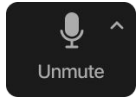
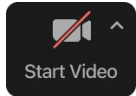


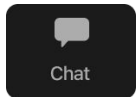
Zoom Meeting Preparation



- Please make sure your phone or computer is muted to minimize background noise.
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- Please make sure you have turned off your camera to save bandwidth and prevent any connectivity issues.
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- Please submit questions during the presentation in the “Chat” function located on the bottom of your screen.

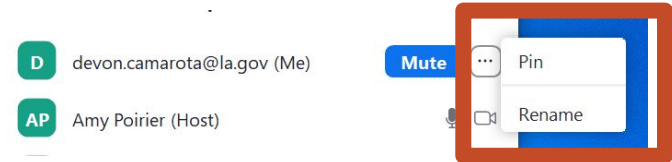
If you require an interpreter or have other accessibility needs for future LDOE meetings, please contact LDOEcommunications@la.gov.



Zoom Meeting Protocol

Participant Naming Conventions

Please change your Zoom name to reflect your actual name and the Community Network you represent.



Questions

During the presentation, please add any questions to the chat. Questions will be answered at the end of the webinar. If you enter a question in the chat, please include your e-mail address, in case our team needs to follow up with you further.

Notice of AI Recording on Zoom

Please be advised that the LDOE does not permit artificial intelligence (AI) meeting recorders to join online meetings and does not consent to having this meeting recorded or transcribed.



Community Network Lead Agency Office Hours



April 8, 2025

Webinar Purpose and Objectives



Webinar Purpose and Objectives

Purpose: The Community Network Lead Agency (CNLA) Office Hours webinar provides CNLA administrators with information, updates, and reminders related to current LDOE Early Childhood Care and Education initiatives and events.

Objectives:

Community Network Lead Agencies will

- Receive new information and updates
- Receive information on today's featured topics:
Allocations Planning Tool and eGMS Fiscal Year Close Out Walk Through
- Review reminders about upcoming deadlines



Agenda

- I. Early Childhood Community Network Updates
- II. Featured Topic:
Allocations Planning Tool and eGMS Fiscal Year Close Out Walk Through
- III. Early Childhood Reminders
- IV. Upcoming Events and Deadlines



Early Childhood Community Network Updates



CNLA Spring Collaborations

Thank you to all who attended the Spring CNLA Collaboration. The EC team looks forward to working with you all on the improvement of the 3 quality processes shared at the Spring collaboration in 2025 and beyond.

- If you were unable to attend please refer to this [SMART Goals planning sheet](#) and the information on the following slides. Please “make a copy.”
- If you have any questions please email earlychildhood@la.gov.



Improvement of Quality Processes

Significant areas to support the overall improvement of **quality processes** within CNLAs related to the Early Childhood Key Endeavors include:

1. Focus on **language and literacy development** as a key endeavor for further improving site Performance Profile Scores (PPS) and **preparing children for kindergarten**
 - **How:** Analyze current CLASS® and Teaching Strategies GOLD® data and roadmap areas for improvement and support
2. Improve **educator and family child development knowledge and understanding** through all stages of development and learning
 - **How:** Focus on best practices that promote teachers' participation in high-quality professional development, with a focus on educator effectiveness, and focus on ways to engage more families that have the greatest impact on more children's learning outcomes
3. Provide **targeted, intentional support that builds capacity and engages teachers**, promoting the retention and stabilization of the EC workforce by empowering them with skills that enhance educator effectiveness and confidence
 - **How:** Use observation data to improve program quality and child outcomes



CNLA Office Hours: Network Spotlight

We want to hear from you! The Office of Early Childhood invites Community Network lead Agencies to participate in a Network Spotlight during Monthly CNLA Office Hours Webinars.

- This is an opportunity to share your work around [quality processes](#) within early childhood key endeavors. Present your innovative projects, data-driven insights, and best practices to colleagues statewide.
- To present during May 13 CNLA Office Hours or future CNLA Office Hours, please submit a request to jenny.moran2@la.gov. Include a two-to three-slide presentation highlighting your work and the quality process that this work aligns with. Presentations are limited to 10 minutes.

We look forward to your submissions and continued collaboration!

Early Childhood Community Network Updates

Please contact earlychildhood@la.gov with questions.



Fall CNLA Collaborations

Save the date(s) for Fall CNLA Collaboratives! We will reconvene in October to

- Check-in on work focusing on the 3 quality processes
- Deepen learning and streamline processes related to Coordinated Enrollment and Developmental Screening (keep those S.M.A.R.T. Goals handy)
- Receive information and updates relevant to the all-important work of the CNLA

Date:

Tuesday, October 28th

Claiborne Building, Thomas Jefferson Room



Featured Topic:

2025 - 2026 Allocations Planning Tool



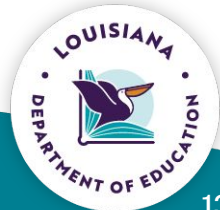
2025-2026 Allocations Planning Tool

The [2025-2026 Early Childhood Allocations Planning Tool](#) is now posted in the Lead Agencies library.

