand!

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Are you interested in becoming a Program Director of a licensed child care center or are you an established Program Director looking for strategies and best practices for managing a child care center? If so, this course is for you!

This 30 hour course will cover:



How to efficiently manage and maintain a high-quality center



The art of budgeting, fee management and financial reports to ensure your center's financial health



Effective methods to attract families and increase enrollment through strategic marketing initiatives



Acquiring and retaining talented staff through leadership techniques and creating a positive work environment



Michigan's child care center licensing rules to ensure compliance and successful program management

Access the course at: <https://plp.michiganvirtual.org/?course=1036>

Cost: \$30

This state developed course meets the child care administration content requirement for center program directors.



April 2025



Professional Development for Early Childhood Educators

In-Person Trainings

Apr. 4, 12:30-2:30 p.m.: Reading Fun for Everyone (at Leaps & Bounds Family Services 8129 Packard Ave. Warren, MI 48089) ▲ ● 2 & 8 ■ 3 & 6

Apr. 4, 2:45-3:45 p.m.: Learning Lab: Reading Fun for Everyone – The Art of Storytelling (at Leaps & Bounds Family Services 8129 Packard Ave. Warren, MI 48089) ▲ ● 3 ■ 1

Apr. 8, 5:30-7:30 p.m.: Adult Child Interaction (at Leaps & Bounds Family Services 8129 Packard Ave. Warren, MI 48089) ● 3 & 8 ■ 1 & 2

Apr. 8, 5:30-7:30 p.m.: Toddler Techniques: 12-24 Months (at Leaps & Bounds Family Services 8129 Packard Ave. Warren, MI 48089) ● 3 & 5 ■ 1, 2 & 7

Apr. 9, 6-8 p.m.: Outdoor Activity 0-5 (at Steppin Out On Faith Learning Center 25941 Coolidge Hwy. Oak Park, MI 48237) ● 1 & 2 ■ 1

Apr. 12, 9-11 a.m.: Michigan Ongoing Health and Safety Training Refresher 2025 (at Leaps & Bounds Family Services 8129 Packard Ave. Warren, MI 48089)

Apr. 23, 5:30-6:30 p.m.: Learning Lab: Strengthening Families - Social and Emotional Competence of Children (at Leaps & Bounds Family Services 8129 Packard Ave. Warren, MI 48089) ● 3 ■ 4 & 5

Apr. 25, 5-7 p.m.: Learning Through Song and Rhyme (at 17515 W. 9 Mile Rd. Southfield, MI 48075 Suite 190) ● 2 & 8 ■ 1

Apr. 25, 7:30-8:30 p.m.: Learning Lab: Learning Through Song and Rhyme - Let's Sing (at 17515 W. 9 Mile Rd. Southfield, MI 48075 Suite 190) ● 3 ■ 1

Live Virtual Trainings

Live Virtual Trainings and Learning Labs are interactive webinars. Instructions will be given upon registering on MiRegistry.org.

Apr. 1, 5:30-7:30 p.m.: Tough Talks with Colleagues and Co-workers ▲ ● 6 ■ 7

Apr. 4, 12-2 p.m.: Parent-Teacher Conferences ▲ ● 2 & 4 ■ 1 & 4

Apr. 10, 12-2 p.m.: Addressing the Elephant - Hidden Bias ▲ ● 3 ■ 3 & 6

Apr. 10, 5:30-7:30 p.m.: Introducing Brain Development in the Early Years ● 2 & 3 ■ 1 & 2

Apr. 11, 1-2 p.m.: Learning Lab: Creativity and Confidence - Infant Toddler Art ● 3 ■ 1

Apr. 22, 6-7 p.m.: Learning Lab: Strengthening Families - Knowledge of Parenting and Child Development ● 4 ■ 4 & 5

Apr. 28, 12:30-2:30 p.m.: Cultural Competence in Early Childhood - It Starts with You ▲ ● 4 ■ 1 & 3

Apr. 28, 6-8 p.m.: Understanding Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) ● 1 & 6 ■ 2

Apr. 29, 12-1 p.m.: Learning Lab: Schedules and Routines- Let's Schedule ● 8 ■ 1

Apr. 29, 5-7 p.m.: Inclusive Practices: Planning for the Special Needs of All Children ▲ ● 3 & 4 ■ 1, 3 & 4



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Professional Development for Early Childhood Educators

Pre-Recorded Self-Paced Webinars

Participants will receive emailed instructions with course requirements as the training date nears.

