

Early Care and Education Partners Update Webinar

*Reuniones Web para Socios de Educación
y Cuidado Temprano*

June 9, 2021

Important Dates

*Fechas
importantes*

- **Provider Services Committee Meeting**
- Thursday, June 24, 2021 at 2:00pm
- Zoom Meeting ID: 932 0392 4371; Passcode: ELC0624

- **ELC Board of Directors Meeting**
- Monday, August 2, 2021 at 8:00am
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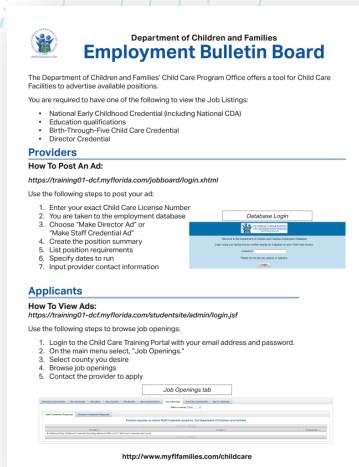
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Department of Children and Families Employment Bulletin Board

- The Department of Children and Families' Child Care Program Office offers a tool for Child Care Facilities to advertise available positions.
- You are required to have one of the following to view the Job Listings:
 - National Early Childhood Credential (including National CDA)
 - Education qualifications
 - Birth-Through-Five Child Care Credential
 - Director Credential



Click [here](#) to download the flyer

Office of Early Learning

LEARNING CIRCLES



- ❑ The Office of Early Learning is now offering virtual **Social Studies Learning Circles** that are specific to the *Florida Early Learning Standards Four Years Old to Kindergarten, Social Studies Domain*.
- ❑ Participants will select via the social studies learning circle calendar posted at the link: <http://www.floridaearlylearning.com/vpk/vpk-providers/professional-development-training>
- ❑ The Office of Early Learning will award **1.5 in service points** to all participants who are actively engage in the Learning Circle experience.
- ❑ **Questions about registrations**, please email us at VPKlearningcircles@oel.myflorida.com

Eligibility

Open Enrollment



The Early Learning Coalition of Miami-Dade/Monroe is currently enrolling children in the **School Readiness Program.**

If you need help paying for childcare, please apply today at **bit.ly/ELCFreeChildCare**



For additional information, call (305) 646-7220 or **visit www.elcmdm.org**

OEL Waivers

- OEL Waivers ending on 6-30-21
- Job Search for waiting list: waived documentation for families in the job search category.
- Job Search for School Readiness: job search as purpose for care for initial eligibility & redetermination.
- Reduced Hours: reduced 20 hours per week requirement to meet initial purpose of care or redetermination.

Any
questions?

- Please send your eligibility questions to:
Info@elcmdm.org

Summer VPK Options

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2021 Summer VPK Options

Reenrollment into Summer VPK

- Children who complete less than 70% (378 hours) of the 2020--2021 school year VPK program, can reenroll into a 2020-2021 summer VPK program due to an extreme hardship.

Summer VPK

- **200-300 instructional hours (public schools and private providers)**
- School districts offer Summer VPK programs at approved schools. **Private providers can choose to offer a Summer VPK program. Children** who have not previously attended a VPK program OR who meet the reenrollment criteria listed under above may be eligible to participate.

Summer VPK Options



2021 Summer VPK Options

VPK Specialized Instructional Support (SIS)

- VPK SIS is an option for children with disabilities who have a current Individualized Education Plan (IEP) where certified or licensed professionals provide instruction or therapy in individual or small group settings outside of a traditional classroom setting. For more information, please visit <http://www.floridaearlylearning.com/vpk/vpk-providers/specialized-instructional-services-providers>.

Reenrollment into the 2021-2022 School Year VPK Program

- Children whose birthday falls between Feb. 2 and Sept. 1 of the program year **and** who complete **less than 70% (378 hours)** of the 2020-2021 school year VPK program, can reenroll into the next program year (2021-2022) due to extreme hardship and utilize **their remaining instructional hours or funding that was unused from previous program year.**

Resources



2021 Summer VPK Options

- Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) for VPK Reenrollment can be accessed [here](#).
- Early learning resources to connect with families can be found on the OEL website under [Family Resources](#).
- For questions about VPK Program options, please contact our office at
- vpkquestions@oel.myflorida.com or 1-866-447-1159.

Provider Payments

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Payment of Registration Fees for PY2020-2021

- The School Readiness Attendance and Reimbursement process is governed by **RULE 6M-4.500** of the Florida Administrative Code

(6) Reimbursement for Registration Fees. If a provider has indicated that it charges a registration fee in Exhibit 5 of the State of Florida Statewide School Readiness Provider Contract, Form OEL- SR 20, as incorporated by reference in Rule 6M-4.610, F.A.C., the coalition shall pay the provider a registration fee for each child enrolled in the School Readiness program. The coalition shall pay the registration fee two (2) times within a five (5) year period during a child's continuous eligibility for the program. Five continuous years begins with the effective date of this rule.

(a) The coalition shall pay a registration fee of up to seventy-five dollars per eligible child. The payment for the registration fee shall not exceed the provider's published private registration fee. The coalition shall reimburse the registration fee with the reimbursement for the child's first month of attendance with the provider. For children currently enrolled in the program, the coalition shall reimburse the provider the registration fee the next time the fee is due to the provider after the effective date of this rule. If a child is attending different providers concurrently, the coalition shall pay the registration fee to the provider that the child attends the majority of the time. If a child concurrently attends all providers an equal amount of time, the registration is paid to the provider where the child has been enrolled the longest.

(b) If there is a break in the child's eligibility of at least twelve consecutive months, the two-time limit starts over.

(c) If the child's provider closes or has its contract terminated, the coalition shall pay the registration fee to the new provider. This payment is considered a one-time exception and does not apply to the two-time limit.

(d) If the family experiences hardship requiring a transfer to a different provider, the coalition shall pay the registration fee to the new provider. This payment is considered a one-time exception and does not apply to the two-time limit. Hardship may be demonstrated by evidence of one or more of the following:

1. Illness of the child or parent requiring the family to relocate.
2. Loss of a parent resulting in family relocation.
3. Loss of employment resulting in family relocation.
4. Eviction requiring the family to relocate.
5. Natural or man-made disaster.
6. Child expulsion in accordance with the provider's policies.

(e) The coalition shall recoup the registration fee in cases where a provider expels a child within three (3) months of enrollment.

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Rule Title: Child Attendance and Provider Reimbursements

Department: [DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION](#)

Division: [Office of Early Learning](#) [Add to MyFLRules Favorites](#)

Chapter: [Office of Early Learning - School Readiness Program](#)

Latest version of the final adopted rule presented in Florida Administrative Code (FAC):

 [VIEW RULE](#) 

Effective Date: 6/23/2019

History Notes: Rulemaking Authority [1001.213\(2\)](#), [1002.895 FS](#). Law Implemented [1002.82\(2\)\(c\)](#), [1002.82\(2\)\(f\)1.a.\(III\)](#), [1002.82\(2\)\(k\)](#), (o), (p), [1002.87\(8\)](#), (9), [1002.895 FS](#). History-New 2-2-05, Formerly 60BB-4.500, Amended 1-1-15, 5-28-17, 6-23-19.

References in this version: [Ref-07457 Health and Safety Checklists, Handbooks and Forms](#)

<https://www.flrules.org/gateway/RuleNo.asp?title=Office%20of%20Early%20Learning%20-%20School%20Readiness%20Program&ID=6M-4.500>

Payment of Registration Fees for PY2020-2021

■ Payment of Registration Fees

Registration Fee Payments for Eligible Children are Based on the Following Criteria:

- The provider has an online SR-20 contract/amendment with a registration fee greater than \$0.00 for the current program year.
- The child is enrolled in the SR Program.
- The child has not had more than two registration fee payments in the last 5 years (or three with a hardship).
- The provider may only receive one registration fee payment per eligible child per program year.

