

Early Childhood Excellence Center Program Report

Reporting Period October 1, 2004- March 31, 2005 (6 months) Due April 15, 2005

Please indicate on this sheet if there are any corrections to the following:

Grantee Name: PLEASANT PRAIRIE RENAISSANCE SCHOOL

- II. Briefly list any classroom/center **physical quality improvements** you have implemented in the past 6 months (e.g. new learning materials, new equipment, and other physical improvements to your center).

Purchased new shelving units, new tables (4) and chairs for toddlers, new and restock art supplies,

Manipulatives, games, dramatic play, books, puzzles, cooking supplies, etc., for all Classrooms, sensory tables (4), 2 large, 2 small.

- III. Please identify any **outside consultants** (e.g. nurse, event speakers, musician, artist, curriculum consultant, etc.), paid or not, who came to your center in the past 6 months. Estimate their total number of hours at your center and the total number of children they reached.

Type of Outside Consultant	Was Consultant Paid ?	Estimated Number of Hours	Estimated Number of Children Reached
Aurora Asthma Awareness	X Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	6	21
Aurora Baby's Healthy Mind	X Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	4	16
Resource Conference	X Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	4	55
Wellness Conference	X Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	6	211
Special Needs Conference	X Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	4	156
Magician	X Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	8	88

Firefighter	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes X No	2	42
2 Postal workers	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes X No	2	42

- IV. Please summarize all **staff training events** sponsored by your center during the past 6 months, by category and total number of staff in attendance. Please include any other training not listed.

Staff Training Event	Total Number of Events	Total Number of Staff in Attendance	Comments
<i>Classroom Curriculum / Child Development</i> (classroom training, Birth to 3, etc)	6	93	
<i>Health & Safety</i> (SIDS, CPR, fire safety, etc)			
<i>Staff Career & Personal Development</i> (career options, staff training, yoga, etc)	1	15	
<i>Other</i> (please specify) Financial Specialist to meet with staff	1	26	

- V. Please summarize the total number of **family educational /social /participatory events** sponsored by your center in the past 6 months, and estimate the total number of participants.

Type of Family Event	Number of Events	Number of Total Participants
<i>Family Education</i> (managing money, reading to your child, cultural heritage, etc.)		
<i>Health & Safety Education</i> (CPR, fire, nutrition, etc.)	1	23
<i>Social Events</i> (fun nights, holiday celebrations, etc.)	2	150
<i>Teacher Conferences</i>	4	60
<i>Advisory Board Meetings</i>		
<i>Other major ways in which families are involved:</i> Winter Program	1	212
Fall Festival	1	86

Spring Festival		
Thanksgiving Lunch		

VI. What was the most significant happening at your center in the past six months?

Each year during week of the young child we have an outstanding event involving families and parents. All families bring extended family as well as friends, neighbors, etc.

We also hold our annual fundraiser at this time where we auction off gift baskets to the lucky ticket winner. This again is a wonderful way for centers to make profits for the classrooms.

Attendance at this particular event is anywhere from 200-250 people. We do not limit families or public from attending. We call this famous event International Food Night.

Thank you for completing this Excellence Initiative program report. We look forward to finding out what is new with your center.