

## 2011 – 2012 School Year VPK PROVIDER LIST PROVISIONAL as of 12/12/11



This list gives general information on each provider, including program hours, accreditation status, curriculum used, VPK readiness rates, and availability of before and after care. All providers on this list meet legislated requirements to be licensed or accredited to offer VPK and meet the legislated minimum standards for teacher qualifications and class size, meaning that **every VPK class has at least one teacher with a minimum of a Florida Child Care Professional Certificate** and that a VPK class may not have more than 20 children with 2 teachers. Some providers exceed this standard. Many hold Gold Seal accreditation.

For **specific information on teacher qualifications**, teaching philosophy, curriculum and the overall program, call individual providers. To observe classrooms, teacher interactions, and the learning environment, *visit the site so you can choose the program that is right for your child.*

If you need further assistance please contact the Early Learning Coalition's Child Care Connection at 556-1600, ext 125. For additional information visit the Coalition website [www.earlylearningcoalitionsarasota.org](http://www.earlylearningcoalitionsarasota.org), VPK page. For VPK Readiness Rates and information go to [www.vpk.fldoe.org](http://www.vpk.fldoe.org). Maximum Readiness Rate score is 200. Find VPK providers by zip code at the Florida Department of Children & Families website, [www.myflorida.com/childcare](http://www.myflorida.com/childcare), then click on *Child Care Provider Search*.

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A New Beginning Early Learning Center  
2185 Wood St, Sarasota, 34237  
Contact: Naomi Stackhouse 316-1555  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 150  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM-12:00PM  
Classrooms: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/6/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

A Step Above Child Care  
7323 Merchant Ct, Sarasota, 34240  
Contact: Kristen Richelieu 907-8828  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: AA  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: N/A  
Program Hours: 9:00am – 12:00pm  
Classrooms: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/6/12  
Curriculum: Creative  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Abacus Preschool  
2020 Mill Terrace, Sarasota, 34231  
Contact: Elaine Phillips 927-9834  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: N/A  
Program Hours: 8:30 – 11:30AM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/ 4/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Academy for Early Learning- North Port  
5500 Biscayne Drive, North Port, 34287  
Contact: Tanya Ruiz 426-4946  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC, 2AA  
Gold Seal Accredited: Yes, NAEYC Readiness Rate: 176  
Program Hours: 8:30 – 11:30 AM  
Classroom: 2 Start/End Date: 9/12/11 – 6/1/12  
Curriculum: Creative  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Academy Of Creative Learning  
1602 Banyan Drive, Venice, 34293  
Contact: Dee Snyder 496-9021  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 191  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
Classrooms: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 5/31/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Achievements Learning Center  
2700 Bobcat Village Center Rd., Suite 1, North Port, 34288  
Contact: Tiffany Profita & Tina Rae Gregoire 423-8844  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: 2 BA; 3 AA; 6 FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: Yes, APPLE Readiness Rate: 180  
Program Hours: 8:00-11:00AM, 9:00-12:00PM,  
or 11:45AM – 2:45PM  
Classrooms: 11 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/4/12  
Curriculum: Links to Literacy, All Aboard, Creative  
Before and After Care Available: Yes and **VPK only**

Angels Child Development Center  
3813 Alden Way, Sarasota, FL 34232  
Contact: Lola Quispe 371-7219  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 150  
Program Hours: 8:30 AM – 12:30 PM  
Classrooms: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 3/7/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Ascension Lutheran Preschool  
800 McIntosh Road, Sarasota, 34232  
Contact: Sherri Medico 377-9670  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: BA, FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 164  
Program Hours: 9:00AM – 12:00PM  
Classrooms: 2 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 5/25/12  
Curriculum: High Scope, Christ Light  
Before and After Care Available: Yes and **VPK only**

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For VPK Readiness Rates go to [www.vpk.fldoe.org](http://www.vpk.fldoe.org)

Beautiful Blessing Early Learning Center  
1609 10th St, Sarasota 34234  
Contact: Michelle Lewis 952-1871  
Type of Facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: N/A  
Program Hours: 8:00AM – 12:00PM or 1:00PM – 5:00PM  
Classrooms: 2 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 3/28/12  
Curriculum: Beyond Centers & Circle Time  
Before and After Care: Yes

