

Early Childhood Education and Care in Jackson County

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Age Birth to 3 Yrs.

Shawnee Healthy Families

Voluntary, free parent education and support program that offers home visiting to eligible first-time parents (and some second-time parents). Home visiting offers new parents support around pregnancy, child development, parenting, school readiness, health, and community resources. Eligible parents may enroll and begin receiving services during pregnancy or by the time their child is three months old.

Shawnee Healthy Families

Call (618) 519-9466 for more information

State Funded Birth- Three Programs

State-funded child development and family support services for expectant parents and families with children from birth to age 3 to help them build a strong foundation for learning and to prepare children for later school success. Contact the school district in which you live, if listed below, to see if your child is eligible. Most services are provided in center-based programs and/or home visits. These programs are administered by:

Carbondale Elementary District 95 (618) 457-3591

Child Development Laboratories-SIUC (618) 453-4271

Unity Point School District 140 (618) 529-4151 ext 201

Carbondale Family Literacy at CCHS Parents as Teachers 618-549-8232 ext 326

Ages 3 -5 Yrs.

State Funded Pre-K Programs

ISBE-funded Pre-Kindergarten programs are located in individual school districts across the county. Schedule options vary. A child must be eligible for the program and live in the school district in which he/she is enrolling.

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Parrish School- Carbondale District 95 (618) 457-5781
Giant City Elementary School (618) 457-5391
Southern Region Early Childhood Programs (618) 453-4271 Programs located in Elverado, Giant City, Murphysboro, and Trico School Districts, along with the Child Development Laboratories in Carbondale
Unity Point School District 140- Carbondale (618) 529-4151

SIUC Head Start

Federally funded comprehensive early learning program for income-eligible families. Full and part-day options are available. Children must be three by September 1 of the year they are enrolling and not yet old enough for kindergarten. Transportation is available.

Locations in Carbondale and Murphysboro (618) 453-6448

Private Preschools

Carbondale New School (618) 457-4765
Presbyterian Child Development Preschool (618) 529-1264
Trinity Christian School (618) 529-3733

ExceleRate Circle of Quality-Child Care Programs

Gold Circle of Quality

Murry's Child Development Center
Serves Infants through School-Age Full Day- Full Year
(618) 867-2441

Licensed Child Care Centers

Carbondale

Hannah House
(618) 457-8801
6 wks to 12 yrs.

Rainbow's End
(618) 453-6358
6 wks- 6 yrs

Archway, Inc.-Special Needs
(618) 549-4442

Kids Korner School Age Only
(618) 457-7356

Lighthouse Learning Academy

6 wks. To 12 yrs.
[\(618\) 559-8257](tel:6185598257)

Murphysboro
Kids Day Out
(618) 687-5463

Montessori School of Southern Illinois
6 wks to 6 yrs.
618-687-4202

Licensed Family Child Care Homes

For an updated list of licensed family child care providers please call CCR&R at 1-800-548-5563

Did you know? You May Be Eligible for Help with Your Child Care Costs.
This may include paying family and friends who provide care for your child(ren).
The Illinois Child Care Assistance Program (CCAP) makes it possible for families and guardians who qualify to receive financial help with childcare costs.

For more information go to: <https://www.ccrjalc.com>

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