- This planning tool provides funding information for all SFY 26 Early Childhood initiatives that are funded via allocation (as of April 8, 2025).
- Lead Agencies should use this planning tool while developing SFY 26 budgets in eGMS.
- Networks should ensure that all activities entered in each budget align with the guidance in the Allocations Planning Tool and are related to each specific initiative listed within the tool and activities listed in each budget do not overlap between initiatives.

Featured Topic - Allocations Planning Tool

Please contact the program manager for each allocation with specific questions.



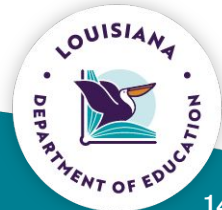
2025-2026 Allocations Planning Tool

The SFY 26 Allocations Planning Tool includes the following information:

- eGMS Coding and Allowable Uses
- Calendar of Important Dates
- SFY 26 eGMS Allocation Allowable Uses and Recommended Spending Percentage for each of the following initiatives:
 - Community Network Lead Agency Initiative
 - Ready Start Network Lead Agency Initiative
 - Early Childhood Education Fund
 - Non-Allowable Uses
- eGMS Budget Planning Template
- SFY 26 Allocation Assurances
- Frequently Asked Questions

Featured Topic - Allocations Planning Tool

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SFY 26 Allocations Planning Tool

Community Network Lead Agency

Funded by Child Care Development Fund (CCDF, CFDA# 93.575)

Community Network Lead Agency funds **expire on June 30, 2026**. Please contact sonia.fields-gutierrez@la.gov with any questions.

3. Recommended Use of Community Network Lead Agency Allocation	
Function	Estimated Percent of Funding
CLASS® Observations	70%
Coordinated Enrollment	10%
Network Administration (inclusive of indirect costs, as applicable)	15%
Materials, Supplies/Misc.	5%

Recommended Use of Community Network Lead Agency Funding	
CLASS® Observations	70%
CLASS® renewal fees (e.g., observer renewal, CLASS® trainer recertification fee)	
Stipends for contracted CLASS® Observers	
CLASS® observation materials	
Stipends/fees for CLASS® calibrations meetings	
Materials to support instruction (e.g., curriculum or supplemental materials)	
Travel (e.g., observations, TLS, EC Conference, Collaboratives, etc.)	
Coordinated Enrollment	10%
One-time rental for an event (not a lease), for Coordinated Enrollment and/or family engagement	

1. Allocation title
2. Funding source and CFDA#
3. General recommended uses of funds
4. Percentage of how much of the total allocation should be used for that category
5. Detailed examples of the use of funds
6. The LDOE point of contact

Contact Information

Networks should reach out to the following Early Childhood team members should there be any questions related to allowable usages and budgeting:

- Community Network Lead Agency - sonia.fields-gutierrez@la.gov
- Ready Start Network - jovetta.sanders@la.gov
- Early Childhood Education Fund - sonia.fields-gutierrez@la.gov

Featured Topic - Allocations Planning Tool

Please contact the program manager for each allocation with specific questions.



Featured Topic:

eGMS Fiscal Year Close Out Walk Through



Submitting Reimbursements

Community Network Lead Agencies have about 90 days remaining to submit all reimbursements for the 2024-2025 Fiscal Year. The following actions need to take place between now and June 30:

- Submit Quarter 3 Periodic Expenditure Report (PER)
- Submit all final reimbursements for all activities in eGMS submitted and approved by the LDOE
- Collect documents verifying reimbursements to prepare for Quarter 4 Periodic Expense Report (due July 15)

After June 30:

- Submit Quarter 4 Periodic Expenditure Report (due July 15)

Refer to the [2024-2025 Allocations Planning Tool](#) for support in understanding each allocation and how to spend funding.



Periodic Expenditure Reports

Periodic Expenditure Reports (PERs) must be submitted by each Community Network Lead Agency for every funding source and activity combination. Activities with multiple funding sources have multiple PERs.

Quarterly PERs require documentation to verify all reimbursement requests occurring within that quarter.

PERs must be submitted before reimbursements for the subsequent quarter may be submitted.

- *One of the most common delays in reimbursement submissions is not having completed the PER for the previous quarter*



Accessing Periodic Expenditure Reports

From the main GMS Access Select page, locate Application Name and select “Payments”. Next, select “View Reimbursement Requests/Expenditure Reports”.