Payment of Registration Fees for PY2020-2021

The process for requesting payment of registration fees is owned by the providers and it must be initiated by the providers.

■ Requesting Payment of Registration Fees

The screenshot displays the web portal for the Office of Early Learning, featuring the state seal and the slogan "LEARN EARLY. LEARN FOR LIFE." The navigation menu includes Home, Business, Profile, Contracts, Enrollments, Attendance, and Documents. The "Enrollments" menu is expanded, showing options for Manage VPK Enrollments and Manage SR Enrollments. The "Manage SR Enrollments" option is further expanded, listing SR Enrollment Requests, View/Edit SR Enrollments, Preschool Development, Registration Fee, and Redeterminations. The "Registration Fee" option is expanded to show "Eligible for Payment". Red arrows highlight the path from "Enrollments" to "Manage SR Enrollments" to "Registration Fee" to "Eligible for Payment".

Provider Must Verify Children

Payment of Registration Fees for PY2020-2021

Providers are responsible for verifying Children eligibility prior to submitting Request for Payment.

Registration Fee Payments

Program Year: 2020 - 2021 Payment Period: June 2021

The children below are eligible for registration fee payments based on the following criteria:

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Total selected fees: \$0.00

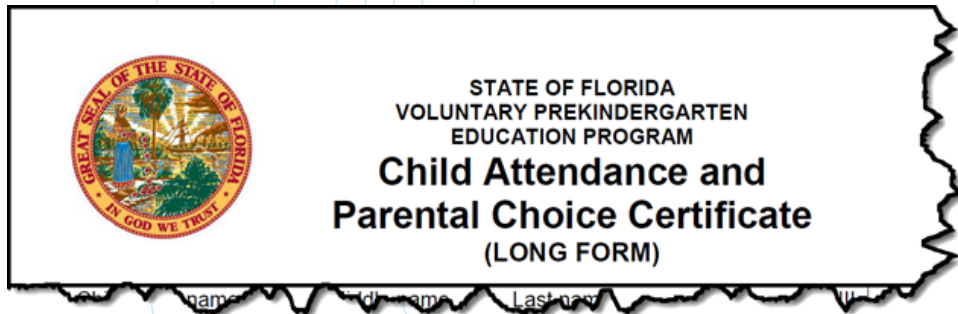
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Request Payment Dismiss Children

Provider Payments

Updated Policy from the Office of Early Learning (OEL)

VPK 03 Long Form



Updated VPK Child Attendance and Parental Choice Certificate

STATE OF FLORIDA
VOLUNTARY PREKINDERGARTEN
EDUCATION PROGRAM
**Child Attendance and
Parental Choice Certificate
(LONG FORM)**

1. Child's first name Middle name Last name Jr./III 2. Child's date of birth

3. Name of private provider or public school 4. VPK class

5. Attendance month <Select One> 6. Year 7. Child's attendance is:
 Entered below
 See attached document

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= Days attended

PARENTAL CERTIFICATION

I swear (or affirm) that my child (whose name appears above in item 1) attended the Voluntary Prekindergarten Education Program on the days entered above, or included in the documentation attached to this form, and certify that I continue to choose the private provider or public school (whose name appears above in item 3) to deliver the program for my child and direct that program funds be paid to the provider or school for my child.

8. First name of parent or guardian Middle name Last name Jr./Sr./III

9. Signature of parent or guardian 10. Date signed

NOTICE TO PRIVATE PROVIDER OR PUBLIC SCHOOL: A private provider or public school must keep this original signed form for at least 2 years. A private provider must permit the early learning coalition, and a public school must permit the school district, to inspect this original signed form during normal business hours. If required by the early learning coalition, a signed copy of this certificate must be forwarded to the coalition or a qualified contractor acting on behalf of the coalition.

Form
OEL-VPK 03L
(02/14/2007)

Contracts

Contract Department Updates

- School Readiness contract renewals are 75% complete
 - If your contract has not been initiated, please contact your Contract Manager
 - Please sign and submit by Friday June 11th
- Sign and submit 2021-2022 VPK Contracts
 - Click [here](#) for instruction on how to sign VPK contract
 - Ensure director and teacher credentials are up to date
- Orientation for Family child care homes via PDI will be offered soon

School Readiness Program Assessment

Rule 6M-4.740 & 6M-4.741

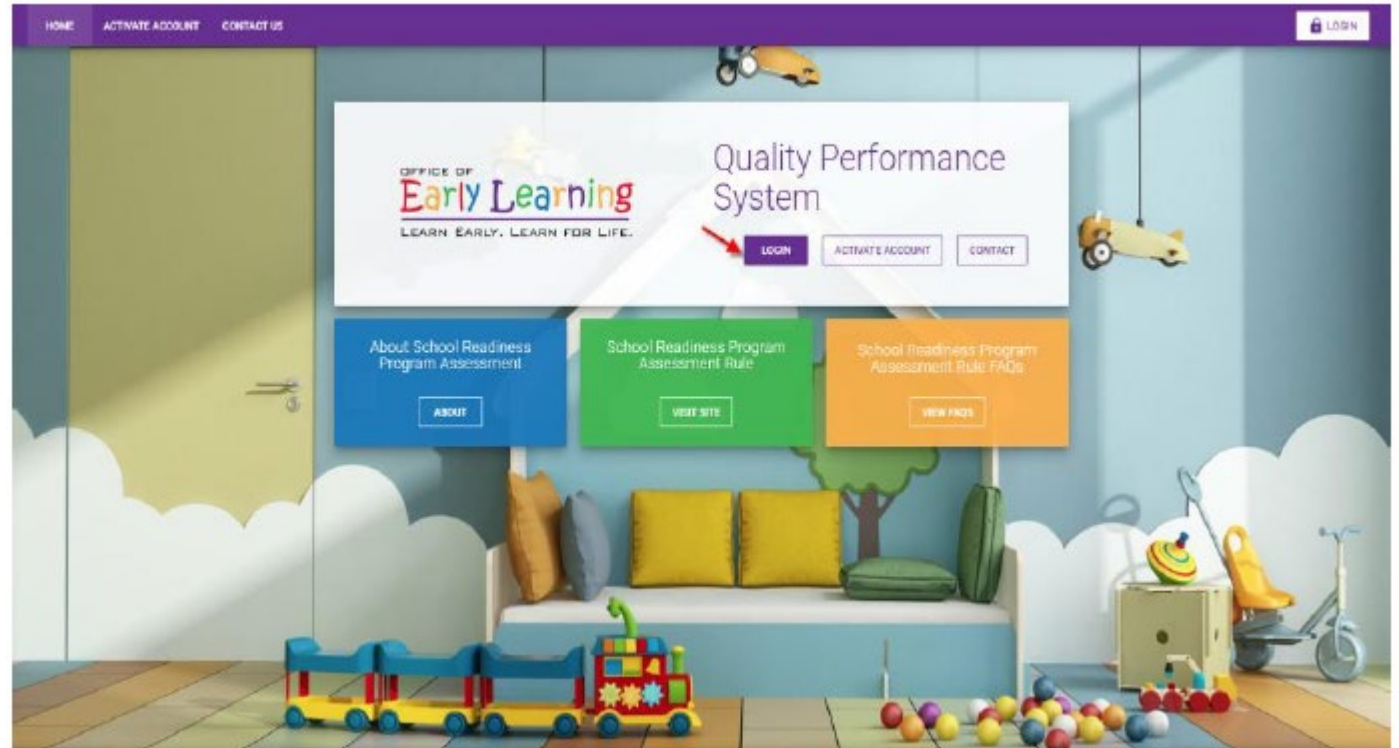
- During the 2018 legislative session, the Florida Legislature passed rules 6M-4.740 and 6M-4.741 that increases quality and accountability in the School Readiness Program.
- All School Readiness providers are required to be assessed unless they meet one of the following exemptions:
 - A childcare center's enrollment is 20% or less of all filled School Readiness childcare slots of the maximum capacity or
 - A Family Child Care Home with two or fewer of all filled School Readiness childcare slots of the maximum capacity and
 - Programs may not have received one (1) Class I or more than three of the same Class II violations

