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PRESCHOOL CURRICULA

Assessment, Evaluation, and Programming Systems: Curriculum for Three to Six Years
Paul Brookes Publishing Co., Inc., 2002
brookespublishing.com

Beyond Centers and Circle Time® Curriculum Pre-K Theme Series
Kaplan Early Learning Company, 2007
kaplanco.com

The Creative Curriculum® for Preschool, 4th Edition
Teaching Strategies, Inc., 2002
teachingstrategies.com

The Creative Curriculum® for Preschool, 5th Edition
Teaching Strategies, Inc., 2010
teachingstrategies.com
Approved with the stipulation that programs purchase and use:
Volume 1 The Foundation;
Volume 2 Interest Areas;
Volume 3 Literacy;
Volume 4 Mathematics; and
Volume 5 Objectives for Development and Learning

The Creative Curriculum® System for Preschool
Teaching Strategies, Inc., 2010
teachingstrategies.com
Approved with the stipulation that programs purchase and use:
The Creative Curriculum for Preschool, Fifth Edition, 2010;
Volume 1 The Foundation;
Volume 2 Interest Areas;
Volume 3 Literacy;
Volume 4 Mathematics; and
Volume 5 Objectives for Development and Learning.

The Empowered Child™, Childtime, 2nd Edition
2007
childtime.com/education.aspx
Approved for use in Childtime programs.

Explorations with Young Children: A Curriculum Guide from the Bank Street College of Education
Gryphon House, 1992
gryphonhouse.com

Fireflies
Funshine Express, Published monthly
Funshineexpress.com

F.L.EX® Learning Program
Goddard Systems, Inc., 2012
Approved for use in Goddard Schools.
High Reach Learning
High Reach Learning, Inc., 2009
highreachlearning.com
Approved with the stipulation that programs purchase and use:
High Reach Curriculum for Threes; and/or
High Reach Curriculum for Pre-K.

High/Scope Preschool Curriculum
High/Scope Press, 2002
highscope.org

High/Scope Preschool Curriculum
High/Scope Press, 2012
highscope.org
Programs must purchase and use:
The High/Scope Preschool Curriculum;
Approaches to Learning;
Social and Emotional Development;
Physical Development and Health;
Language, Literacy and Communication;
Mathematics;
Creative Arts;
Science and Technology; and
Social Studies

Investigator Club Prekindergarten Learning System, NC Edition
investigatorclub.com
Approved with the stipulation that programs implement the curriculum only in four-year-old classrooms and purchase the complete system, NC edition.

Journey on the Learning Care System®
LaPetite Academy®, 2011-2012
LaPetite.com
Approved for use in LaPetite Academy® programs.

Kids R Kids
Kids 'R' Kids International, Inc., 2012
kidsrkids.com
Approved for use in Kids 'R' Kids programs.

Learn Every Day: The Preschool Curriculum
Kaplan Early Learning Company, 2012
kaplano.com

Links to Learning
Nobel Learning Preschool Curriculum, 2006
Nobellearning.com

Links to Literacy
Kaplan Early Learning Company, 2005
Kaplano.com

Little Treasures
The Macmillan/McGraw-Hill Companies, Inc., 2011
Reading.macmillanmh.com
Mother Goose Time Preschool Curriculum
Mother Goose Time, Published annually.
Mothergoosetime.com

Opening the World of Learning™ (OWL)
Pearson Early Learning, 2005
pearsonschool.com
Approved with the stipulation that full-year programs have a plan to supplement or extend the curriculum, since OWL is designed to cover a school year.

Passports
HighReach Learning, Inc., 2007
highreach.com
Approved with the stipulation that programs purchase and use the Compass or Reaching and Relating: A Guide for Early Learning Programs, High Reach Learning, Inc., 2009 and at least one set of study/theme materials.

Primrose
Primrose Schools, 2012
Primroseschools.com
Approved for use in Primrose Schools.

Read It Once Again
Read It Once Again, 2003-Present; Ongoing publishing.
Readitonceagain.com

Scholastic Big Day for Pre-K
Scholastic, Inc., 2009
Scholastic.com

Tools of the Mind, 6th Edition
Metropolitan State College of Denver, 2009-2011
mscd.edu/extendedcampus/toolsofthemind/
Approved with the stipulation that programs participate in the Tools of the Mind professional development offered by the publishers to implement the curriculum and purchase:

Tutor Time LifeSmart™
2005
tutortime.com/curriculum.aspx
Approved for use in Tutor Time programs.

FAMILY CHILD CARE HOME CURRICULUM

The Creative Curriculum® for Family Child Care, 2d edition, Volume 1 and 2
Teaching Strategies, Inc., 2009
teachingstrategies.com
Approved with the stipulation that programs purchase and use:
Volume 1 The Foundation;
Volume 2 Routines and Experiences; and

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