Application Name	Revision	Status	Date	Actions	
EC PDG Consolidated Application	Amendment 1	Final Approved	12/13/2024	Open	Payments Review Summary
EC State General Fund	Original Application	Final Approved	9/23/2024	Open	Payments Review Summary
EC CCDF Consolidated Application	Original Application	Final Approved	10/9/2024	Open	Payments Review Summary



View Reimbursement Requests/Expenditure Reports

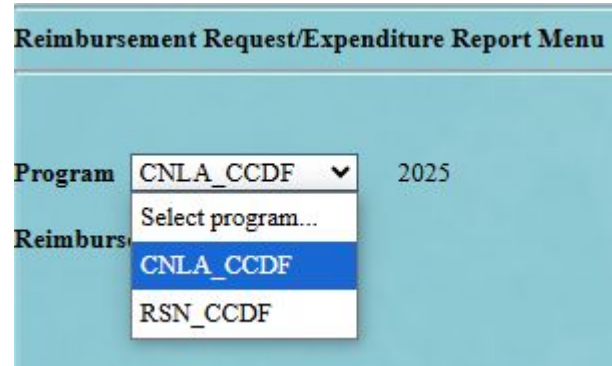
Payment Summary as of 4/7/2025

CNLA_CCDF RSN_CCDF



Periodic Expenditure Reports

Each program option in the drop down will need a PER if there is funding allocated to the CNLA in that fund source.

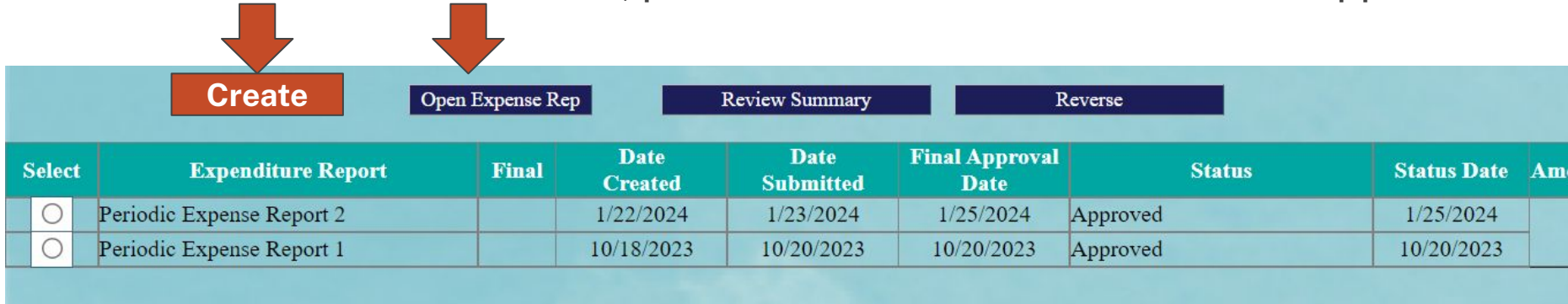


The screenshot shows a web interface titled "Reimbursement Request/Expenditure Report Menu". It features a form with the following elements:

- Program:** A dropdown menu currently displaying "CNLA_CCDF" with a downward arrow. To its right is the year "2025".
- Reimburse:** A label positioned to the left of the dropdown menu.
- Dropdown Options:** A list of options is visible below the dropdown box:
 - Select program...
 - CNLA_CCDF (highlighted in blue)
 - RSN_CCDF

Periodic Expenditure Reports

Once a fund source is selected, past reimbursements and PERs will appear.



Select	Expenditure Report	Final	Date Created	Date Submitted	Final Approval Date	Status	Status Date	Am
<input type="radio"/>	Periodic Expense Report 2		1/22/2024	1/23/2024	1/25/2024	Approved	1/25/2024	
<input type="radio"/>	Periodic Expense Report 1		10/18/2023	10/20/2023	10/20/2023	Approved	10/20/2023	

CNLAs will have a button titled “Create” which will generate a new PER when clicked.

