



Kern County Superintendent of Schools Early Childhood Education Programs provide services to over 1,000 children throughout various communities located in Kern County. Programs are funded through the California Department of Education, Title 5 and are licensed through the Department of Social Services Community Care Licensing, Title 22. We adhere to rules and regulations of both agencies.

It is our goal to support the family in its childrearing role by establishing a positive partnership between the staff and family. All children are cared for in a safe, nurturing and developmentally appropriate classroom with highly qualified staff. Children will have daily opportunities to learn new and exciting concepts through purposeful play.

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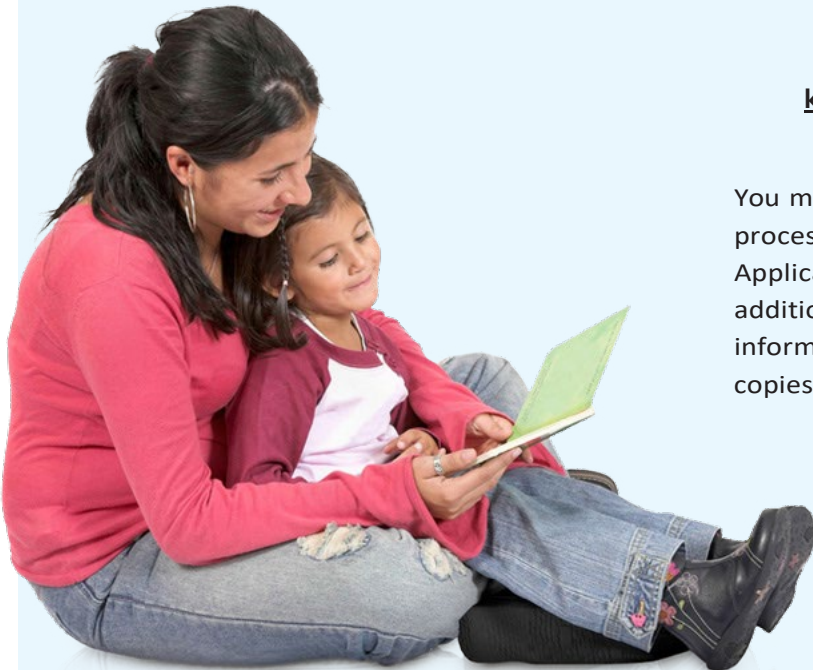


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California State Preschool Program (CSPP) Half Day

Our State Preschools operate on an 11-month calendar. We have 26 classes with a 3-hour morning session and a 3-hour afternoon session. Priority is given to all income eligible four-year-olds and then to all three-year-olds. Except for CPS children, the family's adjusted monthly income cannot exceed the income ceiling established by CDE at the time of enrollment. No need criteria and no fees are charged for the half day program. Six hours of parent participation per month is a program expectation.

Preschool classes begin in August and end in June; total days of operation are 178 days.



CSPP Full Day Preschool

Full day preschool is a year-round program that operates from 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Enrollment priority is based on income and need. Income eligible families are required to demonstrate a need, which includes: employment, seeking employment, education or training, homeless and seeking housing. A fee may be charged based on income.

California Care (CCTR)

California Care is a year-round program that opens at 7:30 a.m. and closes at 5:30 p.m. CCTR has same income and need criteria as CSPP full day; however, this program serves children ages 2 to 3 years old. Full day fees are assessed, and depending on family size and income, there may be a fee.

For more information, please visit our website at kern.org/educationservices/early-childhood-education/

You may also expedite the enrollment process by completing a Pre-Enrollment Application. You will be contacted for additional information. Please note: All information will need to be verified with hard copies prior to enrollment.

CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTERS

Site Location	CSPP Half Day	CSPP Full Day	CCTR
Clemens (Wasco) 523 Broadway LIC#153801222	X		
Fairgrounds 931 Belle Terrace LIC#153801386	X	X	
Greenfield 5400 Monitor St. LIC#153801741	X		
Kern Ave. (McFarland) 492 Kern Ave. LIC#153801765	X	X	
Lamont 9615 Main St. LIC#150404109	X	X	X
Ming Ave. 1100 Ming Ave. LIC#150406473	X	X	X
North Beardsley 900 Sanford LIC#150407404	X		
Claude W. Richardson 1515 Feliz Dr. LIC#150406474		X	
Richland (Shafter) 275 West Lerdo LIC#153801303	X	X	X
North Maple (Wasco) 650B North Maple Ave. LIC#153810063	X	X	X