Impact of the Pandemic

- Program assessments were cancelled in March 2020 via Department of Education Executive Order 2020-01 for the remainder of the 2019-20 contract year.
- This meant that some providers would not have a program assessment conducted for the 2020-21 contract year.
- Because assessments were cancelled, the 2019-20 School Readiness contracts were extended for 2020-21.
- Revisions to applicable rules allows coalitions to use providers' qualifying score from 2018-19, 2019-20 or 2020-21 to execute a 2021-22 School Readiness contract.
- All providers that have received composite scores in the past are **required** by contract to update their **rosters, at least once a month**, in the Quality Performance System. This is **due between the 25th and the 28th day of each month**

How to update your staff roster

Go to: <https://qps.floridaearlylearning.com>



Requirements for School Readiness Contract

Contract Minimum Threshold

School Readiness providers must achieve a composite score at or above the Contract Minimum Threshold on the Assessment to be eligible for a School Readiness contract.

Quality Improvement Plan

School Readiness providers who achieve the minimum composite score for Quality Improvement, but are still emerging in quality, will be placed on a mandatory Quality Improvement Plan. The Early Learning Coalition of Miami-Dade/Monroe will identify performance goals and quality improvement strategies to help providers meet quality scores.

2019-20 Thresholds

- Contract Minimum Threshold **2.51**
- Quality Improvement Threshold **3.00**
- Quality Improvement Plans **2.51-2.99**

2020-21 & 2021-22 Thresholds

- Contract Minimum Threshold **3.50**
- Quality Improvement Threshold **4.00**
- Quality Improvement Plan **3.50-3.99**

2022-23 Thresholds

- Contract Minimum Threshold **4.00**

Classroom Assessment Scoring System

- Using the Classroom Assessment Scoring System, all School Readiness providers serving children from birth to kindergarten entry must have a program assessment conducted and meet the contract minimum threshold to be eligible to participate in the School Readiness Program.
 - Reliable certified observers
 - 50% of ALL classrooms by care level
 - Infants 0-18 months
 - Toddlers 19-35 months
 - PreK 36 months to Kindergarten entry
 - Measures the quality of teacher-child interactions
 - Scores from 1-7
 - Assessments are conducted year round
 - English & Spanish & Creole

THANK YOU
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Should you have any
questions for Quality
Initiatives, please send
questions to
Classinfo@elcmdm.org



Inclusion Ages and Stages Questionnaire (ASQ-3) Updates and Changes

What's New with ASQ-3?

- OEL has introduced an option for families to complete their child's developmental screening questionnaires (ASQ-3 and ASQ-SE2) online once the child's enrollment is complete.
- Families will have five (5) days to complete the screening or defer to the provider.
- If the family defers the screening to the provider, it will then appear on the provider's cue.

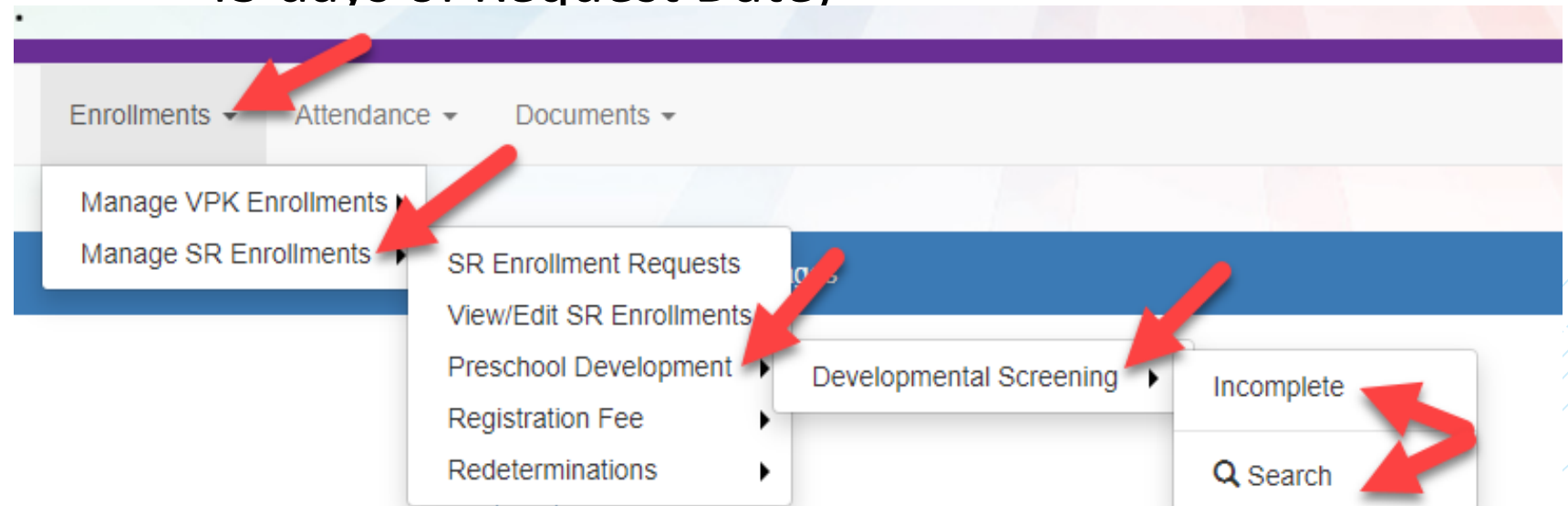
When are screenings administered and where are they entered?

AS OF MARCH 31, 2021

- Initial: Within 45 days of child's **Signed Payment Certificate (Family Acceptance)**
- Annual: Due during the child's annual Redetermination
- Screenings are to be entered on the Statewide Provider Services Portal
- <https://providerservices.floridaearlylearning.com/>
- You will no longer enter screenings on the ELCMDM Provider Portal (aka Old Portal)