Periodic Expenditure Reports

Expenditure/Obligation Summary		Expenditure/Obligation by EIC		Financial Certification		Submit	
Periodic Expense Report 2							Click for Instructions
This request has been approved. No more updates will be saved.							
Program: RSN_CCDF Budget data will only be displayed if there is an approved or substantially approved application/budget at time of PER submission.							
Object Code	Obligation/Expenditure Description and Itemization	Final Approved Budget	LDE Funds Released	Previously Reported Obligated/Expended	Accumulated Obligations/Expenditures to Date		
100	Salaries	\$41,407	\$0	\$0	\$14,012		
200	Benefits	\$3,860	\$0	\$0	\$3,272		
300	Purchased Professional / Technical Svcs	\$47,373	\$0	\$0	\$0		
400	Purchased Property Svcs	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0		
500	Other Purchased Svcs	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0		
600	Supplies	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0		
700	Property	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0		
800	Other objects	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0		
Totals:		\$92,640	\$0	\$0	\$17,284		
Indirect Cost Approved Rate 8.0000 % Derived Rate 7.9447%		\$7,360	\$0	\$0	\$1,373		
Totals:		\$100,000	\$0	\$0	\$18,657		
Expenditure Period End Date							12/31/2024

Ensure the Period End Date is reflective of the appropriate Quarter, and input the “Accumulated Obligations/Expenditures to Date.”

eGMS Fiscal Year Close Out Walk Through

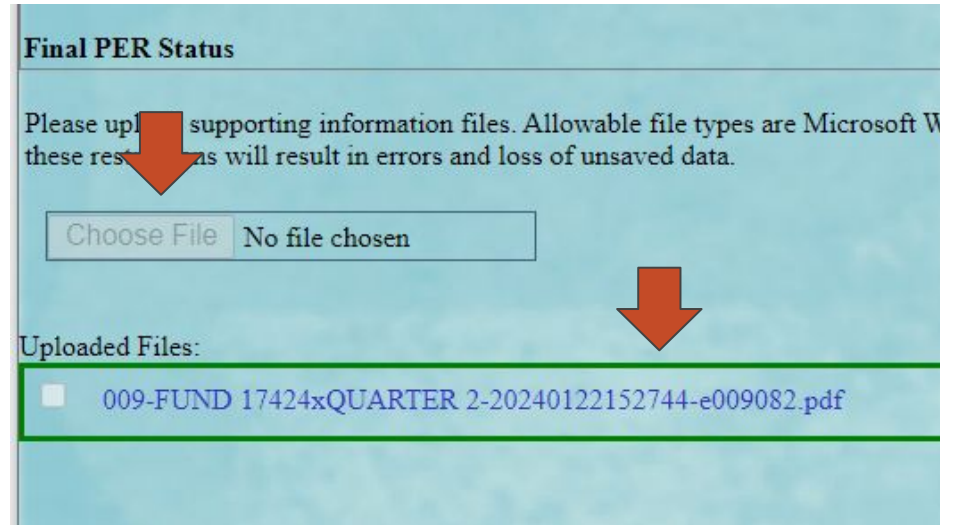
Please contact the program manager of the activity with questions.



Periodic Expenditure Reports

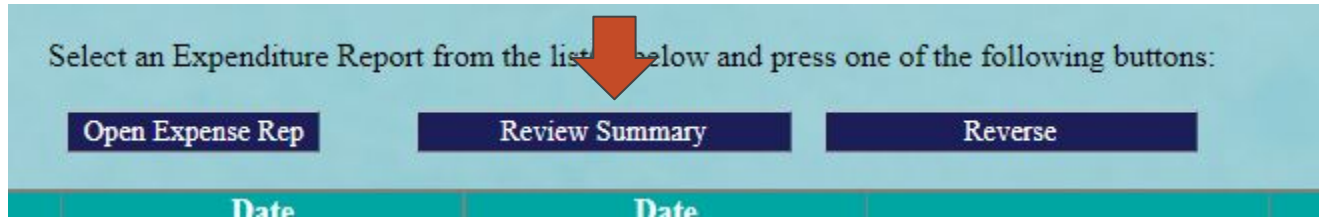
Remember, all PERs must have documentation submitted to validate the reimbursements requested that quarter.

Once the appropriate document is uploaded by selecting “Choose File”, the document will appear as a link under Uploaded Files.



The screenshot shows a web interface titled "Final PER Status". Below the title, there is a text instruction: "Please upload supporting information files. Allowable file types are Microsoft Word documents, PDFs, and Excel spreadsheets. These restrictions will result in errors and loss of unsaved data." A red arrow points to the word "upload" in this instruction. Below the text is a file selection button labeled "Choose File" with the text "No file chosen" to its right. Another red arrow points to the "Choose File" button. Below the button is a section titled "Uploaded Files:" which contains a single entry: a small square icon followed by the text "009-FUND 17424xQUARTER 2-20240122152744-e009082.pdf". A red arrow points to this entry.

Periodic Expenditure Reports



CNLAs can view the review status (whether the LDOE has reviewed, approved, or rejected) the PER by clicking “Review Summary.”

If there is a delay longer than ten business days for the approval or rejection of a PER, please use this tool to find the person scheduled to review the PER. If a delay has gone longer than ten business days, please contact that person and cc the program manager of the activity.