Bizzy Bee Child Care  
4424 Wilkinson Rd, Sarasota, 34233  
Contact: Caroline Fisher 924-2333  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 194  
Program Hours: 8:30AM – 11:30 AM  
Classrooms: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/1/12  
Curriculum: Beyond Centers & Circle Time  
Before and After Care Available: Yes and **VPK only**

Bright Beginnings Preschool  
4111 Webber St, Sarasota, 34232  
Contact: Terri Goehring 921-6722  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC, AA  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 182  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
Classrooms: 2 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 5/31/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum, Kindness Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Bright Start Child Development Center 2  
2935 E. Hillview St, Sarasota, FL 34239  
Contact: Agata Fatula 953-7515  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 153  
Program Hours: 8:30 AM – 12:30 PM  
Classrooms: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 -3/7/12  
Curriculum: Creative  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Building Blocks Children's Center  
2555 Toledo Blade Blvd, North Port, 34289  
Contact: Lana Kopec 423-5588  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC, AS  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 182  
Program Hours: 8:30 AM – 11:30 AM  
Classrooms: 2 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 5/24/12  
Curriculum: Creative, Links to Literacy  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Capoeira Volta Ao Mundo Inc. Capo Kids  
4672 McIntosh Lane, Sarasota, 34232  
Contact: Cheri Costa 922-4520  
Type of Facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: N/A  
Program Hours: 9:00AM – 12:45PM  
Classrooms: 1 Start/End Date: 10/5/11 – 5/30/12  
Curriculum: Creative  
Before and After Care: Yes and **VPK only**

Children First, Inc  
1723 N. Orange Ave, Sarasota, 34234  
Contact: Carmen Parrilla 953-3877  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: MA, BA, AA, FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: Yes, NAEYC Readiness Rate: 138  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
Classrooms: 4 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/4/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Children First at Helen R. Payne  
1729 33rd Street, Sarasota, 34234  
Contact: Latonda Horne 355-4984  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: BA, 3 FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 142  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
Classrooms: 4 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/4/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Children First at Helen R. Payne Annex  
1742 Dr. MLK Way, Sarasota, 34234  
Contact: Michelle Bundy 363-0312  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: BA, NECC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 177  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
Classrooms: 2 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/4/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Children First at Island Village Montessori  
2341 Kilpatrick Road, Nokomis, 34275  
Contact: Carol Hogue 484-0957  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: AA, FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: Yes, NAEYC Readiness Rate: 167  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
Classrooms: 2 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/4/12  
Curriculum: Montessori  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Children First at North Port  
6926 Children Way, North Port, 34287  
Contact: Dossy Gross 941-953-3877 ext 200  
Type of Facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: BA, 3 FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 144  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
Classrooms: 4 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/4/12  
Curriculum: Creative  
Before and After School Care: Yes

Christ Methodist Child Development Center  
1475 Center Road , Venice, 34292  
Contact: Anita Burton 497-5563  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: Yes, UMAP Readiness Rate: 200  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
Classrooms: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 5/24/12  
Curriculum: DLM Early Childhood Express  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Christian Child Care  
7601 Clark Rd, Sarasota, 34241  
Contact: Michelle Peterson 924-6072  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: NECC  
Gold Seal Accredited: Yes, NAC Readiness Rate: 184  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
Classrooms: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/4/12  
Curriculum: Creative, High Scope  
Before and After Care Available: Yes and **VPK only**