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| Apr. 1, 10 a.m.-12 p.m.: Curiosity and Questioning: Preschool Science ●2 & 8 ■1 | Apr. 8, 5:30-7:30 p.m.: Creativity and Confidence: Art Activities ●2 & 8 ■1 | Apr. 16, 5:30-7:30 p.m.: Conflict Resolution: Temperament and Learning ●3 & 8 ■1 & 2 |
| Apr. 2, 5:30-7:30 p.m.: Active Learning Foundations ●2 & 8 ■1 | Apr. 9, 6-8 p.m.: Let's Move ●2 & 8 ■1 | Apr. 21, 10 a.m.-12 p.m.: Treasure Baskets with Infants and Toddlers ●2 & 8 ■1 |
| Apr. 3, 12-2 p.m.: Conflict Resolution: Toddler Temperament ●3 & 8 ■1 & 2 | Apr. 9, 5-7 p.m.: Caregiver Interactions ●2 & 8 ■1 | Apr. 22, 7-9 p.m.: Schedules and Routines ●2 & 8 ■1 |
| Apr. 3, 12:30-2:30 p.m.: Hold the Praise: Try Encouragement Instead ●3 & 8 ■1 | Apr. 10, 1-3 p.m.: How to: Activity Times ●2 & 8 ■1 | Apr. 24, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.: Talk to Me ●3 & 8 ■1 |
| Apr. 4, 10 a.m.-12 p.m.: Conflict Resolution: Helping Toddlers Problem Solve ●3 & 8 ■1 & 2 | Apr. 11, 2-4 p.m.: Playroom Materials and Organization ●2 & 8 ■1 | Apr. 24, 5-7 p.m.: Conflict Resolution: Strategies for Problem Solving ●3 & 8 ■1 & 2 |
| Apr. 7, 6-8 p.m.: Planning and Recall with Children ●2 & 8 ■1 | Apr. 14, 10 a.m.-12 p.m.: Learning Through Song and Rhyme ●2 & 8 ■1 | Apr. 28, 10 a.m.-12 p.m.: Activities for School-Aged Children ▲■7 |
| | Apr. 15, 6-8 p.m.: Let's Pretend ●3 & 8 ■1 | Apr. 30, 6-8 p.m.: Understanding Preschool Development ●2 & 8 ■1 |



We Value Your Feedback!

The ECE Team works hard to develop impactful trainings and ensure that we are a supportive, knowledgeable and reliable resource for all Child Care Providers. Hearing your feedback helps us grow- we encourage you to scan this QR code and share any comments you may have.

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In-Person Trainings

May 8, 7-8 p.m.: Learning Lab: Creativity and Confidence - Infant Toddler Art (at 17515 W. 9 Mile Rd. Southfield, MI 48075 Suite 190) ● 3 ■ 1

May 20, 6:30-7:30 p.m.: Learning Lab: Creativity and Confidence - Infant Toddler Art (at 17515 W. 9 Mile Rd. Southfield, MI 48075 Suite 190) ● 3 ■ 1

May 22, 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.: Supporting Families Experiencing Homelessness: How Child Care Providers Can Help (at Wayne RESA 33500 Van Born Rd. Wayne, MI 48184) ■ 4

May 30, 10 a.m.-12 p.m.: School-Aged Children: Keeping Them Safe! (at Leaps & Bounds Family Services 8129 Packard Ave. Warren, MI 48089) ■ 1

Infant-Toddler Focused Super Saturday Conference!

Join the ECE Career Center at Leaps & Bounds Family Services (8129 Packard Ave. Warren, MI 48089) on Saturday May 17, 2025 to earn 4.5 professional development hours while expanding your infant-toddler knowledge.

You don't want to miss this educational and resourceful opportunity!



To register, scan the QR code or call one of our Customer Service Navigators at (313) 402-0802 or (586) 879-3303.

Act fast, spots are limited!

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May 6, 5:30-6:30 p.m.: Introduction to HOPE (Healthy Outcomes from Positive Experiences) ● 8 ■ 2

May 14, 6-8 p.m.: Baby Basics ● 1 & 8 ■ 1

May 16, 12-1 p.m.: Learning Lab: Schedules and Routines- Let's Schedule ● 8 ■ 1

May 22, 6-8 p.m.: Infant Toddler Environments: Introducing Environment as the "Third Teacher" ● 2 & 5 ■ 1

May 23, 12-2 p.m.: Introducing Brain Development in the Early Years ● 2 & 3 ■ 1 & 2



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May 1, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.: Playroom Materials and Organization ● 2 & 8 ■ 1	May 7, 5-7 p.m.: How to: Activity Times ● 2 & 8 ■ 1	May 19, 6-8 p.m.: Learning Through Song and Rhyme ● 2 & 8 ■ 1
May 5, 9-11 a.m.: Creativity and Confidence: Art Activities ● 2 & 8 ■ 1	May 8, 6-8 p.m.: Activities for School-Aged Children ▲ 1	May 20, 6-8 p.m.: Hold the Praise: Try Encouragement Instead ● 3 & 8 ■ 1
May 5, 5-7 p.m.: Planning and Recall with Children ● 2 & 8 ■ 1	May 9, 1-3 p.m.: Conflict Resolution: Toddler Temperament ● 3 & 8 ■ 1 & 2	May 21, 12-2 p.m.: Let's be Friends ● 2 & 8 ■ 1
May 6, 12-2 p.m.: Active Learning Foundations ● 2 & 8 ■ 1	May 13, 6-8 p.m.: Schedules and Routines ● 2 & 8 ■ 1	May 21, 6-8 p.m.: Reading Fun for Everyone ▲ 2 & 8 ■ 1
May 6, 6-8 p.m.: Curiosity and Questioning: Preschool Science ● 2 & 8 ■ 1	May 14, 6-8 p.m.: Caregiver Interactions ● 2 & 8 ■ 1	May 28, 12-2 p.m.: Math Learning ● 2 & 8 ■ 1
May 7, 12-2 p.m.: Let's Pretend ● 3 & 8 ■ 1	May 15, 2-4 p.m.: Conflict Resolution: Strategies for Problem Solving ● 3 & 8 ■ 1 & 2	May 28, 2-4 p.m.: Conflict Resolution: Helping Toddlers Problem Solve ● 3 & 8 ■ 1 & 2
	May 16, 1-3 p.m.: Conflict Resolution: Temperament and Learning ● 3 & 8 ■ 1 & 2	May 29, 4-6 p.m.: Treasure Baskets with Infants and Toddlers ● 2 & 8 ■ 1