- *Ex: If an RSN PER is delayed, cc jovetta.sanders@la.gov as program manager.*

Reimbursements

CNLAs should have already noticed that the reimbursement buttons are housed in the same page(s) as Periodic Expense Reports (PERs).

Reimbursement Requests:

Select an Reimbursement Request from the list(s) below and press one of the following buttons:

Create [Open Request](#) [Review Summary](#)

Select	Reimbursement Request	Date Created	Date Submitted	Final Approval Date	Status	Status Date
<input type="radio"/>	Reimbursement Request 1	9/1/2023	1/23/2024	1/25/2024	Approved	1/25/2024

CNLAs will have a button titled “create” which will generate a new reimbursement request when clicked.

Reimbursements

Budget codes must align with what was approved in the budget (original or amended, and must be less than or equal to the remaining balance (final approved budget - previously requested).

Descriptions should have quantities, rates, and description in alignment with what was written in the budget.

Itemize and explain each expenditure amount. Provide a complete breakdown of eligible employee benefits. Click on the "Create Additional Entries" button to enter additional information. (Use whole dollars only. Omit Decimal Places, e.g. \$2536)

Describe Object Codes

Object Code	Expenditure Description and Itemization (1000 Character Maximum)	Final Approved Budget	Previously Requested	Reimbursement Request	Delete Row
600	Reimbursement description goes here	\$31,505		\$0 3630	<input type="checkbox"/>
Indirect Cost Approved Rate 11.0952 % Derived Rate 11.0935 %		\$3,495		Total \$3,630	
				\$0 \$403	
				Total \$4,033	

Reimbursements

Reimbursements do not require attached documents to verify expenditures since those are provided in the PER. However, it is a best practice to upload those documents when available.

Please upload supporting information files. Allowable file types are Microsoft Word (.doc / .docx) and Adobe PDF. Files must be less than 10M. These restrictions will result in errors and loss of unsaved data.

Choose File No file chosen

Uploaded Files:

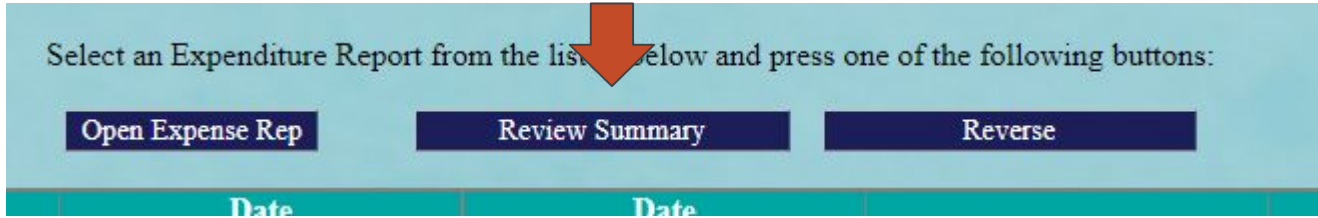
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Reimbursements

Just like with PERs, CNLAs can view the LDOE reviewer after the reimbursement is submitted. If the review takes longer than ten business days, please contact the person upon whom the reimbursement is waiting, and cc the program manager.

- *Ex: If an RSN PER is delayed, cc jovetta.sanders@la.gov as program manager.*

Select an Expenditure Report from the list below and press one of the following buttons:



The screenshot shows a light blue background with a list of expenditure reports at the bottom, each with a 'Date' column. Above the list are three dark blue buttons with white text: 'Open Expense Rep', 'Review Summary', and 'Reverse'. An orange arrow points down to the 'Review Summary' button.

Close Out Summary

Community Network Lead Agency program staff and business office staff must work together to ensure timely completion of fiscal responsibilities.

- PERs are due the same time each year
 - October 15
 - January 15
 - April 15
 - July 15
- PERs require documentation to validate reimbursements requested in that quarter
- PERs must be completed prior to reimbursements are submitted for the subsequent quarter (or fiscal year)
- Reimbursements do not require documentation



Close Out Summary

Community Network Lead Agency program staff and business office staff must work together to ensure timely completion of fiscal responsibilities.

- Reimbursements should be submitted early and often to avoid end of year “traffic jams”
- Every CNLA can see where the submitted application, PER, or reimbursement is in the review process and should use this for status checks regularly
- If there is a delay in the approval process, please contact the program manager of that activity along with the person named in the review process

Please enter eGMS related questions in the chat now to allow time for the LDOE team to review and respond within the webinar time.

