#### VOALA Early Head Start & Head Start Preschool Program Birth To 5 years of Age







#### Welcome to VOALA's Early Head Start / Head Start programs

Explore what's new!



### What is Head Start

#### Head Start History

- 1965 The birth of Head Start Head Start is now middle aged!!
- Part of the War on Poverty program
- Health and Human Services grant from the Office of Head Start.

### **Head Start Mission**

### MISSION OF HEAD START

 To break the cycle of failure by preparing young low income children and their families to better succeed in life.

To promote school readiness by enhancing social and cognitive development of children through the provision of educational, health, nutritional, social and other services to enrolled children and families..

# **Head Start Objectives**

### Objectives of Head Start

- Provide children with services to enhance their growth and development
- Strengthen families as the primary caregivers/ nurturers of their children
- Support families by providing opportunities for them to progress toward their goals of self sufficiency

# **Head Start Objectives**

Objectives continued.

- Link children and families to needed community services by strengthening collaborative partnerships.
- Ensure well-managed programs that involve parents in the decision making. Strengthen shared decision making with all stakeholders

### Head Start Objective Children with Disabilities:

- 10% of our funded enrollment are reserved for children with a disability that is supported by an active IEP/IFSP.
- All children that have an active /current IEP is reviewed by the Disability Coordinator to ensure that our service meet the needs of the child IEP/ IFSP.



### **Early Head Start Program Options**

#### Prenatal Program

Prenatal visits twice month until birth.

 EHS Home Base- age-appropriate curriculum Birth to 3 years of age 1 hrs. 30 min week & 2monthly socializations

#### Center Based

24 month to 3 years of age 6hrs, five days for working parents class size 10 to 14 children to 2 Teachers.

### **Head Start Program Options**

- Home Base Services- Creative Curriculum for children not yet ready for school setting.
  3 to 4 years of age
  1 hr. 30 min week & 2 monthly socializations
- Center Base Service- Creative Curriculum 3 to 5 years of age 6 hours 5 days a week. (Includes a rest Period)
- State Preschool Services- for working parents 3 to 5 years of age 10 hour day 5 days a week (Includes a rest period)

- Verification of the following is required:
- Age verification
- Prenatal (Positive Test)
- Address verification
- 12 months of Income



# **Service Area Zip Codes**

North East Valley	South Bay	Los Angeles		
HS-North Hollywood	HS-South Bay	HS-East		
91040	90245	90022		
91042	90250*	90023*		
91352*	90274*	90040*		
91601	90275*	90063*		
91602	90501*	91754*		
91604	90502	HS-West		
91605	90503	90034*		
91606	90504	90232		
91607	90505	90064*		
EHS-North Hollywood	90710	90066		
91040	90717	90292*		
91042	90731	90230		
91352	90732	HS-Central		
91601	90744	90011*		
91602	90747*	90061*		
91605	90746*	90723		
91606	90745	90221		
91607	90810*	90222*		
HS -SFV/ SC	EHS- South Bay	90262		
91340	90250	90220*		
91342	90745	South LA		
91331	90247	90723		
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91384	90717	90221		
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Zip codes with an \* must be verifyied in the Head Start Finder on line shared service area

http://egis3.lacounty.gov/hars/ http://eclkc.ohs.acf.hhs.gov/hslc/HeadStartOffices



# How do I apply ?



#### **PROGRAM OPTIONS:**

Center Base Full Day & Part Day | Home Base | Prenatal | Virtual Learning

#### **Services Provided**

- Kindergarten readiness
- Family socializations & prenatal classes
- Services for children with special needs
- Mental health services
- · Health and nutrition services, free meals
- Parent involvement, educational trainings, resources and referrals
- **Documents Required to Enroll**
- Verification of birth
- Immunization record
- Health insurance card
- Verification of income
- Verification of address or lack of permanent address

TRANSPORTATION IS NOT PROVIDED This institution is an equal opportunity provider and employer.

#### **Apply Online:** voala.org/hs-online-applications

**Apply by Phone:** (818) 980-2287 Toll Free: (844) 340-9140

> OR Scan the QR code:



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**Head Start/Early Head Start Birth to Five Programs** 



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