

"PREPARING CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES
FOR SUCCESS IN SCHOOL AND THROUGHOUT
LIFE"



SOUTHERN OREGON
HEAD START

ANNUAL REPORT
2021-2022



Dear Stakeholders,

It is my pleasure to present to you the Southern Oregon Head Start Annual Report. As the Executive Director of this organization, I am proud to share our achievements and progress over the past year.

Our team has worked tirelessly to provide high-quality early childhood education and family support services to families in Southern Oregon. We believe that every child deserves a strong foundation for success in life, and we are committed to providing the resources and support necessary to achieve that goal.

In the past year, we have expanded our services to reach more families in need. We have also implemented new programs and initiatives to better support the needs of our communities. Our dedicated staff has worked diligently to ensure that our programs meet the highest standards of quality and effectiveness.

We are grateful for the support of our partners and stakeholders who have contributed to the success of our organization. Your commitment to early childhood education and family support is essential to the success of our mission.

As we look to the future, we remain committed to providing the highest quality services to families in need.

We will continue to innovate and expand our programs to meet the changing needs of our communities.

Thank you for your ongoing support of Southern Oregon Head Start. Together, we can make a positive impact on the lives of children and families in our communities.



Katherine Clayton
Executive Director

OUR STORY



Southern Oregon Child and Family Council, Inc. (SOCFC) has provided services to families facing economic hardships in Jackson and Josephine counties for over 50 years; in Jackson County since 1967 and in Josephine County since 1989. In 1995 Southern Oregon Child and Family Council, Inc. became the first grantee in the state of Oregon to provide Early Head Start (EHS) services.



Currently Southern Oregon Head Start serves a total of 946 children and their families. In the Head Start (3-5) program we serve 781 children and their families, and 164 infants, toddlers and pregnant woman in the Early Head Start (0-3) program. Over the last 6 years on average, 5,000 children from the ages of 0-5 qualify each year for Head Start and Early Head Start Services.

Children who attend Early Head Start and Head Start are given opportunities to learn and to grow, socially, emotionally, and physically. They also receive free healthy meals and snacks, health, dental and developmental screenings and enjoy playing and learning in a safe, educational setting with qualified, caring teachers. Accommodations are also offered to meet the special needs of children who experience disabilities.



OUR PROGRAMS



HEAD START

Children ages 3 to 5 who attend free Head Start preschool are given opportunities to learn and to grow socially, emotionally, and physically. They also receive free, healthy meals and snacks, health and dental screenings and enjoy playing and learning in a safe, educational setting. Accommodations are also offered to meet the special needs of children who experience disabilities.

LISTO

LISTO is a literacy program for the entire family under one roof, supporting all family members with their educational needs and goals. LISTO promotes bilingual literacy through:

- A supportive pre-school environment in Spanish for 3, 4, and 5 year-olds
- Early learning for infants and toddlers in a culturally and developmentally appropriate environment Multi-age homework support and college readiness for school-age siblings
- English as a Second Language (ESL) and INEA-basic literacy classes in Spanish for parents.

EARLY HEAD START

Creating a good impact report means being transparent with your audience. Back up your claims with relevant data. Keep your sentences concise when necessary, but dive into detail when it comes to qualitative and quantitative evidence. Remember: an impact report is a combination of understanding your mission, your work, and your audience, and communicating that clearly with the rest of the world.

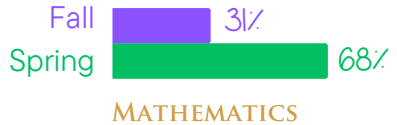
THE FAMILY CONNECTION

We believe parenting education is the first form of preventative care to shield children from adverse childhood experiences. The Family Connection Program is designed to connect parents with classes, workshops and events that teach child development, self-care, nutrition, resources and more.

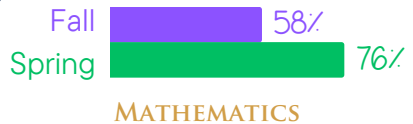
SCHOOL READINESS



HEAD START



EARLY HEAD START



HEALTH STATS



92% of all children up to date on all medical exams

84% of infants and toddlers up to date on preventive oral health care

21% of children received mental health consultation services

FAMILY ENGAGEMENT



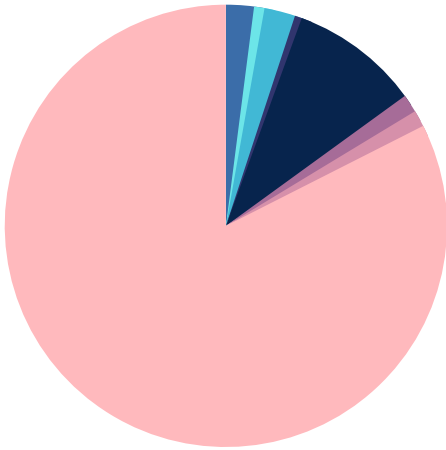
- Parenting Education Classes
- Parent Leadership Opportunities
- Monthly Parent Connections
- Parent Internships
- Parent Scholarships



THE NUMBERS



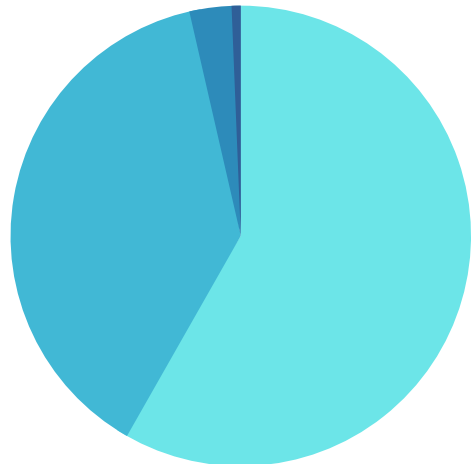
EXPENDITURES 2022



Personnel & Fringe Benefits	\$17,946,497
Furniture & Equipment	\$262,430
Supplies	\$288,031
Occupancy	\$2,052,418
Transportation	\$112,312
Food Service	\$492,056
Child & Family Services	\$165,648
Other	\$442,915
Total:	\$21,762,307

REVENUE 2022

Federal	\$12,562,601
State of Oregon	\$8,237,445
Foundations	\$636,418
Local Contributions & Volunteer Time	\$137,979





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