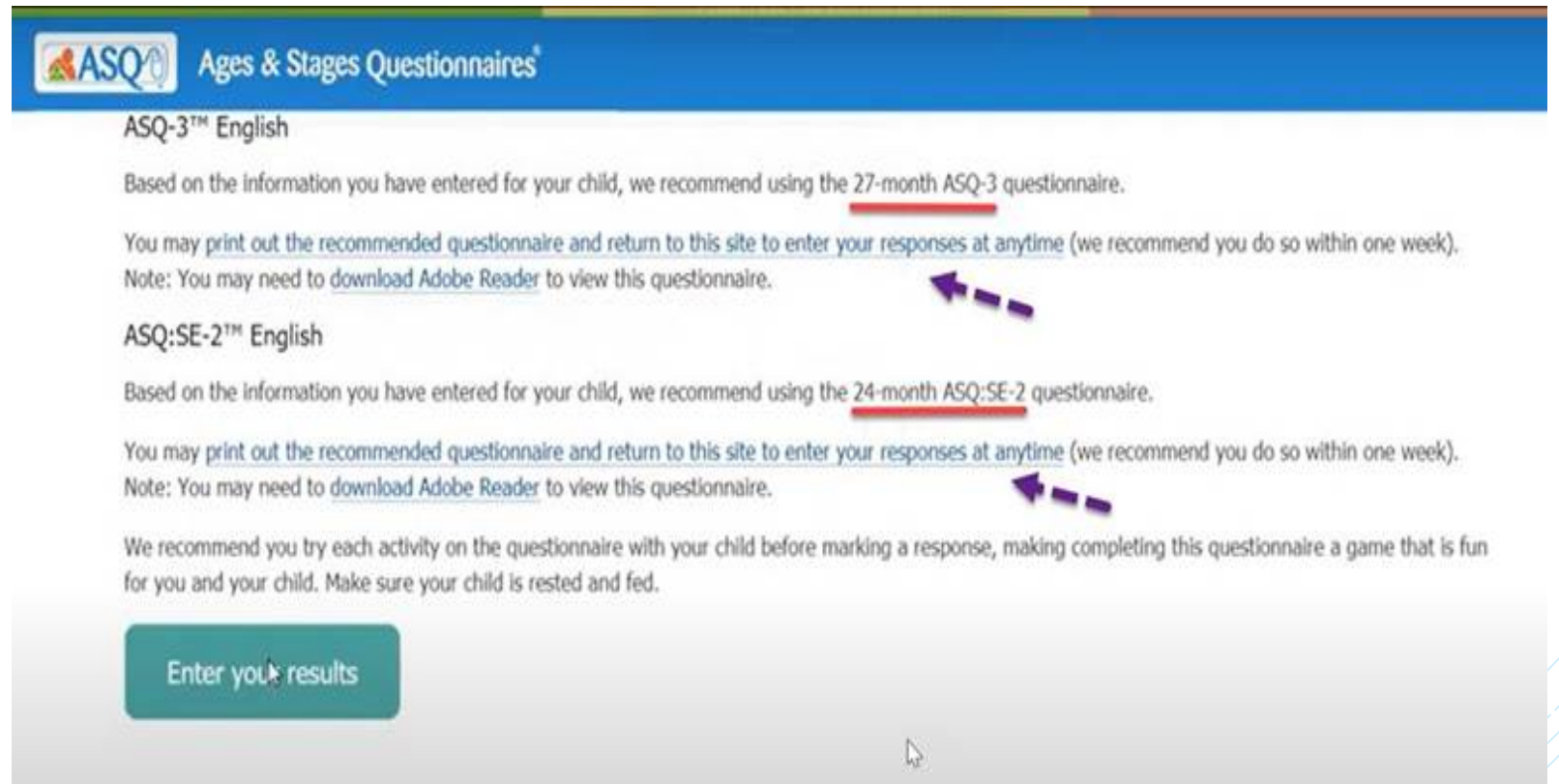
How to enter screenings

- Log in to Statewide Provider Services Portal (aka EFS Mod aka New Portal)
- Click on 'Enrollments' → 'Manage SR Enrollments' → 'Preschool Development' → 'Developmental Screening' → 'Incomplete' or 'Search'
- View completed screenings and screening results (via Search)
- View incomplete screenings (to be completed within 45 days of Request Date)



How will I know what questionnaire to use?

- Providers will be notified of the recommended questionnaire after they confirm the child's date of birth. The recommended tool will be listed and the blue hyperlink will take you to a printable PDF of the recommended screening tool.



The screenshot shows the ASQ website interface. At the top, there is a blue header with the ASQ logo and the text "Ages & Stages Questionnaires". Below the header, the page is divided into two sections. The first section is titled "ASQ-3™ English" and contains the text: "Based on the information you have entered for your child, we recommend using the 27-month ASQ-3 questionnaire." The number "27-month" is underlined in red. Below this, it says: "You may print out the recommended questionnaire and return to this site to enter your responses at anytime (we recommend you do so within one week)." and "Note: You may need to download Adobe Reader to view this questionnaire." A dashed purple arrow points from the underlined "27-month" to the underlined "at anytime". The second section is titled "ASQ:SE-2™ English" and contains the text: "Based on the information you have entered for your child, we recommend using the 24-month ASQ:SE-2 questionnaire." The number "24-month" is underlined in red. Below this, it says: "You may print out the recommended questionnaire and return to this site to enter your responses at anytime (we recommend you do so within one week)." and "Note: You may need to download Adobe Reader to view this questionnaire." A dashed purple arrow points from the underlined "24-month" to the underlined "at anytime". At the bottom of the page, there is a green button with the text "Enter your results".

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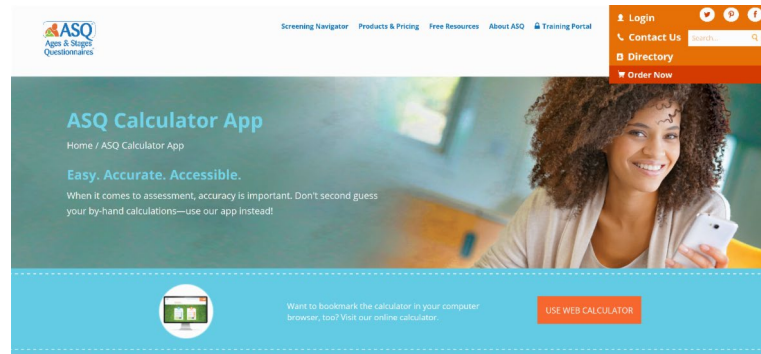
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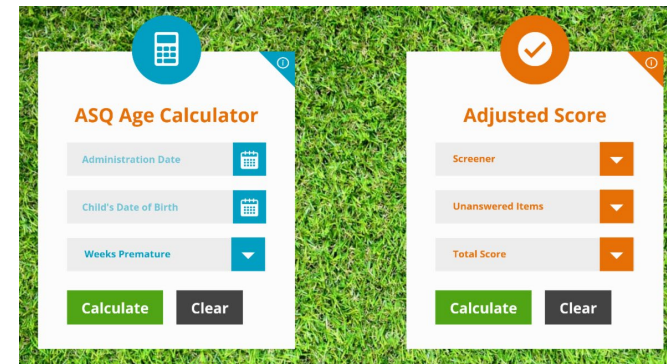
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More Options

- Download the ASQ Calculator App on your Apple or Samsung Android device : [ASQ Calculator App - Ages and Stages](#)



- Use the Web Calculator: [ASQ Calculator - Ages and Stages](#)



Keeping Up with ASQs

AS OF MARCH 31, 2021

- Live links in State Provider Services Portal for ASQ-3 and ASQ-SE2
- Review upcoming/pending screenings weekly
- Continue using the same version of the ASQ's
- Results available for parents on the Family Services Portal (no printing required)
- Emails from the ELC notifying you of upcoming screenings due
- Notice of Non-Compliances when you are past due for 1+ days requiring a Corrective Action Plan
- Watch provider portal "How To" videos on Youtube: Florida Office of Early Learning

Questions

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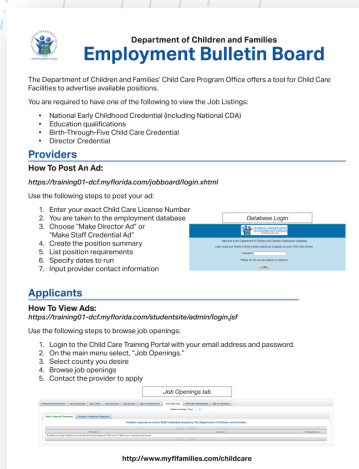
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Department of Children and Families Tablón de Anuncios de Empleo

- El Department of Children and Families' La Oficina del Programa de Cuidado Infantil ofrece una herramienta para que los establecimientos de cuidado infantil anuncien los puestos disponibles.
- Debe tener uno de los siguientes para ver los listados de trabajos:
 - Credencial Nacional de Educación Temprana (incluso National CDA)
 - Calificaciones educativas
 - Credencial de cuidado infantil desde el nacimiento hasta los cinco años
 - Credencial de director



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Office of Early Learning

LEARNING CIRCLES



- ❑ La Oficina de Aprendizaje Temprano ahora ofrece Círculos de Aprendizaje de Estudios Sociales virtuales. Estas sesiones son específicas a los Estándares de Aprendizaje Temprano para niños de cuatro Años a Kindergarten.
- ❑ Los participantes seleccionarán a través del calendario publicado en el enlace: <http://www.floridaearlylearning.com/vpk/vpk-providers/professional-development-training>
- ❑ La Oficina de Aprendizaje Temprano ofrecerá 1.5 puntos de servicio a todos los participantes que participen activamente en la experiencia de las sesiones.
- ❑ Preguntas sobre los registros, envíenos un correo electrónico a VPKlearningcircles@oel.myflorida.com

Eligibilidad

Matriculación para School Readiness



El Early Learning Coalition of Miami-Dade/Monroe esta matriculando a los niños en el Programa de School Readiness.