Church of the Palms Early Childhood Center  
3224 Bee Ridge Rd, Sarasota, 34239  
Contact: Lorrie Young 921-7892  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: 2 AS, 2BA  
Gold Seal Accredited: Yes, NAC Readiness Rate: 189  
Program Hours: 9:00AM-12:00PM; 8:45 AM – 11:45AM (M-F);  
9:00AM-2:00PM (M,W,F)  
Classrooms: 4 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/1/12  
Curriculum: High Scope, Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Circle Of Friends Preschool  
2120 Webber Street, Sarasota, 34239  
Contact: Claudia Drimmer 953-2889  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: AA  
Gold Seal Accredited: Yes, NAEYC Readiness Rate: 200  
Program Hours: 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM  
Classrooms: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 5/22/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Community Presbyterian Preschool  
425 Sunset Drive, Englewood, 34223  
Contact: Diana Zett 474-5555  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 180  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
Classrooms: 1 Start/End Date 8/22/11 – 6/1/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum, Wee Care  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Corazoncitos Alegres  
82 Horton Circle, Sarasota, 34232  
Contact: Anay Andino  
Type of facility: Family Child Care Ratios: 2:12 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: N/A  
Program Hours: 9:00AM – 12:00PM and 12:30 – 2:30PM  
Classrooms: 1 Start/End Date: 1/23/12 – 6/22/12  
Curriculum: Creative  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Crossroads Children's Center  
4726 North Tamiami Trail, Sarasota, 34234  
Contact: Beverly Smith 355-0003  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 156  
Program Hours: 9:00AM – 12:00PM  
Classrooms: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/4/12  
Curriculum: Creative  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Daisy's Child Care  
5235 Indian Mound St, Sarasota, 34232  
Contact: Daisy O'Casio 378-4217  
Type of facility: Family Child Care Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 160  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
Classrooms: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/5/12  
Curriculum: Creative  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Epiphany Early Childhood Center  
316 Sarasota Street, Venice, 34285  
Contact: Irene Bauer 484-8556  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: 1 BA, 1 MS  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 191  
Other Accreditation: Yes  
Program Hours: 7:30– 11:15AM M-F (begins 9/1/11) or  
7:30 – 12:30PM Tu, We, Th  
Classrooms: 2 Start/End Date: 8/23/11 – 5/24/12 or  
Curriculum: DLM Early Childhood Express  
Before and After Care Available: Yes and **VPK only**

Faith Early Learning Center  
7750 Beneva Rd, Sarasota, 34238  
Contact: Bruce Kuntz 923-2509  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: BS  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: N/A  
Program Hours: 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM  
Classrooms: 1 Start/End Date 8/22/11-6/4/12  
Curriculum: Creative  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

First United Methodist Church Early Care Center  
104 S Pineapple Avenue, Sarasota, 34236  
Contact: Susan Loncaric 366-9522  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: BA, FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: Yes, UMAP Readiness Rate: 163  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
Classrooms: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 - 6/1/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: After

Foundations Development Learning Academy  
7041 Professional Pkwy East, Sarasota, 34240  
Contact: Heather Downing 907-7078  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 200  
Program Hours: 8:30-11:30 AM  
Classrooms: 1 Start/End Date 9/6/11-6/15/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Foundations Early Childhood Center  
700 E. Dearborn Street, Englewood, 34223  
Contact: Kristin Fisher 681-3169  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: BS, 2 FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: Yes, UMAP Readiness Rate: 176  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
Classrooms: 3 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 - 6/1/12  
Curriculum: Creative  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Good Shepherd Lutheran School (formerly Sarasota Lutheran)  
5651 Honore Ave, Sarasota  
Contact: Sandy Sinkfield 922-8164  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: 2 FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: N/A  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
Classroom: 2 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 - 6/4/12  
Curriculum: Creative  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Grace Temple Child Care Center  
1050 Atwater Drive, North Port, 34287  
Contact: Raymond Hendricks 429-0280  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: BA  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 156  
Program Hours: 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 - 6/5/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Grace United Methodist Preschool  
400 E. Field Avenue, Venice, 34285  
Contact: Patyse Dulmer 485-4312  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: 3 BAs, AA, FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: Yes, UMAP Readiness Rate: 186  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
Classroom: 5 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 - 5/31/12  
Curriculum: Creative  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Gulf Coast Christian Academy  
2800 Pan American Blvd., North Port, 34287  
Contact: Jennifer Roberts 423-9996  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: N/A  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
Classrooms: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 - 6/1/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Happy Hearts Early Learning Center  
620 Shamrock Blvd, Venice, 34293  
Contact: Jo King 493-7940  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 171  
Program Hours: 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 - 6/5/12  
Curriculum: Beyond Centers and Circle Time  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Horizons Unlimited Christian Academy  
1680 18th Street, Sarasota, 34234  
Contact: Linda Ferdinand 957-0409  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: Yes, Nac Readiness Rate: 175  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 - 5/25/12  
Curriculum: Wee Learn, Creative  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Imagine School at Palmer Ranch  
6220 McIntosh Rd, Sarasota, 34238  
Contact: Melissa Dill 923-1125  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: N/A  
Program Hours: 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM  
Classroom: 2 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/4/12  
Curriculum: Creative  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Incarnation School  
2911 Bee Ridge Rd, Sarasota, 34239  
Contact: Lauri Currie 924-8588  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: BA, MA  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 183  
Other Accreditation: Yes, Florida Catholic Conference  
Program Hours: 7:30AM – 11:30 AM (M - Th)  
Classrooms: 2 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 5/31/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Kids Day Out  
2923 Ashton Rd, Sarasota 34231  
Contact: Casey Hill 924-0107 / 705-2337  
Type of Facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: BA, FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 200  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
Classroom: 2 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/4/11  
Curriculum: Creative, Beyond Centers and Circle Time  
Before and After School Care: Yes

