

Exceptions to Approved Curriculum in Four-Five Star Programs

Due to recent NC Child Care Commission decisions, the following curricula may continue to be used by four and five star programs in four-year-old classrooms:

- Assessment, Evaluation and Programming System
- Beyond Centers and Circle Time
- FunShine Express
- Goddard Systems, Inc.
- Kiddie Academy
- Kids R Kids
- Learn Everyday/The Preschool Curriculum
- Links to Learning
- Little Treasures
- Montessori Country Day
- Mother Goose Time
- Primrose
- Read It Once Again
- Ready, Set, Go
- Scholastic/Big Day for Pre-K
- The Learning Experience

This exception will apply until the completion of the next NC Curriculum Review Process. New programs seeking a four- or five-star- rated license will be expected to use one of the curriculum on the approved list.

Exceptions to Approved Formative Assessment Tools and NC Pre-Kindergarten Programs

In response to NC Child Care Commission decisions, NC Pre-Kindergarten Programs may continue to use the following formative assessment tools:

- mClass: CIRCLE
- Learning Accomplishments Profile, 3^d Edition
- Tools of the Mind

This exception will apply for the 2013-14 school year. New NC Pre-Kindergarten programs will be expected to use one of the approved formative assessment tools.