Si necesita ayuda para pagar el cuidado infantil, solicítela hoy en bit.ly/ELCFreeChildCare

Para obtener información adicional, llame (305) 646-7220 o visite www.elcmdm.org



OEL y Exenciones

- OEL exenciones terminando en el 6-30-21
- Búsqueda de empleo para la lista de espera: documentación eximida para las familias que cualifican para búsqueda de empleo.
- Búsqueda de empleo para la preparación escolar: búsqueda de empleo como propósito para la recibir servicios de preparación escolar inicial y re-determinación es categoría aceptable.
- Horario reducido: reducción de las 20 horas semanales requeridas para cumplir con el requisito inicial o re-determinación.

Alguna
pregunta?

- Si tiene alguna pregunta sobre elegibilidad, envíela a:

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Opciones de VPK Para el Verano

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2021 Summer VPK Options

Reinscripción en el programa VPK en verano

- Los niños que completen menos del 70% (378 horas) del programa VPK del año escolar 2020-2021, a causa de una dificultad extrema pueden volver a inscribirse en un programa VPK en el verano 2020-2021.

VPK en verano

- **200-300 horas de instrucción (escuelas públicas y proveedores privados)**
- Los distritos escolares ofrecen programas de VPK en el verano para escuelas aprobadas. Los proveedores privados pueden elegir y ofrecer un programa de VPK en el verano. Los niños que no hayan
- participado previamente en un programa VPK o que satisfagan los criterios de reinscripción enumerados anteriormente pueden ser elegibles para participar.

Opciones de VPK Para el Verano



2021 Summer VPK Options

Apoyo Educativo Especializado (SIS por sus siglas en Ingles) del VPK

- El VPK SIS es una opción para los niños con discapacidades que tienen un Plan de Educación Individualizado (IEP por sus siglas en Ingles) vigente, en el que profesionales certificados o licenciados proporcionan instrucción o terapias en forma individual o en pequeños grupos fuera de un entorno de clase tradicional. Para obtener más información, visite: <http://www.floridaearlylearning.com/vpk/vpk-providers/specialized-instructional-services-providers>.

Reinscripción en el programa VPK del año escolar 2021-2022

- Los niños con fecha de nacimiento entre el 2 de febrero y el 1 de septiembre del año del programa y que completan menos del 70% (378 horas) del programa VPK del año escolar 2020-2021, debido a dificultades extremas, podrán volver a inscribirse en el año entrante del programa (2021-2022) y utilizar sus horas de instrucción restantes o los fondos que no se utilizaron del año del programa anterior.

Recursos



2021 Summer VPK Options

- Preguntas Más Frecuentes (FAQ por sus siglas en Ingles) sobre la reinscripción [en el VPK](#)
- Los recursos de aprendizaje temprano para conectarse con las familias se pueden encontrar en el sitio web de OEL bajo [Family Resources](#)
- Si tiene preguntas sobre las opciones del programa VPK, comuníquese con nuestra oficina a través de
- vpkquestions@oel.myflorida.com or 1-866-447-1159

Provider Payments

Provider Payments

Payment of Registration Fees for PY2020-2021

- El proceso de Asistencia y Reembolso de Preparación Escolar se rige por la REGLA 6M-4.500 del Código Administrativo de Florida.

(6) Reimbursement for Registration Fees. If a provider has indicated that it charges a registration fee in Exhibit 5 of the State of Florida Statewide School Readiness Provider Contract, Form OEL- SR 20, as incorporated by reference in Rule 6M-4.610, F.A.C., the coalition shall pay the provider a registration fee for each child enrolled in the School Readiness program. The coalition shall pay the registration fee two (2) times within a five (5) year period during a child's continuous eligibility for the program. Five continuous years begins with the effective date of this rule.

(a) The coalition shall pay a registration fee of up to seventy-five dollars per eligible child. The payment for the registration fee shall not exceed the provider's published private registration fee. The coalition shall reimburse the registration fee with the reimbursement for the child's first month of attendance with the provider. For children currently enrolled in the program, the coalition shall reimburse the provider the registration fee the next time the fee is due to the provider after the effective date of this rule. If a child is attending different providers concurrently, the coalition shall pay the registration fee to the provider that the child attends the majority of the time. If a child concurrently attends all providers an equal amount of time, the registration is paid to the provider where the child has been enrolled the longest.

(b) If there is a break in the child's eligibility of at least twelve consecutive months, the two-time limit starts over.

(c) If the child's provider closes or has its contract terminated, the coalition shall pay the registration fee to the new provider. This payment is considered a one-time exception and does not apply to the two-time limit.

(d) If the family experiences hardship requiring a transfer to a different provider, the coalition shall pay the registration fee to the new provider. This payment is considered a one-time exception and does not apply to the two-time limit. Hardship may be demonstrated by evidence of one or more of the following:

1. Illness of the child or parent requiring the family to relocate.
2. Loss of a parent resulting in family relocation.
3. Loss of employment resulting in family relocation.
4. Eviction requiring the family to relocate.
5. Natural or man-made disaster.
6. Child expulsion in accordance with the provider's policies.

(e) The coalition shall recoup the registration fee in cases where a provider expels a child within three (3) months of enrollment.

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Rule Title: Child Attendance and Provider Reimbursements

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Chapter: [Office of Early Learning - School Readiness Program](#)

Latest version of the final adopted rule presented in Florida Administrative Code (FAC):

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Effective Date: 6/23/2019

History Notes: Rulemaking Authority [1001.213\(2\)](#), [1002.895 FS](#). Law Implemented [1002.82\(2\)\(c\)](#), [1002.82\(2\)\(f\)1.a.\(III\)](#), [1002.82\(2\)\(k\)](#), (o), (p), [1002.87\(8\)](#), (9), [1002.895 FS](#). History-New 2-2-05, Formerly 60BB-4.500, Amended 1-1-15, 5-28-17, 6-23-19.

References in this version: [Ref-07457 Health and Safety Checklists, Handbooks and Forms](#)

<https://www.flrules.org/gateway/RuleNo.asp?title=Office%20of%20Early%20Learning%20-%20School%20Readiness%20Program&ID=6M-4.500>

Payment of Registration Fees for PY2020-2021

■ Pago de Tarifa de Registro

Los pagos de la tarifa de inscripción para los niños elegibles se basan en los siguientes criterios:

- El proveedor tiene un contrato/enmienda SR-20 en línea con una tarifa de registro superior a \$ 0.00 para el año actual del programa.
- El niño está inscrito en el programa SR.
- El niño no ha tenido más de dos pagos de cuotas de inscripción en los últimos 5 años (o tres con dificultades).
- El proveedor solo puede recibir un pago de la tarifa de inscripción por niño elegible por año del programa.

Solicitud de pago de tarifas de registro

Payment of Registration Fees for PY2020-2021

El proceso para solicitar el pago de las tarifas de registro es de los proveedores y debe ser iniciado por los proveedores.