Kids on the Rock  
8200 Bee Ridge, Sarasota FL 34241  
Contact: Rosana Cress 941- 308-0365/ 308-0366  
Type of Facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: 2 FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 179  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
Classroom: 2 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/4/12  
Curriculum: Creative  
Before and After School Care: Yes

Kindergarten Prep, Inc  
3186 Abbingdon St, North Port, FL 34286  
Contact: Marta Shea 941-429-8920  
Type of Facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: AA  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 200  
Program Hours: 8:30 AM-11:30 AM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/8/12  
Curriculum: Creative  
Before and After School Care: Yes

Kinderhouse Preschool  
2719 Constitution Blvd, Sarasota, 34231  
Contact: Laura Marone 922-9444  
Type of Facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: 2 FCCPC, NECC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 168  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
Classroom: 3 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/1/12  
Curriculum: Creative  
Before and After School Care: Yes

Kingdom Academy of Creative Learning  
1801 N. Lockwood Ridge Rd, Sarasota, 34234  
Contact: Bobbie Grembos 365-5433  
Type of Facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: 2 FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 156  
Program Hours: 8:30-11:30 AM or 12:00-3:00 PM  
Classrooms: 3 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 5/30/12  
Curriculum: Creative  
Before and After School Care: Yes

Lakeside Lutheran Church Preschool  
2401 S Tamiami Trail, Venice, FL 34239  
Contact: Dorothy Bays 497-5858  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: BA, FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 173  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM- 12:00 PM  
Classroom: 2 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 5/31/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: After Care and **VPK only**

Las Arditillas Child Care  
3710 Lockwood Ridge Road, Sarasota, FL 34234  
Contact: Adelina Pereira 378-2362  
Type of Facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: 3 FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 103  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM or 1:00PM – 4:00PM  
Classroom: 3 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/4/12  
Curriculum: Creative, Spanish Learning  
Before and After School Care: Yes

Learning Garden Preschool  
6461 Proctor Rd, Sarasota 34241  
Contract: Sharlene Miller 780-0018  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 189  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 2:00 PM Mon-Wed  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: 8/29/11 – 5/30/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Before and **VPK only**

Learning Kastle Preschool  
101 Old Trail, Laurel, 34275  
Contact: Jessica Corrente 488-2639  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 156  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/4/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Little Explorers Preschool  
8490 McIntosh Rd, Sarasota, 34238  
Contact: Elaine Eckert 926-4777  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: 2 FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: N/A  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 2:00 PM *Tue - Thurs*  
Classroom: 2 Start/End Date: 8/30/11 – 5/31/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: No; **VPK only**

Little Pilgrim Preschool  
1031 S. Euclid Ave, Sarasota, 34237  
Contact: Janet Maxham 955-7411  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 159  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM; 12:30-3:30 PM  
Classroom: 2 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/1/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Little Sproutz Preschool  
2674 Dr. MLK Jr. Way, Sarasota, 34234  
Contact: Michelle Thomas 365-8589  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 160  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/4/12  
Curriculum: Creative  
Before and After Care Available: After Care

Love and Laugh Fun Care Center  
2811 17<sup>th</sup> St, Sarasota, 34234  
Contact: Lesa Snipes-Williams 952-1626  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: NECC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 143  
Program Hours: 9:30 AM -12:30 PM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: 9/15/11 – 6/4/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Loving Arms Preschool  
3375 Fruitville Rd, Sarasota, FL 34237  
Contact: Gay Bosley 957-1516  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 180  
Program Hours: 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: 9/12 – 4/20/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

