

NATCHITOCHEs

2017-2018 EARLY CHILDHOOD NETWORK

675 Publicly-Funded Children Enrolled • 22 Sites in Network



Infants: Yes • 1yr olds: Yes • 2yr olds: Yes • 3yr olds: Yes • 4yr olds: Yes • Providing Special Education? Yes

A community network is all publicly-funded child care, Head Start, and PreK programs in their area, typically a parish.

MEASURES OF CLASSROOM QUALITY		5.01 Proficient		EQUITABLE ACCESS	Excellent
High-quality classrooms are supportive, organized, and promote children's learning and development.				To achieve kindergarten readiness for all at-risk children, networks have to increase opportunities for children to enroll.	
CLASS MEASURES (1-7 Scale)		NETWORK	STATE	<p>90-100% 4YR OLDS ENROLLED</p>	
PREK (3-4 years)	EMOTIONAL SUPPORT	6.00 Excellent	5.87 Proficient		
	CLASSROOM ORGANIZATION	5.66 Proficient	5.64 Proficient		
	INSTRUCTIONAL SUPPORT	3.50 Approaching Proficient	3.87 Approaching Proficient		
TODDLER (1-2 years)	EMOTIONAL & BEHAVIORAL SUPPORT	5.68 Proficient	5.48 Proficient		
	ENGAGED SUPPORT FOR LEARNING	3.61 Approaching Proficient	3.74 Approaching Proficient		
Unsatisfactory 1-2.99		Approaching Proficient 3-4.49		Proficient 4.5-5.99	
				Excellent 6-7	

USE OF BEST PRACTICES

This is self-reported information that is not included in the rating.

<p>ASSESSMENT Are teachers measuring child progress?</p> <p></p> <p>3 OUT OF 3 STARS</p>	<p>CURRICULUM QUALITY How many sites use a high-quality curriculum?</p> <p>100%</p>	<p>TEACHER SUPPORT Were teachers supported to improve?</p> <p></p> <p>SOMEWHAT</p>	<p>FAMILY SATISFACTION Are families satisfied with the application process?</p> <p></p> <p>SOMEWHAT</p>
<p>BIRTH TO 3 ACCESS: How many at-risk children can access seats?</p> <p>11-29%</p> <p>BIRTH TO 3YR OLDS ENROLLED</p>			<p>Are families satisfied with programs?</p> <p></p> <p>MOSTLY</p>

PREPARED TEACHERS

WHAT IS THE HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED BY TEACHERS?				
36%	4%	4%	38%	18%
No degree	Child Development Associates (CDA)	Associates	Bachelors	Masters +

HOW MANY TEACHERS HAVE LOUISIANA TEACHER CERTIFICATIONS?
50%
TOTAL CERTIFIED