

# Head Start & Early Head Start Programs

FOR THE 2020-2021 ACADEMIC YEAR

## WHO Should Apply for Early Head Start & Head Start?

To be eligible for Early Head Start or Head Start, the following must apply:

- The family meets low-income guidelines, and
- The child must meet the age requirement (birth through three years old for Early Head Start; will turn three by September 1 for Head Start) OR the woman is currently pregnant (for Early Head Start).

## WHY Should My Family Apply?

Children who are enrolled in the Early Head Start and Head Start Programs attend at no cost! Participants receive:

- A full-day program focusing on literacy with a research-based curriculum; weekly home visits in Home-Based EHS
- On-going assessments to monitor the children's progress; and
- Services that include dental, health, vision, hearing, nutrition, mental health, disability and family support
- Fatherhood/Male Involvement services that include program activities, career development, volunteer opportunities

## HOW Do I Apply?

To apply, please call your closest center (as listed on the back). Please bring the following:

- Proof of gross income (the total money earned or received before deductions) for the past twelve months,
- Proof of child's age,
- Proof of Residency,
- Up to date South Carolina Immunization Certificate,
- Medicaid Card or Private Insurance (if applicable), and
- Current Physical (incl. blood lead level, hemoglobin)
- Current Dental Exam
- Proof of Pregnancy (Pregnant Woman applying for EHS)



### For More Information:

To learn more, please call your local center or (843) 901-3973 or (843) 937-7914

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## Center-Based and Home-Based Programs | 2020-2021

### Direct Operated Sites

*Mary Ford HS&EHS	3180 Thomasina McPherson Blvd., N. Charleston, SC 29405	745-2193
E. B. Ellington Elementary HS	5540 Old Jacksonboro Road, Ravenel, SC 29470	889-5206
**Home-Based Office		991-8273
James Island Elementary HS	1872 Grimball Road, Charleston, SC 29412	762-8240
*Midland Park HS&EHS	2415 Midland Park Road, N. Charleston, SC 29406	574-2201
*Minnie Hughes HS&EHS	8548 Willtown Road, Hollywood, SC 29449	889-2976
Mt. Zion Elementary HS	3464 River Road, Johns Island, SC 29455	559-3841
*Sanders Clyde HS&EHS	805 Morrison Drive, Charleston, SC 29403	720-0824
*St. James Santee HS&EHS	8900 Hwy. 17 North, McClellanville, SC 29458	412-9887
*Stall EHS	3625 Ashley Phosphate Road, N. Charleston, SC 29418	729-0122
*West Ashley HS&EHS	1401 Ashley River Road, Charleston, SC 29407	571-2424

### Head Start/Child Development Operated Sites

EB Ellington Elementary	5540 Old Jacksonboro Road, Ravenel, SC 29405	889-5206
Goodwin Elementary	5501 Dorchester Road, N. Charleston, SC 29418	767-5911
Midland Park Elementary	2415 Midland Park Road, N. Charleston, SC 29406	574-2183
Mt. Zion Elementary	3464 River Road, Johns Island, SC 29455	559-3841

\*Provides services to Pregnant Women, Infants & Toddlers

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**Please note that the list above may be modified prior to the start of the school year and that all telephone numbers fall within the (843) area code.**

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