New College Child Care  
540 58<sup>th</sup> St. Sarasota, 34243  
Contact: Todd Snavelly 355-0561  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: BA  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 186  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/4/12  
Curriculum: Montessori  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Noah's Ark Preschool  
5550 S Sumter Blvd, North Port, 34287  
Contact: Kristin Deree 426-7150  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: 4 FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: Yes, NAEYC Readiness Rate: 167  
Program Hours: 8:30 - 11:30 AM  
Classroom: 4 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/1/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes and **VPK only**

North Port Community Preschool  
12543 Tamiami Trail South, North Port, 34287  
Contact: Dr. Marcia Collins 564-8443  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: PhD  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 100  
Program Hours: 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: 10/10/11 – 5/24/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Pines Of Sarasota Child Care Center  
1501 N Orange Ave, Sarasota, 34236  
Contact: Constance Snyder 552-1861  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: 2 AAs  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 171  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
Classroom: 2 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/4/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum, Kindness  
Before and After Care Available: Yes and **VPK only**

Precious Jewels Academy  
3057 31st Way, Sarasota 34234  
Contact: Angela Mathis 358-7752  
Type of facility: Family Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: MA  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 75  
Program Hours: 8:00 AM – 2:00 PM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: Class A 8/22/11-1/18/12  
Start/End Date: Class B 1/23/12-6/5/12  
Curriculum: Beyond Centers and Circle Time  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Promiseland Preschool  
1201 North Beneva Rd, Sarasota 34232  
Contact: Kim Albanese 955-7074  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: BS, NECC, AS  
Gold Seal Accredited: Yes Readiness Rate: 188  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
Classroom: 3 Start/End Date: 8/23/11 – 6/6/12  
Class A: 9:00 AM – 1:30 PM 11/28/11 – 6/4/11  
Curriculum: Creative, Wee Learn  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Rainbow Station Child Care Center  
3318 Wilkinson Rd, Sarasota, 34231  
Contact: Marjorie Worth 922-8224  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: MS  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 177  
Program Hours: 8:30 AM – 11:30 AM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 5/25/12  
Curriculum: Creative  
Before and After Care Available: Yes and **VPK only**

Riverwood Preschool & Child Care Center  
5016 Riverwood Avenue, Sarasota, 34231  
Contact: Anita Teague 924-2779  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: BS  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 172  
Program Hours: 8:30 – 11:30 AM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 5/30/12  
Curriculum: Creative & Beyond Centers and Circle Time  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Sarasota Christian School  
5415 Bahia Vista St, Sarasota  
Contact: Jean Martin 371-6481  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: 2 BA  
Gold Seal Accredited: Yes, FAANS Readiness Rate: N/A  
Program Hours: 8:00 – 11:00 AM, 11:45-2:45PM  
Classroom: 3 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/1/12  
Curriculum: Creative  
Before and After Care Available: Yes and **VPK only**

Shamrock Preschool  
3064 Shamrock Drive, Venice, 34293  
Contact: Deborah Whitham 493-4057  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 186  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 5/30/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Shining Stars Learning Center  
4416 Hale St, Sarasota, 34232  
Contact: Dr. Sonja Lindzy 371-3253  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: Ed. D., BA  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 180  
Program Hours: 8:30 AM – 11:30 AM  
Classroom: 2 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/1/12  
Curriculum: Creative  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

South County Family YMCA Preschool, Venice  
701 Center Road, Venice, 34292  
Contact: Denita Browning 492-9622  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: BA, 2 FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: Yes, APPLE Readiness Rate: 153  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
Classroom: 3 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/4/12  
Curriculum: Creative, Active Learning Series  
Before and After Care Available: Yes and **VPK only**

St. Boniface Preschool  
5615 Midnight Pass Rd, Sarasota, 34242  
Contact: Richard Aubry 349-5616 ext 330  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 150  
Program Hours: 9:30 AM - 12:30 PM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/1/12  
Curriculum: Creative  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

