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Voluntary Prekindergarten (VPK) Director Endorsement Course Is Now Available!



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FLORIDA'S VOLUNTARY PREKINDERGARTEN (VPK) EDUCATION PROGRAM

VPK Director Endorsement Course



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Who is required to take this course?

- All directors of private VPK programs, who have not earned a Department of Children and Families (DCF) Director Credential as of December 31, 2006, are **required** to complete this course as one of the components of the VPK Director Endorsement.
- Providers who were issued a DCF director credential prior to December 31, 2006, are exempt from this requirement, but are encouraged to participate in the available training.

Where can I access the course?

- This online course is available at no cost and is accessible via the Department of Children and Families' (DCF) child care training website at www.myflorida.com/childcare/training.

What are the full requirements to obtain the VPK Director Endorsement?

- Completion of the DCF Florida Director Credential Certificate program
- Completion of the DOE-approved training on the VPK Education Standards
- Completion of *Emergent Literacy for VPK Instructors* via the DCF child care training website noted above
- Completion of the *VPK Director Endorsement Course* via the DCF child care training website noted above.

How do I apply for the VPK Director Endorsement?

Upon completion of the requirements, submit the VPK Director Endorsement application, available at www.myflorida.com/childcare, to the DCF Child Care Program Office-Credential Unit for processing.