The screenshot displays the user interface of the Office of Early Learning website. At the top, the logo for the Office of Early Learning is visible, along with the tagline "LEARN EARLY. LEARN FOR LIFE." Below the logo, a navigation menu includes "Home", "Business", "Profile", "Contracts", "Enrollments", "Attendance", and "Documents". The "Enrollments" menu is expanded, showing options for "Manage VPK Enrollments" and "Manage SR Enrollments". The "Manage SR Enrollments" option is further expanded, listing "SR Enrollment Requests", "View/Edit SR Enrollments", "Preschool Development", "Registration Fee", and "Redeterminations". The "Registration Fee" option is expanded, showing "Eligible for Payment". Red arrows highlight the path from "Enrollments" to "Manage SR Enrollments" to "Registration Fee" to "Eligible for Payment".

Los proveedores deben verificar a los niños

Payment of Registration Fees for PY2020-2021

Los proveedores son responsables de verificar la elegibilidad de los niños antes de enviar la Solicitud de pago.

Registration Fee Payments

Program Year: 2020 - 2021 Payment Period: June 2021

The children below are eligible for registration fee payments based on the following criteria:

- The Provider has an online SR-20 contract/amendment with a registration fee greater than \$0.00 for the current program year.
- The child is in the SR Program.
- The child has not had more than two registration fee payments in the last 5 years (or three with a hardship).
- The provider may only receive one registration fee payment per eligible child per program year.

Show 10 entries. [Clear All Filters](#) Search:

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Total selected fees: \$0.00

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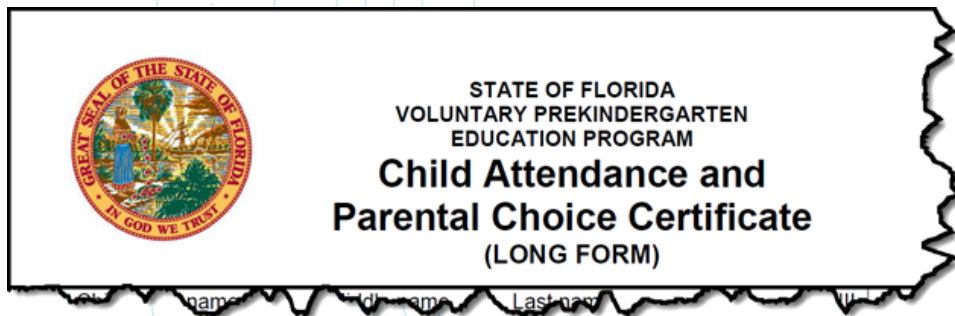
[Request Payment](#) [Dismiss Children](#)


Provider Payments

Updated Policy from the Office of Early Learning (OEL)

VPK 03 Long Form

■ Certificado Actualizado de Asistencia Infantil y Elección de los Padres de VPK



 STATE OF FLORIDA
VOLUNTARY PREKINDERGARTEN
EDUCATION PROGRAM
**Child Attendance and
Parental Choice Certificate
(LONG FORM)**

1. Child's first name Middle name Last name Jr./III 2. Child's date of birth

3. Name of private provider or public school 4. VPK class

5. Attendance month <Select One> 6. Year 7. Child's attendance is:
 Entered below
 See attached document

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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= Days attended

PARENTAL CERTIFICATION

I swear (or affirm) that my child (whose name appears above in item 1) attended the Voluntary Prekindergarten Education Program on the days entered above, or included in the documentation attached to this form, and certify that I continue to choose the private provider or public school (whose name appears above in item 3) to deliver the program for my child and direct that program funds be paid to the provider or school for my child.

8. First name of parent or guardian Middle name Last name Jr./Sr./III

9. Signature of parent or guardian 10. Date signed

NOTICE TO PRIVATE PROVIDER OR PUBLIC SCHOOL: A private provider or public school must keep this original signed form for at least 2 years. A private provider must permit the early learning coalition, and a public school must permit the school district, to inspect this original signed form during normal business hours. If required by the early learning coalition, a signed copy of this certificate must be forwarded to the coalition or a qualified contractor acting on behalf of the coalition.

Form
OEL-VPK 03L
(02/14/2007)

Contracts

Actualizaciones del departamento de contratos

- Tenemos un 75% de las renovaciones del contrato de School Readiness completas
 - Si su contrato no se ha iniciado, comuníquese con su Manager de Contratos
 - Firme y envíe antes del viernes, 11 de Junio
- Firmar y enviar contratos VPK 2021-2022
 - Haga clic [aquí](#) para obtener instrucciones sobre cómo firmar un contrato de VPK
 - Asegúrese que las credenciales de director y maestro estén actualizadas
- Próximamente se ofrecerá orientación para hogares de cuidado infantil familiar a través de PDI

School Readiness Program Assessment

School Readiness Program Assessment

Ley 6M-4.740 y 6M-4.741

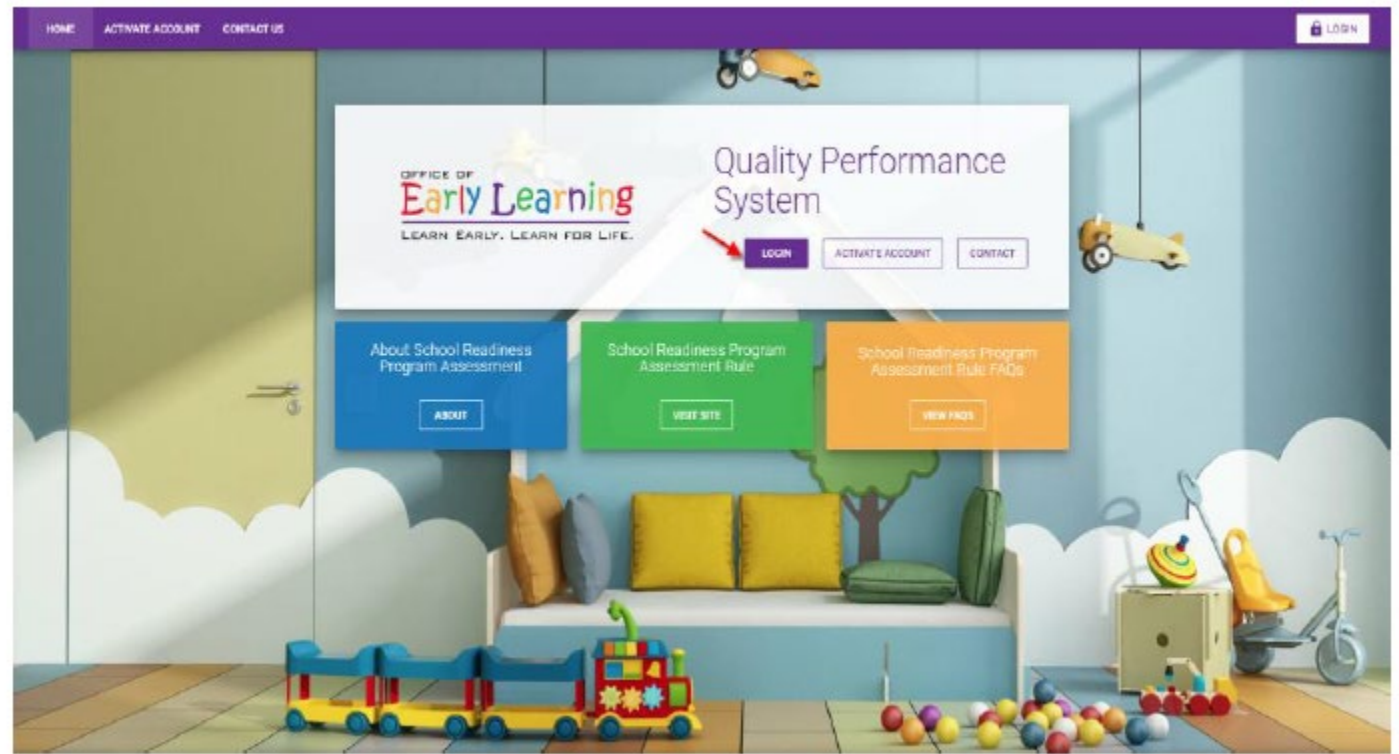
- Durante la sesión legislativa de 2018, la Legislatura de Florida aprobó un proyecto de ley 6M-4.740 y 6M-4.741 que aumenta la calidad y la responsabilidad en el Programa de subsidio de School Readiness.
- Todos los proveedores de School Readiness deben ser evaluados a menos que cumplan una de las siguientes exenciones:
 - La inscripción del centro es del 20% o menos de la capacidad máxima de los cupos de School Readiness o
 - El Hogar de Cuidado Infantil Familiar tiene dos o menos de la capacidad máxima de los cupos de School Readiness y
 - los programas no han recibido una (1) Clase I o más de tres de las mismas violaciones de Clase II

