

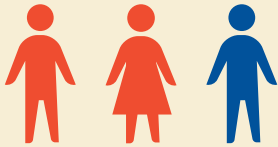


EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

HELPING CHILDREN REACH THEIR POTENTIAL

We prepare children to be ready to succeed once they reach kindergarten. We provide early education/ pre-kindergarten scholarships, train certified educators, engage parents, and provide families supportive services. By using research-based curriculum and long-term evaluation to understand what really works, United Way is working to improve early childhood education.

THE CHALLENGE:



Only one in three of 3 and 4 year olds in Clark County are enrolled in pre-kindergarten.

OUR GOAL:



Increase the number of children enrolled in a high quality pre-kindergarten program and reading at grade level by third grade.

STRATEGIES:



QUALITY EARLY EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIPS



BOOKS TO BUILD READING SKILLS AT HOME



FAMILY ENGAGEMENT



TEACHER TRAINING AND SUPPORTS

OUTCOMES:

1,123

QUALITY EARLY EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIPS

8,500

BOOKS DISTRIBUTED TO BUILD HOME LIBRARIES

100

FAMILY ENGAGEMENT WORKSHOPS

1,350

TEACHER TRAINING HOURS



EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION PARTNERS:

We combine the knowledge and resources of partners throughout our community to change lives in Southern Nevada. When we unite our efforts, we can make a bigger impact than any one organization working alone. By bringing together service providers, nonprofit organizations, funders, and businesses, we are collaborating to create positive change.

- Acelero Learning Clark County
 - Henderson
 - Martin Luther King, Jr.
 - Reach Out
- Angels Christian Academy
- The Children's Cabinet
- Christ Kids Children's Center
- Clark County School District
 - Berkeley L. Bunker Elementary School
 - Cynthia W. Cunningham Elementary School
 - Harvey N. Dondero Elementary School
 - Ruby Duncan Elementary School
 - Doris Hancock Elementary School
 - George E. Harris Elementary School
 - Don E. Hayden Elementary School
 - Mabel Hoggard Elementary School
 - Howard E. Hollingsworth Elementary School
 - HP Fitzgerald Elementary School
 - Kirk Adams Elementary School
 - Robert E. Lake Elementary School
 - Gordon McCaw Elementary School
 - Richard J. Rundle Elementary School
 - Howard A. Wasden Elementary School
 - Elizabeth Wilhelm Elementary School
- Manch Elementary School
- Matt Kelley Elementary School
- R Guild Gray Elementary School
- Red Rock Elementary School
- Walter Bracken STEAM Academy
- Discovery Gardens Child Care
- Henderson Christian Academy
- HighScope Educational Research Foundation
- Kids First Neighborhood Childcare
- Las Vegas Clark County Library District
- Las Vegas Urban League
- Nevada Department of Education
- Snell and Wilmer
- Spread the Word Nevada
- University of Reno Cooperative Extension
- Variety Early Learning Center
- Vegas PBS
- Windsong Trust
- Workforce Connections