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Providence Licensed Child Care Centers:

**READY TO
LEARN
PROVIDENCE**

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Ready to Learn Providence is working to help ensure that all children in Providence will enter Kindergarten healthy and ready to learn. We are comprised of representatives from parent groups, early child care providers and centers, the Providence School Department, and many agencies that support young children.

Perhaps you have already had experience with some of R2LP's work this past year at a Heads Up! Reading training, Cradle to Crayons program or a focus group at a branch of the Providence Public Library. Maybe you've gotten to know us through, the Books and Babies seminar, an Early Learning Grant, or the Transition to Kindergarten programs at the Providence Public Schools.

There will continue to be many opportunities for you to join in our activities. One way you can join us now is to help the Professional Development Committee by filling out the attached Survey Sheet and faxing it back to our office. We also invite you to become further invested in the work of this committee by signing up to help develop a common curriculum for the early learning community in Providence

Please join us. We look forward to working with you.

Thank you for your attention.



Date: March 26, 2004
To: Licensed Providence Child Care Centers
From: Ready to Learn Providence
RE: Early Learning Curriculum

1. Please list what learning curriculum(s) you are using in your center classrooms.

2. What are the ages of children that you are serving during the day?

| | Number of Children | Ages of children served |
|----------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|
| Early Morning | | |
| School Day | | |
| After School | | |
| Evening | | |
| Total number served: | | |

3. Would you be interested in joining a group of child care center providers, along with members of Ready to Learn Providence, to work on recommendations for a common early childhood curriculum for Providence that are in alignment with Rhode Island's Early learning Standards?

CHOOSE ONE: YES NO

CENTER NAME:

CONTACT PERSON:

PHONE NUMBER:

We will begin working on them late spring or early summer and will notify you with details. THANK YOU!

**PLEASE FAX THIS SHEET WITH YOUR ANSWERS TO:
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