Impacto de la pandemia

- Las evaluaciones del programa se cancelaron en marzo de 2020 a través de la Orden Ejecutiva 2020-01 del Departamento de Educación para el resto del año del contrato 2019-20
- Esto significó que algunos proveedores no tendrían una evaluación del programa realizada para el año del contrato 2020-21.
- Debido a que se cancelaron las evaluaciones, los contratos School Readiness 2019-20 se extendieron para 2020-21.
- Las revisiones a las reglas aplicables permiten que la Coalición use el puntaje de calificación de los proveedores de 2018-19, 2019-20, o 2020-21 para ejecutar un contrato 2021-22.
- Todos los proveedores que hayan recibido puntuaciones en el pasado, **deben** por contrato, actualizar sus **listas, al menos una vez al mes**, en el sistema Quality Performance System. Tienen del **25 al 28 día de cada mes** para actualizarlo.

Como actualizar su lista del personal

Go to: <https://qps.floridaearlylearning.com>



Requisitos para el contrato de School Readiness

Puntuación mínima para obtener Contrato

Los proveedores de School Readiness deben lograr una puntuación igual o superior a la puntuación mínima del contrato en la Evaluación para ser elegibles para un contrato de SR

Puntuación en la cual debe estar en un plan de mejora de calidad

Los proveedores de School Readiness que alcancen la puntuación mínima para obtener contrato, pero todavía necesitan mejorar en la calidad, obligatoriamente se les pondrá en un Plan de Mejora de la Calidad. El Early Learning Coalition de Miami-Dade/Monroe identificará objetivos de desempeño y estrategias de mejora de la calidad para ayudar a los proveedores a alcanzar puntajes de calidad.

Puntuación Mínima 2019-20

- Puntuación mínima para obtener Contrato **2.51**
- Puntuación mínima que demuestra Calidad **3.00**
- Puntuación en la cual debe estar en un plan de mejora de calidad **2.51-2.99**

Puntuación Mínima 2020-21 & 2021-22

- Puntuación mínima para obtener Contrato **3.50**
- Puntuación mínima que demuestra Calidad **4.00**
- Puntuación en la cual debe estar en un plan de mejora de calidad **3.50-3.99**

Puntuación Mínima 2022-23

- Puntuación mínima para obtener Contrato **4.00**

Evaluaciones de Classroom Assessment Scoring System

- Todos los proveedores de School Readiness que sirvan niños desde bebés hasta que entran a kindergarten deben ser evaluados y cumplir los requisitos mínimos para poder participar en el programa de School Readiness.
 - Realizadas por evaluadores certificados
 - 50% de TODAS las clases por niveles
 - Bebés de 0-18 meses
 - Niños pequeños de 19-35 meses
 - PreK de 36 meses hasta entrar en Kindergarten
 - Mide la calidad de las interacciones del instructor-niños
 - Puntuación de 1-7
 - Se llevan a cabo durante todo el año
 - Inglés, Español y Creole



Si tiene alguna pregunta,
mande un correo
electrónico a:

Classinfo@elcmdm.org



Inclusion Ages and Stages Questionnaire (ASQ-3) Updates and Changes

Que hay de nuevo con los ASQ-3

- Empezando el 31 de marzo, OEL presenta una nueva opción para familias interesadas. Al finalizar la matriculación en el programa de School Readiness van a poder completar la evaluación (ASQ-3) de forma electrónica.
- Las familias tendrán 5 días para completar la evaluación o enviar a proveedor.
- Si la familia elige posponer la evaluación al proveedor, aparecerá en la indicación del proveedor.

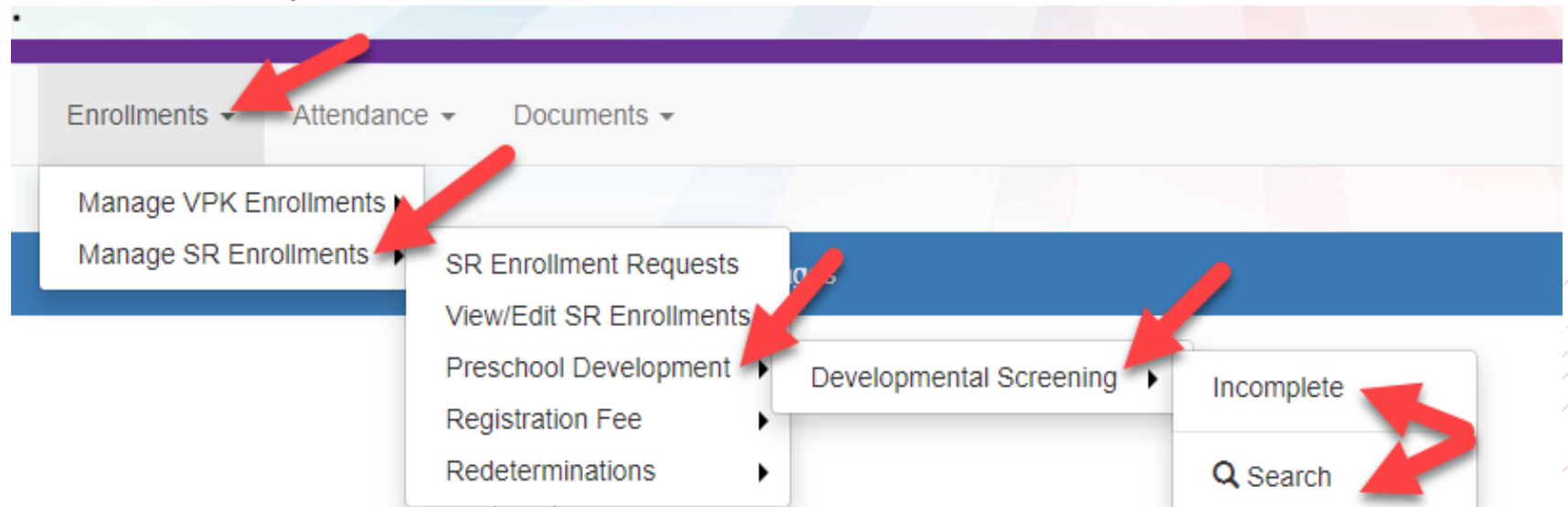
Quando y adonde
hay que
completar las
evaluaciones de
ASQ-3?