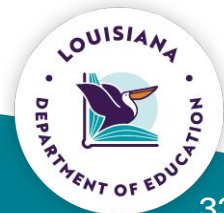
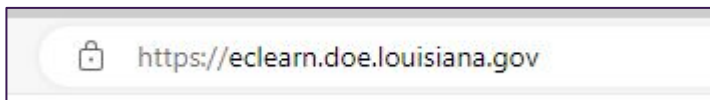


Early Childhood Reminders



EC Learn Online Training Platform

- **EC Learn** is the LDOE's Early Childhood free, online training and learning resource, where early childhood educators can enroll in and access free continuing education courses.
- Individuals may access **EC Learn** by typing <https://eclearn.doe.louisiana.gov/> in the address field of a browser window:



Early Childhood Reminders

Please contact eclearn@la.gov with questions.

Early Childhood Health & Safety Training

- Current early childhood course listings on the **EC Learn** landing page include the following:
 - **NEW** Infectious Diseases in Child Care - 1 credit hour
 - Medication Administration in Child Care - 3 credit hours
 - Safe Environments in Child Care - 1 credit hour
 - Food Safety in Child Care - 1 credit hour
- The Department is in the process of developing an enhanced health and safety training program titled “Sanitation in Child Care.” This training will be accessible in EC Learn by April 30, 2025.



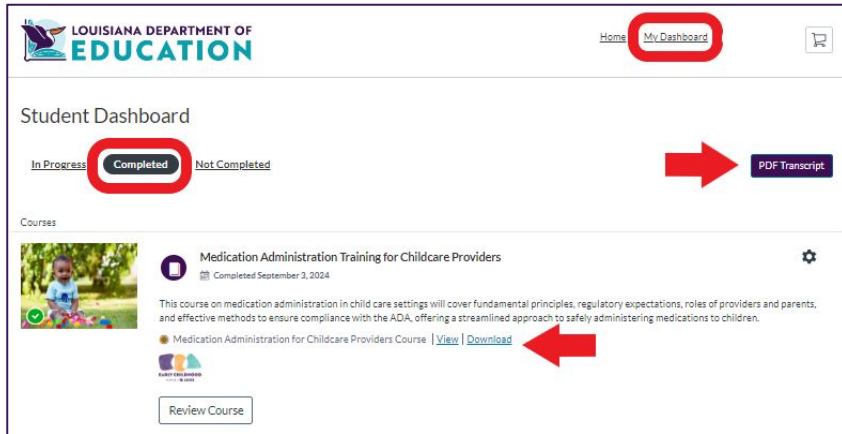
Early Childhood Reminders

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EC Learn Training Certificates

EC Learn participants will be e-mailed a copy of the training certificate within 24 hours of successful completion of the final course exam. Additionally, participants can view and download training certificates or a training transcript from their Student Dashboard.

- On the Canvas Catalog Dashboard, click the “Completed” tab.
- To view the certificate, click the “View” link. To download the certificate, click the “Download” link.



The screenshot shows the Louisiana Department of Education's Student Dashboard. At the top left is the logo for the Louisiana Department of Education. In the top right corner, there are links for 'Home' and 'My Dashboard', with 'My Dashboard' circled in red. Below the navigation bar, there are three tabs: 'In Progress', 'Completed', and 'Not Completed', with 'Completed' circled in red. A red arrow points from the 'Completed' tab to a 'PDF Transcript' button. Under the 'Courses' section, there is a course titled 'Medication Administration Training for Childcare Providers' with a status of 'Completed September 3, 2024'. Below the course title, there is a description and two links: 'View' and 'Download', with a red arrow pointing to the 'Download' link. At the bottom of the course card is a 'Review Course' button.

Download a PDF transcript of all completed courses in the “**Completed**” portion of your Dashboard.

Early Childhood Reminders
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Upcoming Events and Deadlines



LA GATOR Scholarship Program

Student applications for the [LA GATOR Scholarship Program](#) are now open for the 2025-2026 school year. Parents can use these funds for approved educational services, such as the following:

- School tuition and fees at over 240 nonpublic schools
- Tutoring and educational therapies
- Textbooks and curricula
- Dual enrollment courses
- Uniforms

LA GATOR
SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM
Giving All True Opportunity to Rise

Upcoming Events & Deadlines

Please contact help.la@withodyssey.com with any questions.



LA GATOR Scholarship Program

For a student to be eligible for an ESA, the student must be a resident of Louisiana and meet any one of the following requirements:

- Participated in the Louisiana Scholarship Program (LSP) in the previous school year
- Entering kindergarten
- Enrolled in a public school the previous school year
- From a family with total income at or below 250% of federal poverty guidelines

Upcoming Events & Deadlines

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LA GATOR Scholarship Program: How to Apply

Parents interested in applying for the LA GATOR Scholarship Program should visit lagator.la.gov to submit their application by **April 15, 2025**.

