Kansas Preschool Pilot Q&A

Do you know if we will still be able to use the KPP grant for a limited number of 3 year olds for next year?
Yes, you will be able to.
Kansas Leads the World in the Success of Each Student.

Early Childhood Webinar
November 15, 2019
GOAL: Each student enters kindergarten at age five socially, emotionally and academically prepared for success.
Today’s Agenda

• Plans to Strengthen Early Childhood in Kansas in 2019
• Kansas Kindergarten Readiness Snapshot
• Updates
  • State Interagency Coordinating Council
  • Preschool-Aged At-Risk and Kansas Preschool Pilot
  • Early Childhood Special Education
  • Kansas Parents As Teachers
• Questions
• Other KSDE Updates, Upcoming Professional Learning
Plans to Strengthen Early Childhood in Kansas in 2019
Strengthening Early Childhood Roadshows

• **Colby** - Tuesday, December 3rd
  • Pioneer Memorial Library (375 W. 4th Street)
  • 10:00am - 11:00am

• **Garden City** - Tuesday, December 3rd
  • Russel Child Development Center (2735 N Jennie Barker Road)
  • 3:30pm - 4:30pm

• **Beloit** - Wednesday, December 4th
  • City Hall (119 N Hersey Avenue)
  • 10:00am - 11:00am

• **Salina** - Wednesday, December 4th
  • Public Library (301 W Elm)
  • 3:00pm - 4:00pm

• **Manhattan** - Thursday, December 5th
  • IED Discoveries (2017 Vanesta Place, Suite 118)
  • 10:00am - 11:00am

• **Emporia** - Thursday, December 5th
  • Public Library (110 E 6th)
  • 3:00pm - 4:00pm

• **Pittsburg** - Tuesday, December 10th
  • Family Resource Center (1600 N Walnut Street)
  • 1:00pm - 2:00pm

• **Wichita** - Wednesday, December 11th
  • Child Start (1002 South Oliver)
  • 10:00am - 11:00am

• **Kansas City** - Friday, December 13th
  • The Family Conservancy (444 Minnesota Avenue)
  • 10:00am - 11:00am

• **Overland Park** - Friday, December 13th
  • Details TBD
Get Engaged and Stay Up to Date

Visit kschildrenscabinet.org/early-childhood/

- **Share feedback** to inform the state strategic plan at kschildrenscabinet.org/share/
- **Webinars** (every other Wednesday at 12PM) share information, take questions, and get feedback.
- **Regular email updates** will keep you up to date and engaged.
- **An interactive “journey”** describes the work to date.
State Interagency Coordinating Council (SICC) Updates
SICC Update

• Next Meeting is December 13th at the Topeka Public Library from 1-4pm

• Four New Appointees from the Governor’s Office
  • Susan Bowles (Part C Provider)
  • Liz Long (Medicaid Office)
  • Amy Meek (Kansas Children’s Cabinet)
  • Laura Smith-Everett (Parent)
SICC Update

• Reminder: If your district is not currently engaged with the LICC in your area, please contact me for more information
  • jchristian@ksde.org

• LICC Annual Retreats
  • Starting April 2020 at RCDC in Garden City
  • 5 Regional meetings
  • LICC Handbook
Preschool-Aged At-Risk and Kansas Preschool Pilot
Exciting Changes for Preschool-Aged At-Risk

• In districts operating approved programs, four-year-old students who meet the existing at-risk criteria for preschool-aged at-risk students and who are enrolled and attending on September 20 will automatically count as 0.5FTE for the 2020-2021 school year.
Preschool Programs Evidence Based Practices Survey Results

• Surveys will be closed at the end of the day today.
Kansas Preschool Pilot

• CIF Funding deposits will be made on November 15th

• The next TANF Reimbursement Forms Due on 1/27/20
Early Childhood Special Education Update
Indicators 6, 7, and 12

- Early Childhood Least Restrictive Environment
- Early Childhood Outcomes
- Part C to Part B Transitions
Kansas Parents as Teachers Update
New Supervisor Institute

• January 9 – 10, 2020
• $375.00
• St. Louis, MO
• Eligible participants must have been in their current supervisory position for less than 24 months.
Mid-year Report

• Collection period: July 1, 2019 through December 1, 2019
• SurveyMonkey link sent December 2, 2019
• Deadline: January 31, 2020
Questions?
Stay Connected

Join the Early Learning listserv (Email bstrohm@ksde.org)

Next Webinar: January 10, 2020 at 11AM
  • Please find a schedule of dates and topics on the TASN website: https://www.ksdetasn.org/resources/2279
  • Note that we have changed the date of our April webinar to April 10.

Email the Early Learning Team at earlylearning@ksde.org