

EARLY CHILDHOOD
EDUCATION

It all starts with early education.

Decades of studies show that kids in early learning programs do better in school, earn more money, build more stable families and experience greater life satisfaction.

In Tulsa County, Early Childhood Education programs bring together the best of education and family services at little or no cost — helping parents prepare their children for success in school ... and beyond.



For families that qualify, Early Childhood Education programs (Head Start, Early Head Start, Educare) provide:

- hours Monday–Friday, 8:30am–2:30pm, with extended care available at select centers
- placement for children from birth to five years of age
- a bright, safe, nurturing environment
- services for children with disabilities
- breakfast, lunch and snack daily
- home-based education programs available
- new income guidelines that include children of parents who are working, in school or in training
- A proven curriculum that emphasizes essential areas of early learning:
 - school readiness skills, i.e., reading and writing
 - following routines
 - logic and reasoning skills
 - creative thinking
 - listening and speaking skills
 - cooperation and appropriate social behavior
 - responsibility for self and others
 - learning about themselves and their world through play

Transportation is not provided. However transportation can be provided in cases of school field trips and for children with an Individualized Education Plan through Tulsa Public Schools.

For details on qualifying, or
to begin registration for your
child, call 918.585.3227



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