The LDOE has partnered with Odyssey to manage the program's application process and marketplace.

Parents with questions about the program or application process can access support through the following:

- [Submit a Help Desk Ticket](#)
- Email Support: help.la@withodyssey.com
- Call Center: 225-422-1538

Upcoming Events & Deadlines

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TEACHER LEADER SUMMIT 2025

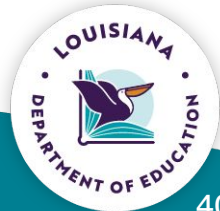
A *New Story* for LOUISIANA EDUCATION

June 10-12 | New Orleans Ernest N. Morial Convention Center

Teacher Leader Summit 2025 celebrates Louisiana’s historic education progress and sets the stage for the next chapter of success. Educators across the state are writing a new story for Louisiana education by accelerating academic achievement and fostering student growth. This year’s Summit theme, “A New Story for Louisiana Education,” highlights the collective effort of educators to continue moving our state forward.

Join us this summer as we celebrate the end of one school year, and prepare to make an even bigger impact for the academic year ahead.

Please contact LDOEvents@la.gov with questions.



TEACHER LEADER SUMMIT 2025

A *New Story* for LOUISIANA EDUCATION

Objectives of Teacher Leader Summit:



Improve the everyday practice of educators in Louisiana by building **knowledge and skills**.



Provide opportunities for educators to **collaborate and share best practices**.



Equip educators with **high-quality strategies, resources, and professional learning** aligned with Louisiana's educational priorities.



Empower and inspire educators to take on an even greater **leadership role** within their classrooms, schools, and school systems.

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TEACHER LEADER SUMMIT 2025

A *New Story* for LOUISIANA EDUCATION

Registration closes April 18.

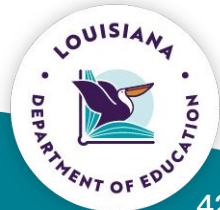
Registration for this event will be on a first-come, first-served basis. As space is limited, early registration is encouraged. **There will be no on-site registration.**

- **Regular Registration: \$299 (March 15-April 18)**

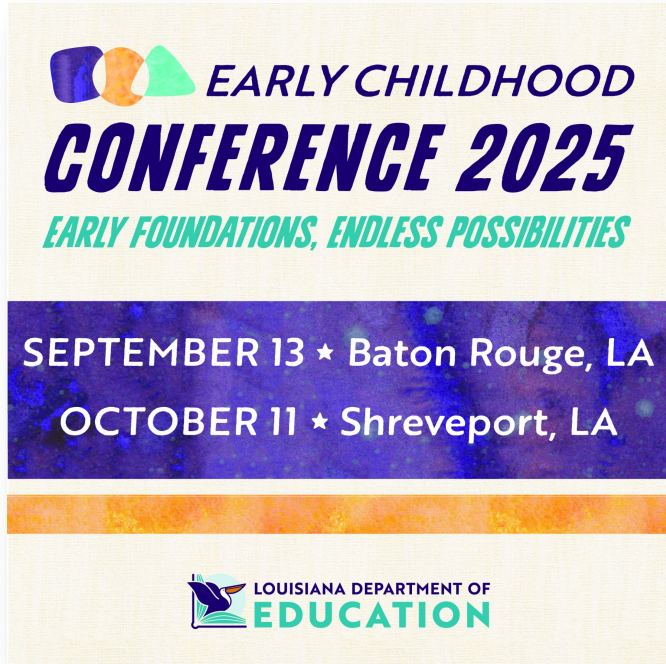


REGISTER HERE!

Please contact LDOEvents@la.gov with questions.



Early Childhood Conference 2025



SAVE THE DATES!

The 2025 Early Childhood Conferences will be held on Saturdays in two locations again this year. This year's theme is **Early Foundations, Endless Possibilities**.

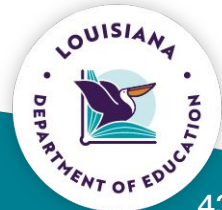
Save the date for:

Baton Rouge - September 13

Shreveport - October 11

Additional information will be shared at a later date.

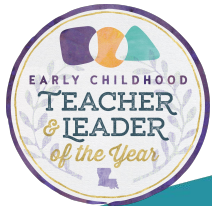
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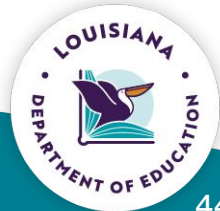
Early Childhood Teacher and Leader of the Year Award Program

The Louisiana Department of Education, in partnership with [Dream Teachers](#), is excited to recognize and celebrate some of the state's most exceptional educators through the Early Childhood Teacher and Leader of the Year programs. The application period **closed** as of **January 15, 2025**. The five Teacher and five Leader of the Year Finalists for 2026 were named on **March 18, 2025**.