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- Our Strong Start (connecting with a navigator) [Our Strong Start \(michigan.gov\)](https://www.michigan.gov/our-strong-start)
- CCHIRP Technical Assistance [CCHIRP \(michigan.gov\)](https://www.michigan.gov/cchirp)

BFS Plan Review Office Hours

Child Care Licensing has partnered with the Licensing and Regulatory Affairs Bureau of Fire Services plan review division to offer monthly office hours. This is an opportunity to stay informed, connected, and ask questions surrounding plan reviews.

BFS Office Hours with Kristy Carmichael

Thursday March 6, 2025 3-4pm	Register Here
Thursday April 3, 2025 3-4pm	Register Here
Thursday May 1, 2025 3-4pm	Register Here
Thursday June 5, 2025 3-4pm	Register Here
Thursday July 3, 2025 3-4pm	Register Here
Thursday August 7, 2025 3-4pm	Register Here



Licensing and Regulatory Affairs

State of Michigan – Child Care Licensing Bureau Support

Paris Howard - Wayne

Area Manager

313-300-4317

HowardP10@michigan.gov

<https://www.michigan.gov/mileap/early-childhood-education/cclb>

Upcoming Office Hours:
Wayne Region with Paris Howard

May 21, 2025
Jun 18, 2025
12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m

[Zoom Registration Link - Wayne Region](#)

Wayne Region Office Hours Link



Help Me Grow
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Consultant FAQ

ASQ Support

Ages & Stages Questionnaires® (ASQ®) provides reliable, accurate developmental and social-emotional screening for children.

ASQ Technical Assistance is available! If your program needs ASQ Online training, login or password info, or access to the Help Me Grow partner Google Drive please don't hesitate to reach out to Amber Anderson at Help Me Grow. Please see the TA Request Link below.

All GSRP programs should be a Help Me Grow partner to receive their ASQ Online Account.

Amber Anderson

amber@greatstartwayne.org

Care Coordinator/Technical Assistance

Help Me Grow Michigan

Great Start Collaborative Detroit-Wayne

313-410-5235

GSRP Office Hours every Thursday at 2pm

Topic: Amber Anderson's Personal Meeting Room

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/5969353317>

Meeting ID: 596 935 3317

ASQ TA Request Link: [ASQ Assistance Request](#)

Google form link: [GSRP Partner Intake Form](#)

Help Me Grow Partner Folder

A graphic for the ASQ Assistance Request Link. It features a blue background with a white circular inset showing a red apple, a red stapler, and a pencil holder with colored pencils. Above the inset, the word "School" is spelled out with colorful letter tiles on a corkboard. The top left corner has the RESA logo (Wayne Service Leadership Collaboration Excellence) and the text "ASQ Assistance" in large white letters. Below the inset, there is a paragraph of text and a large white paper airplane icon pointing towards the link.

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ASQ Assistance

As part of our new program to bring you the quickest assistance with your ASQ Online accounts, please use the link below to our ASQ Assistance Request Link.

[**ASQ Assistance Request Link**](#)

Great Start to Quality Job Board

Do you have openings in your program? Great Start to Quality can help you find qualified candidates!

[Early Childhood Job Board - Great Start to Quality](#)

Job postings are good for 60 days and can be renewed, if needed.



Send the jobs description(s), program location and submission contact information to jobs@ecic4kids.org

Once a candidate submits a resume or cover letter, Great Start to Quality sends them directly to the program.

School Readiness Advisory Committee

Parent/Guardian SRAC Interest Form

Teacher SRAC Interest Form

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Social Emotional

Social Emotional Support

Dr. Kelly Anderson, Early Childhood Social Emotional Consultant

Dr. Anderson will be out of the office for the remainder of the school year on Maternity Leave. If you need support for the social emotional needs of students in your classroom, please do not hesitate to communicate with your RESA Consultant.

Due to Dr. Anderson's absence, SEL office hours have also been suspended until the start of the new school year. If you need a thought partner to support you with behavioral or inclusion needs please call the main GSRP phone line and we will connect you with someone who can help. 734-334-1312



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