EMPEZANDO EL 31 DE MARZO DEL 2021

- Inicial: No mas de 45 días después que los padres acepten los servicios de School Readiness
- Cada año: En la fecha de Redeterminacion
- Conéctese al Portal de Servicios al Proveedor Estatal de la Oficina de Educación Temprana (OEL)
- <https://providerservices.floridaearlylearning.com/>
- Ya **no ingresará** las evaluaciones en el portal de proveedores de ELCMDM, también conocido como portal viejo

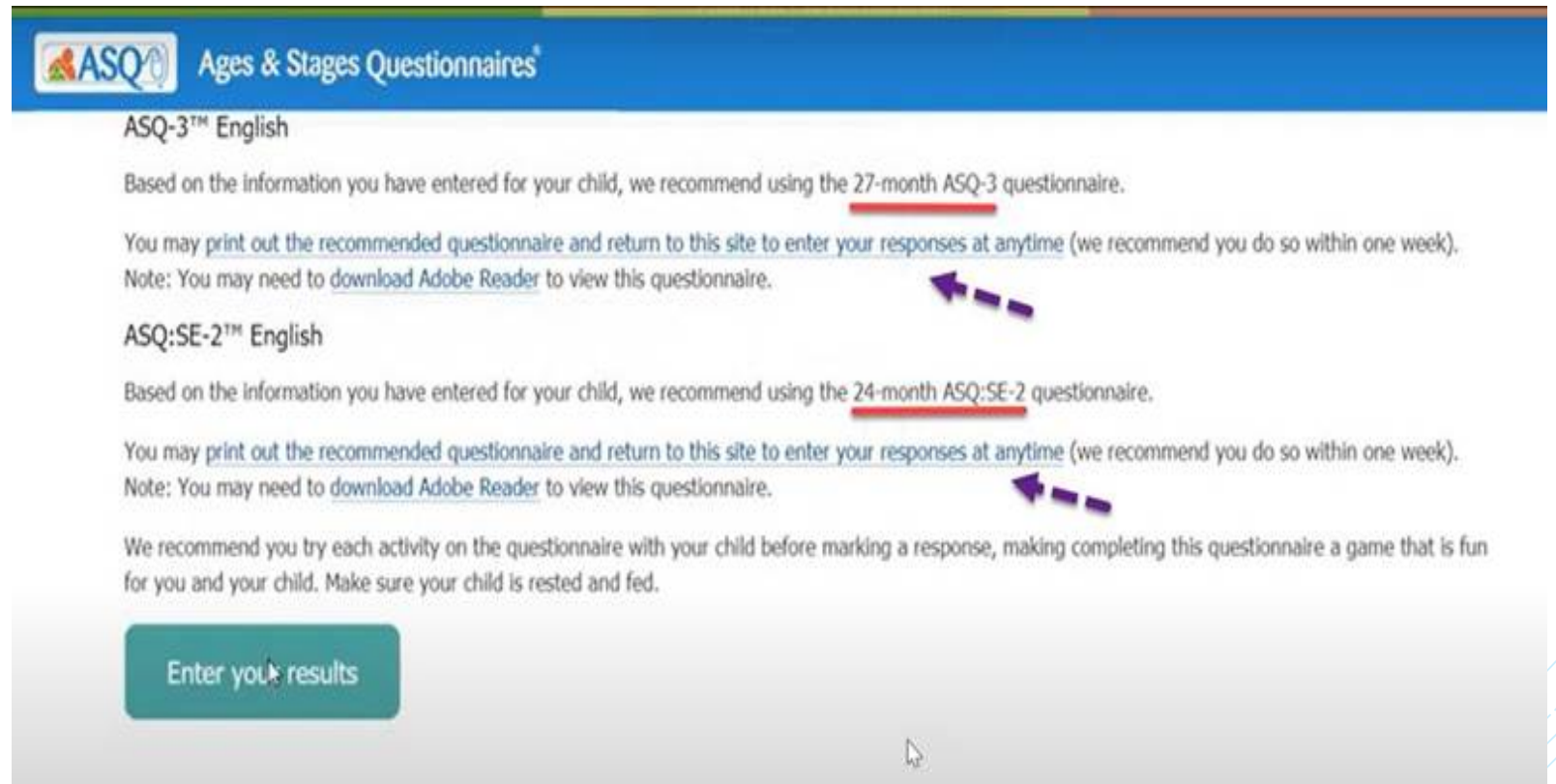
Como se adquieren las evaluaciones de ASQ-3?

- Conéctese al Portal de Servicios al Proveedor Estatal de la Oficina de el Educación Temprana (OEL)
- Hacer clic en 'Enrollments' → 'Manage SR Enrollments' → 'Preschool Development' → 'Developmental Screening' → 'Incomplete' or 'Search'
- Se puede ver las evaluaciones completadas y los resultados (Search)
- Se puede ver las evaluaciones incompletas/pendientes (Incomplete)



Que cuestionario se debe usar?

- Después de confirmar la fecha de Nacimiento del niño(niña), va ver esta pagina. El enlace azul recomienda el cuestionario y da la opción de imprimir. Solo haz clic.



ASQ Ages & Stages Questionnaires®

ASQ-3™ English

Based on the information you have entered for your child, we recommend using the 27-month ASQ-3 questionnaire.

You may print out the recommended questionnaire and return to this site to enter your responses at anytime (we recommend you do so within one week).
Note: You may need to [download Adobe Reader](#) to view this questionnaire.

ASQ:SE-2™ English

Based on the information you have entered for your child, we recommend using the 24-month ASQ:SE-2 questionnaire.

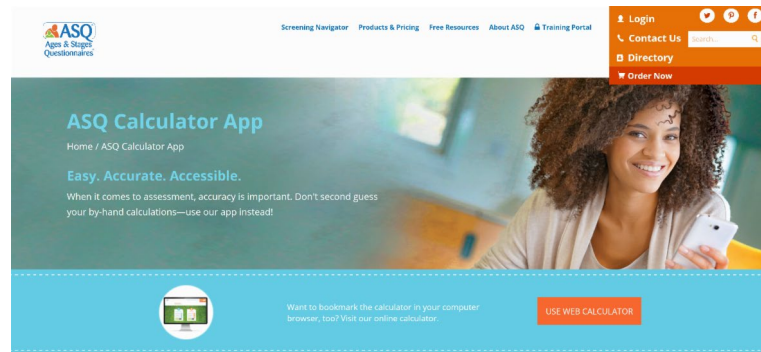
You may print out the recommended questionnaire and return to this site to enter your responses at anytime (we recommend you do so within one week).
Note: You may need to [download Adobe Reader](#) to view this questionnaire.

We recommend you try each activity on the questionnaire with your child before marking a response, making completing this questionnaire a game that is fun for you and your child. Make sure your child is rested and fed.

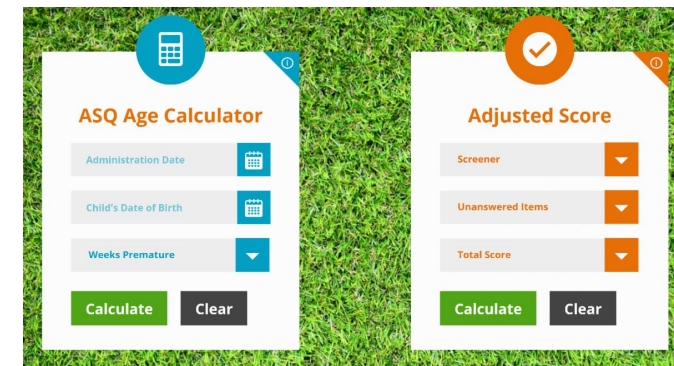
[Enter your results](#)

Mas
optiociones!

- Obtenga la aplicación móvil a través de su Apple o Samsung: [ASQ Calculator App - Ages and Stages](#)



- También se puede usar la pagina de web: [ASQ Calculator - Ages and Stages](#)



EMPEZANDO EL 31 DE MARZO DEL 2021

Como
mantenerse al
día con los
ASQ-3s

- Vea su lista de estudiantes en el Portal de Servicios al Proveedor Estatal (OEL)
- Revise las evaluaciones pendientes semanalmente
- Siga usando la misma versión de los ASQ's
- Los resultados estarán disponibles para los padres en el Portal Familiar (no es necesario imprimirlos)
- Recibirá notificación por correo electrónico avisando de evaluaciones futuras
- Recibirá notificación de falta de cumplimiento después del primer día de falla requiriendo la sumisión de un plan de acción correctiva
- Vea videos del portal de proveedores en Youtube: Florida Office of Early Learning

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