Please join us in congratulating these excellent educators!

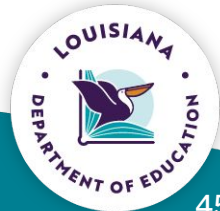
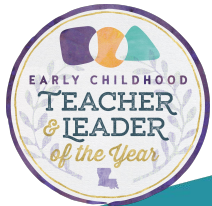


Upcoming Events and Deadlines
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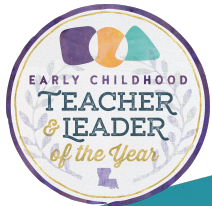
2026 Teacher of the Year Finalists

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Finalist Name	Parish	Site Name
Ana Qassem	Plaquemines	Belle Chasse Primary (Head Start)
Brooklynn Johnson-Botley	Allen	Kinder Head Start
Demika Gilmore	East Baton Rouge	LSU Early Childhood Education Lab Preschool
Shannon Catanzaro	Jefferson	Carousel Preschool
Sharekia Winn	Red River	Red River Head Start



2026 Leader of the Year Finalists

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Finalist Name	Parish	Site Name
Delishia Wilson	Tangipahoa	Building Blocks Early Learning Center
Devonda Warren	Tangipahoa	Explore and Learn Early Learning Center
Jennifer Stevenson	Washington	The Garden of Knowledge
Shannon Johns	Rapides	Cenla Christian Childcare Centers: Pineville, Kolin, AEX, Libuse, Winnfield, Woodworth
Dr. Sondra Washington	Iberville	ChiefCornerstone Daycare Center



Monthly Office Hours for New Directors

The LDOE team conducts webinars on various topics related to early childhood quality and improving child care sites' administrative and operational functions. Through engaging sessions and monthly guest speakers, the office hours are designed to support directors seeking training, to facilitate effective ECE leadership development.

This month's topic is "An Overview of Bulletin 137." Participants will learn some of the most commonly-cited deficiencies and how to avoid being cited.

Attendees can access the webinar using the information below:

- **Webinar Date/Time:** April 25 at 12:00 p.m.
- **Webinar Link:** <https://ldoe.zoom.us/j/93015014527>
- **Phone Number:** 1 346-248-7799
- **Meeting ID:** 930 1501 4527
- **Passcode:** 012444

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Monthly Provider Update Webinar

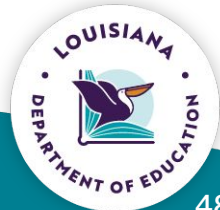
CNLAs are encouraged to attend the monthly webinars for early childhood providers. These webinars include important updates and reminders for all provider types.

Providers can access the next provider webinar using the information below:

- **Webinar Date/Time:** Thursday, May 1, 2025 at 1 p.m.
- **Webinar Link:** <https://ldoe.zoom.us/j/93597745872>
- **Phone Number:** 1 470 250 9358
- **Meeting ID:** 935 9774 5872
- **Passcode:** 641464

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Monthly CNLA Office Hours Webinar

CNLAAs are encouraged to attend the monthly webinars. These webinars include important updates and reminders for Community Network Lead Agencies.

Attendees can access the next CNLA Office Hours webinar using the information below:

- **Webinar Date/Time:** Tuesday, May 13, 2025 at 3 p.m.
- **Webinar Link:** <https://ldoe.zoom.us/j/97220084131>
- **Phone Number:** 1 312 626 6799
- **Meeting ID:** 972 2008 4131
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Monthly Young Children with Disabilities Community of Practice

The LDOE team conducts webinars on various topics related to early childhood.

This month's topic is "SmartTeach™ OSEP End of Year Reporting." Participants will learn the importance of end of year reporting activities including exiting children from OSEP who are matriculating to Kindergarten and archiving children and classrooms to close out the 2024-2025 school year.

Attendees can access the webinar using the information below:

- **Webinar Date/Time:** May 27, 2025 at 3:00 p.m.
- **Webinar Link:** <https://ldoe.zoom.us/j/91561982271>
- **Phone Number:** 1-312-626-6799
- **Meeting ID:** 915 6198 2271
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Events and Deadlines

April 11:

LA 4/NSECD/CCAP B-3 attendance due

April 15:

Periodic Expenditure Report due in eGMS

April 18:

[Teacher Leader Summit Regular Registration](#) closes

April 25:

[New Director Office Hours](#)

May 1:

[Monthly Provider Webinar](#)

May 13:

[CNLA Office Hours Webinar](#)

May 27:

[Young Children with Disabilities Community of Practice Webinar](#)

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Questions





Thank You!

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