



**Children's Coalition for Northeast Louisiana
School Readiness Tax Credits Grants 2021-2022
SRTC Curriculum Grant**

The Children's Coalition for Northeast Louisiana, with funding obtained from the School Readiness Tax Credits, is offering a grant that will provide publicly funded Type III Early Learning Centers in the Northeast Louisiana CCR&R Region 9 with Tier 1 quality curriculum.

The purpose of this grant is to ensure that all Type III Early Learning Centers have access to high quality Tier 1 curriculum **for each early childhood classroom that does NOT already have it.** Centers may choose from a select list of curricula approved as Tier 1 by the Louisiana Department of Education that has been through rigorous evaluation process and is aligned with Louisiana's Birth to Three Early Learning Standards, CLASS and TS GOLD.

Eligible Applicants must currently have:

- Type III License as an Early Learning Center from Louisiana Department of Education (LDOE).
- Academic Approval from Louisiana Department of Education (LDOE).
- MOU with Child Care Connections (a program of Children's Coalition for Northeast Louisiana) for coaching.
- May not be school system program, Head Start or Early Head Start program.

Applicants will provide the following:

- **Type III License** as an Early Learning Center from Louisiana Department of Education (LDOE).
- A copy of the Early Learning Center's current certificate of **Academic Approval** from the LDOE.
- The director or owner must **complete the grant application** and agree to the terms of the grant.

Grant Awards:

Centers awarded the grant must ensure the following:

1. The center director and lead teachers of each classroom receiving curriculum must attend required curriculum training. The training provided will support teachers in understanding how to implement the curricula provided.
2. Once the director and lead teachers have attended the required training. The curricula will be ordered and delivered directly to the center. Once the curriculum has arrived at the center, they must provide the packing slips to assigned Child Care Specialist (coach).
3. Centers are encouraged to request a coaching session with their Child Care Specialist to unbox the curriculum.

Submit the Grant Application to:

The Children's Coalition for Northeast Louisiana

ATTN: Renequa Ross

117 Hall Street

Monroe, LA 71201

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Phone: 318-323-8775

Fax: 318-323-1150

***Applications may be emailed, mailed or faxed, however, it is the center's responsibility to confirm receipt.**

Due Date: October 29th, 2021

Determination Process:

This is a "universal" grant however funds allocated for this grant are limited. Once the funds are exhausted for this grant it will close out. It is the desire of the Children's Coalition to provide Type III centers in our region with the support (through training, materials and coaching) that is needed to succeed in providing children with quality early care and education experiences.

If any required information is not submitted with the application, or if additional information is needed, you will be notified and given 24 hours to submit the required information. If the requested information is not received within 24 hours, consider the grant request terminated.



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To Be Completed by Child Care Owner/Director

Name of Child Care Owner/Director: _____

Name of Child Care Facility: _____

Address of Facility: _____

Telephone # _____ Email Address _____

License # _____ Licensed Capacity _____

Owner/Director must ensure the following:

- Classrooms requesting curriculum DO NOT currently have access to Tier 1 curricula.**
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Complete the following chart for each classroom you are requesting curriculum.

CLASSROOM TYPE <i>(Check box)</i>	LEAD TEACHER & CLASSROOM NAME	CURRICULUM CHOICE <i>(Check box)</i>
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Signature of Applicant _____

Date _____

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