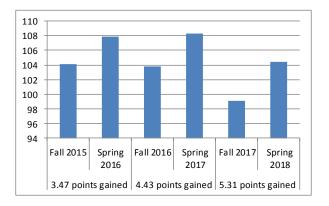
#### **Peabody Picture Vocabulary Test**

Our program participated this year in the Peabody Picture Vocabulary Test (PPVT) which aims to measure the early learning gains of 3 and 4 year old children. It also seeks to understand any differences in learning gains among subgroups of children, including age, gender, race, ethnicity, and language. Were seeing growth from the time they begin to the time they exit the program with extensive training in using the Shine curriculum.

#### CCSD Peabody Picture Vocabulary Test (PPVT) Gaines

Fall 2015- Spring 2018



## **Conscious Discipline**

**Conscious Discipline** (R) is a comprehensive classroom management program and a social-emotional curriculum. This past year our program was awarded \$19,000 to support the implementation of Conscious Discipline in our Head Start/ABC program within the first 6 weeks of starting school. These funds provided the opportunity for the Education Specialist and Mental Health Specialist to attend the Elevate Social Emotional Learning Conference. These funds also afforded the opportunity for a Certified Conscious Discipline trainer to come onsite and personalize the training for our teaching staff. While the Certified trainer was on site, she was able to provide a Parent Training to teach strategies and techniques for using Conscious Discipline at home. This grant provided great training for our teaching staff, parents and community.

# **Transition Information**

During the 2017-2018 school year <u>52</u> children were transitioned from Head Start and the Arkansas Better Chance (ABC) Program to Kindergarten.

CCSD-CCHS maintains a successful collaboration with all 3 elementary schools. Children are monitored from the time they enter kindergarten through 3rd grade. Parents are encouraged to be advocates for their children, and to be involved during their entire school career. Successful transitions are the key to continued educational achievement throughout a child's life.

## **Early Head Start**

In August of 2017, the renovation of the Rison EHS center was completed. This center is currently serving 32 children ranging in age from 6 weeks to 3 years of age.

In June of 2018, our program was awarded \$200,000 to expand the current Woodlawn HS facility in order to house these Early Head Start Children.

It is so exciting to see our program expand in order to better serve these 40 infants and toddlers.

## **Quality Indicators**

CCSD-CCHS and our child care centers are accredited by the Better Beginnings initiative administered by the Arkansas Department of Human Services. All 3 (three) of our centers located in Rison, Kingsland and Woodlawn have achieved a level 3 rating, which is the highest rating awarded.



Cleveland County School District Cleveland County Head Start ABC Program P.O. Box 600, 700 Main Street Rison, AR 71665 Phone: 870-325-6324 Fax: 870-325-6602

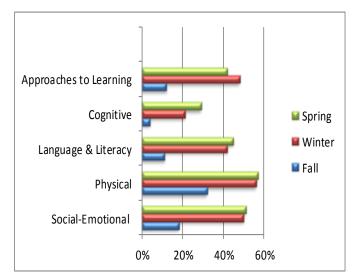
# End of the Year Highlights 2018



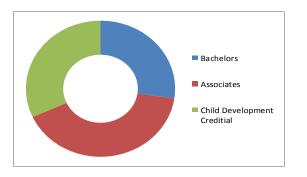
Our mission is to bring strong awareness on positive family and child outcomes. To close the achievement gap and to build a better future for children, families, and communities served by the Head Start program.



# School Readiness Skills for Head Start/ABC 2017-2018



# Meeting Teacher Requirements

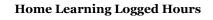


# **Community Outreach**

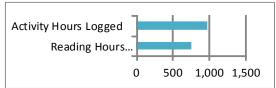
Head Start Staff are very active in Community Outreach. We have staff involved in a number of community and faithbased organizations. We currently have members serving and holding offices in the following organizations: Rison Lions Club, Woodlawn Community Park Association, Single Parent Scholarship Fund of Cleveland County, Rison Booster Club, Care Coordinating Counsel, Cleveland County Park Association Board, and various church organizations.

#### Way to Go Parents!

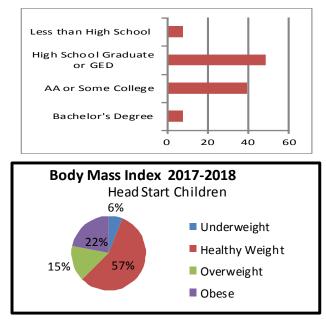
With an enrollment of 108 children and 100 families throughout the county, CCSD-Cleveland County Head Start involves parents in all aspects of our program. Parent involvement is crucial during the early childhood years and throughout a child's education. Parents are encouraged to volunteer and are always welcome in the classrooms. As part of our mission to involve parents in their child's education, home learning logs were sent out weekly encouraging reading and activities at home.



#### Proud of these results for 2017-2018!!



# **Parent Education Levels**



#### CCSD Audit Findings for 2017-2018

Internal Control-Misstatements not detected by

Internal Control System.

Performance Bond not purchased for EHS renovations.

# **Enrollment—Funding**

ABC Program for School Success40 slotsAfter School (2:30-5:30)27 SlotsEarly Head Start48 Slots

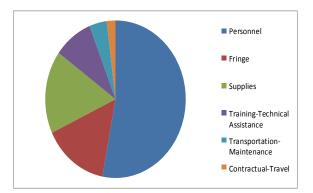
Total Number of families served 109 BRAD services started August 2017

For the 2017-2018 School Year our average enrollment percentage was **100%**, and average daily attendance was at **87%**.

Head Start Funding	\$691,618
Head Start In-Kind Match	\$172,905
ABC Funding	\$194,400
ABC In-Kind Match	\$ 129,600
CCDF	\$88,584
Early Head Start (UAPB)	\$ 46,072
Early Head Start (BRAD)	\$700,008

CCSD Head Start maintains a waitlist of approximately 35 children. Early Head Start maintains a waitlist of approximately 25 children.

# Head Start Budget



# Mandatory Screenings Completed

Physical Exams Completed	112
Dental Exams Completed	123
Children up-to-date on Immunizations	128
Hearing & Vision Screenings Completed	128