

FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION 2008-09 Voluntary Prekindergarten (VPK) Provider Kindergarten Readiness Rate Report				
2008-09 Program Year Maximum Rate: 200 Low Performing Provider: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		ACRES OF FUN CHILD CARE INC 6262 62 AVE N, PINELLAS PARK, FL 33781 Early Learning Coalition of Pinellas		Readiness Rate History:
Program Type: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> School-Year <input type="checkbox"/> Summer		2008-09 VPK Provider Kindergarten Readiness Rate: <u>181</u> Minimum Rate: 138		2007-08 Low Performing Provider: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
				2006-07 Low Performing Provider: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
				2005-06 Low Performing Provider: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Children Included in VPK Provider Kindergarten Readiness Rate Calculation				
Children Served	Children Meeting Substantial Completion	Children Screened on Any Measure	Children in Readiness Rate Calculation	Percent of Children in Readiness Rate Calculation
39	30	34	28	72
VPK Provider Kindergarten Readiness Rate Calculation				
			ECHOS™	FAIR
Children Ready for Kindergarten: ECHOS™: Demonstrating or Emerging Progressing FAIR: Probability of Reading Success: At or Above 67 Percent			26	23
Children Screened: The number of children screened on each of the two measures.			27	27
Percent of Children Ready for Kindergarten: The number of Children Ready for Kindergarten divided by the number of Children Screened on each measure.			96	85
The VPK Provider Kindergarten Readiness Rate is the sum of the Percent of Children Ready for Kindergarten.			181	
* No data are displayed when there are less than 10 children				

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Program Type

- VPK Program Type is either the school-year (540 hours) or summer (300 hours) program.

Low Performing Provider

- A Low Performing Provider is one who does not achieve a minimum readiness rate that would demonstrate the provider's satisfactory delivery of the VPK program. The minimum rate adopted by the State Board of Education may not exceed the rate at which more than 15 percent of all providers would fall below the minimum rate. If the readiness rate of a private provider or public school falls below the minimum rate, the coalition or school district, as applicable, shall require the provider or school to submit an improvement plan for approval by the coalition or school district, as applicable, and to implement the plan.

Children Included in the VPK Provider Readiness Rate Calculation

- **Children Served** - The number of children enrolled at the provider for the 2008-09 program year. The VPK Provider must have served at least four children to be included in the readiness rate.
- **Children Meeting Substantial Completion** – The number of children who attended at least 70% of the provider's school-year or summer program. The provider must have served at least four children to be included in the readiness rate calculation.
- **Children Screened on Any Measure** - The number of children who were screened with any or all of the Florida Kindergarten Readiness Screener (FLKRS) measures. FLKRS is administered in the first 30 days of kindergarten and includes a subset of the Early Childhood Observation System™ (ECHOS™) and the Florida Assessments for Instruction in Reading (FAIR). At least 4 children, who completed at least 70 percent of the program and are matched to both FAIR and ECHOS results, are required for a provider to receive a readiness rate.
- **Children in Readiness Rate Calculation** – The number of children who attended at least 70% of the provider's school-year or summer program and who were screened on any one of the two FLKRS measures.
- **Percent of Children in Readiness Rate Calculation** – The number of Children in the Readiness Rate Calculation divided by the number of Children Served.

VPK Provider Kindergarten Readiness Rate Calculation

- **Children Ready for Kindergarten** – The number of children whose results on the FLKRS measures demonstrated readiness for kindergarten. Readiness for Kindergarten on ECHOS™ is Demonstrating or Emerging/Progressing, and on FAIR it is a Probability of Reading Success: At or Above 67 Percent.
- **Children Screened** – The number of children screened on each of the two FLKRS measures.
- **Percent of Children Ready for Kindergarten** – The number of Children Ready for Kindergarten divided by the Children Screened on each measure.
- **VPK Provider Kindergarten Readiness Rate** – The sum of the Percent of Children Ready for Kindergarten. The maximum rate is 200.

Providers Not Included in the Readiness Rate

- Some private and public school VPK Providers will not meet the criteria for the calculation of a Kindergarten Readiness Rate because they did not serve at least four children who substantially completed the program and were screened on both ECHOS and FAIR.
- Information as to why a private or public school VPK Provider was not included in the readiness rate calculation will be included on the VPK Provider Profile.