St. James Early Learning Academy  
2049 N. Honore Ave, Sarasota, 34235  
Contact: Christine Merrill 342-0191  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: BS  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 161  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM–12:00 PM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/1/12  
Curriculum: Creative  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

St. Mark's Preschool  
508 Riviera Street , Venice, 34285  
Contact: Barbara Levesque 484-8707  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: BA, AA, NECC, 2 FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 180  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
Classroom: 5 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/4/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes and **VPK only**

St. Martha's Early Learning Center  
1658 4<sup>th</sup> Street, Sarasota 34239  
Contact: Jer-rika Green 366-1395  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: Yes, COA Readiness Rate: 157  
Program Hours: 8:00 AM -11:00 AM  
Classrooms: 2 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/7/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

St. Paul Early Childhood Learning Center  
2256 Bahia Vista St, Sarasota, 34239  
Contact: Michelle Carusona 955-6480  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: BA  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 179  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM- 12:00 PM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/1/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes & **VPK only**

St. Wilfred Preschool  
3773 Wilkinson Road, Sarasota, 34233  
Contact: Lonnie Hershman 923-3088  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: BS  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 155  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM-12:00 PM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 5/24/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Stage Door Preschool  
3755 S. Tuttle Avenue, Sarasota, 34239  
Contact: Christine Shebroe 921-3149  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: AS  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 178  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: 9/12/11 – 4/30/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes, limited after care

Suncoast Christian Academy  
881 S. River Road, Englewood, 34223  
Contact: Kristen Osborne 475-0511  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: AS, FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 188  
Program Hours: 8:30 – 11:30AM or 12:30 – 3:30PM M-F  
9:00am – 2:00pm *Mon, Wed, Fri*  
Classroom: 3 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 5/25/12  
Curriculum: Wee Learn  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Suncoast School for Innovative Studies  
1300 S. Tuttle Avenue, Sarasota, 34239  
Contact: Jennifer Robbins 952-5277  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 200  
Program Hours: 8:30 – 11:30 AM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/4/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum, Hand Writing Without Tears  
Before and After Care Available: After Care

Swiss Day Preschool  
4010 Camino Real, Sarasota, 34231  
Contact: Janet Hember 924-2780  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: AA  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 192  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/1/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Tech Tots Preschool  
4748 Beneva Rd, Sarasota, 34233  
Contact: Beth Ellis 924-1365 ext 62383  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 200  
Program Hours: 8:30AM – 11:30AM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/4/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes and **VPK only**

Temple Emanu-El Early Learning Center  
151 S. McIntosh Rd, Sarasota, FL 34232  
Contact: Elaine Sharrock & Faith Lipton 377-8074  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: AS  
Gold Seal Accredited: Yes, NAC Readiness Rate: 177  
Program Hours: 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/1/12  
Curriculum: Creative, Provider designed curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

TerraNichol Academy of the Arts  
701 Old Englewood Ave, Englewood, 34223  
Contact: Terra Tominelli 474-3000  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: BS  
Gold Seal Accredited: Yes, NAC Readiness Rate: 180  
Program Hours: 9:00AM-12:00PM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date 8/22/11-6/6/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes and **VPK only**

The Cottages of Michaels Learning Center  
602 McIntosh Rd, Sarasota 34231  
Contact: Michelle Ireland 377-9700  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: MA  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 195  
Program Hours: 9:00AM – 12:00PM  
Classrooms: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/1/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes and **VPK only**

The Gan at Temple Sinai  
4631 South Lockwood Ridge Rd, Sarasota 34231  
Contact: Laura Freedman 926-9462  
Type of Facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: BA  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 193  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: 8/29/11 – 4/30/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

The Learning Chest  
447 N. Lime Ave, Sarasota, 34243  
Contact: Dana Treece 228-7655  
Type of Facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: BA  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 200  
Program Hours: 9:30 AM – 12:30 PM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/4/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

The Renaissance Preschool  
2500 10<sup>th</sup> Street, Sarasota, 34237  
Contact: Tara Bolesta 365-0749  
Type of Facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: BA, FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 167  
Program Hours: 8:30 – 11:30 AM or 12:00 – 3:00PM  
Classroom: 4 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 5/30/12  
Curriculum: Creative, Beyond Centers and Circle Time  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

