At-A-Glance: Early Care and Education Sector Plan

Lane Early Learning Alliance

https://earlylearningalliance.org

Backbone Organization: United Way of Lane County

Serving Lane County



Priority Populations	Geographic Regions	Family Preferences
Children of color	• Regional	 Black or indigenous people of color (BIPOC) & Spanish-speaking staff Staff experienced and trained in providing trauma-informed care Culturally responsive and supportive programs and services Specialized training for teachers for supporting families and children of color to prevent suspension or expulsion Antiracism training for program staff Transportation Extended hours of care
Children who are emerging language learners	 Regional, with special focus on these districts with the highest concentration of families: Eugene – 4J SD Eugene – Bethel SD Springfield SD South Lane SD 	 Culturally relevant and linguistically appropriate family communications Culturally responsive and supportive curriculum BIPOC staff that speak Spanish Staff experienced and trained in providing trauma-informed care More school based programs for continuity of care Wraparound services Transportation Extended hours of care
Children with special needs	• Regional	 Specialized training for teachers for supporting children with big behaviors and other individual or special needs Staff experienced and trained in providing trauma-informed care Wraparound services Transportation Extended/more flexible hours of care
Children who live in rural/geographically isolated communities	 Regional, except for Eugene/Springfield metro area 	 Wraparound family support services Staff experienced and trained in providing trauma-informed care Transportation Extended hours of care Weekend care
Children living in socially complex families, including children of teen parents, parental incarceration or in treatment for substance abuse; parents who have cognitive limitations/intellectual disabilities; student parents	Regional	 Staff experienced and trained in providing trauma-informed care Wraparound family support services Culturally relevant and linguistically appropriate communication Transportation Extended hours of care