



QUALITY COUNTS

Striving for Five Star Early Learning



Child Care WAGES® Project Miami-Dade Supplement Scale

LEVEL	TEACHER, ASSISTANT TEACHER, FAMILY CHILD CARE PROVIDER	ANNUAL SUPPLEMENT
8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BA/BS ECE or CD • BA/BS in related field plus at least 24 credit hours in ECE or CD 	\$3,000
7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BA/BS in related field plus at least 18 credit hours in ECE or CD • 90 credit hours toward BA/BS ECE or CD 	\$2,250
6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AS/AAS ECE or CD • AS/AAS (in any field) plus at least 30 credit hours in ECE or CD • BA/BS with non-ECE or non-CD major 	\$1,500
5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 45 credit hours toward an AS/AAS ECE or CD • 45 credit hours in related field plus at least 18 credit hours in ECE or CD 	\$1,125
4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Early Childhood Certificate • AS/AAS with non-ECE or non-CD major • At least 70 credit hours of well-rounded "C" or above coursework (2.0 GPA) • 36 credit hours toward an AS/AAS ECE or CD • 36 credit hours in related field plus at least 12 credit hours in ECE or CD • 36 credit hours in related field plus a National CDA or Director Credential plus FCCPC, ECPC or CCAC 	\$750
3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 24 credit hours toward an AS/AAS ECE or CD 	\$600
2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 credit hours in ECE or CD • National CDA • Director Credential plus FCCPC, ECPC or CCAC 	\$450
1*	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Florida Child Care Professional Credential (FCCPC)† • Early Childhood Professional Certificate (ECPC) • Child Care Apprenticeship Certificate (CCAC) • 6 credit hours in ECE or CD 	\$200

All education awarded as Early Childhood Education or Child Development must be focused on children ages birth-5; documentation is required.

*Funding for level 1 on the scale is temporary. Teachers awarded at level 1 must obtain level 2 within two years in order to retain eligibility. Family child care providers must reach level 2 within three years for continued funding. Please contact the Child Care WAGES® FLORIDA Project with any questions regarding his policy.

BA: Bachelor of Arts
BS: Bachelor of Science
AAS: Associate of Applied Science
AS: Associate of Science

CDA: Childhood Development Associate
ECE: Early Childhood Education
CD: Child Development

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