The Young Children's Academy  
1959 Englewood Road, Englewood, 34223  
Contact: Stephanie Young 474-8629  
Type of Facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: MA  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 183  
Program Hours: 8:30 AM – 2:30 PM M & W,  
8:30 – 2:30 TU & TH  
Classroom: 2 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/28/12  
Curriculum: Beyond Centers & Circle Time  
Before and After Care Available: Yes and **VPK only**

TLC Child Care Center  
2240 Proctor Rd, Sarasota, FL 34231  
Contact: Prasan O'Connor 922-5449  
Type of Facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: BA  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 192  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/1/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Toybox Preschool  
220 North McCall Road, Englewood, 34223  
Contact: Robin Giesege 474-1825  
Type of Facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 160  
Program Hours: 8:30 – 11:30 AM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/5/12  
Curriculum: Creative  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Trinity Preschool  
4150 S. Shade Avenue, Sarasota, 34231  
Contact: Kathy Maronet 924-7756  
Type of Facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: MA, NECC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 173  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
Classroom: 2 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/4/12  
Curriculum: High Scope  
Before and After Care Available: Limited after & **VPK only**

Venice Christian School  
1200 Center Rd, Venice, 34292  
Contact: Alyce Kurecki 496-4411  
Type of Facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC, AS  
Gold Seal Accredited: Yes Readiness Rate: 194  
Program Hours: Class A M-F 8:30AM-11:30PM  
Class B M,W,F 8:30AM-1:30PM  
Classroom: 2 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/4/12  
Curriculum: Creative, Provider designed curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes and **VPK only**

Venice Church of the Nazarene  
1535 East Venice Ave, Venice, 34292  
Contact: Gloria Caprio 485-4810  
Type of Facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: BA  
Gold Seal Accredited: Yes, UMAP Readiness Rate: 189  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/4/12  
Curriculum: Creative  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Venice Nokomis United Methodist Preschool  
208 Palm Ave, Nokomis, 34275  
Contact: Barbara Zier 484-4415  
Type of Facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: BA, AA, FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: Yes, UMAP Readiness Rate: 183  
Program Hours: Class A: M-F 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM,  
Class C: M,W,F 9:00 AM-3:00 PM  
Classroom: 3 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/1/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Weekday School  
7950 S. Tamiami Trail, Sarasota, 34231  
Contact: Rosalyn Ruh 921-7012  
Type of Facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: BS, FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 194  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
Classrooms: 2 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/4/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Wellspring Christian Academy  
204 6<sup>th</sup> Street, Sarasota 34237  
Contact: Lindsey Wilson 755-3101 ext 2  
Type of Facility: Center Ratios: 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: N/A  
Program Hours: 8:30 AM – 12:30 PM  
Classroom: 1 Start/End Date: 10/31/11 – 6/1/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum, Wee Learn  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

Wooden Shoes Child Care Center  
4875 Swift Road, Sarasota, 34231  
Contact: Carolyn Clarke 924-0717  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: 2 FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 147  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM- 12:00 PM  
Classrooms: 2 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 5/21/12  
Curriculum: Creative Curriculum  
Before and After Care Available: Yes

YMCA Child Development Center (Charlotte County YMCA)  
14601 Tamiami Trail, North Port, 34287  
Contact: Vicky Cuthbertson 429-2088  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:20 or 1:11  
Lead Teacher Credential: FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 178  
Program Hours: 9:00AM- 12:30 PM and 1:00 – 3:30PM (6 hrs)  
Classrooms: 1 Start/End Date 11/14/11 – 4/18/12  
Curriculum: Creative  
Before and After Care Available: Yes and **VPK only**

YMCA VPK Academy (Charlotte County YMCA)  
5946 Sam Shapos Way, North Port 34287  
Contact: Patti Stark 240-8877  
Type of facility: Center Ratios: 2:18 or 1:10  
Lead Teacher Credential: 3 FCCPC  
Gold Seal Accredited: No Readiness Rate: 177  
Program Hours: 9:00 AM- 12:00 PM or 1:00PM – 4:00PM  
Classrooms: 3 Start/End Date: 8/22/11 – 6/4/12  
Curriculum: Creative  
Before and After Care Available: Yes and **VPK only**