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NOTEWORTHY

Count 5!

With support from The School Foundation, the Office of School Readiness leads a district-wide Count 5! Public Awareness Campaign designed to remind, encourage, and inspire parents and caregivers to instill five daily habits in the lives of young children in order to prepare them for school and life. These habits are:

- Sleep
- Movement
- Nutrition
- Routine
- Love



ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

Our Belief

We believe that children learn best through a creative environment, education in social-emotional skills, opportunities to engage in play and movement, and participation in a diverse community.

Our Vision

- we see our students joyfully reaching their potential.
- we see our school thriving as an excellent, diverse, inclusive, and connected community.
- we see our staff partnering with parents and caregivers to provide quality care and meaningful learning experiences.
- we see our world made more hopeful because of our Childhood Development Center community.

Faculty & Staff

100% of our faculty are certified for their particular program and complete many hours of training annually to refine their practice.



WOODS ROAD CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER

1400 Woods Rd
Florence SC 29501

843-799-6006

ENROLLMENT

200

DIRECTOR

Flicka
McBratney

MISSION

In a diverse and inclusive community, Woods Road Childhood Development Center prepares and inspires students to lead authentic, purposeful lives through play, movement, and social-emotional learning.

The Woods Road Child Development Center Preschool Program offers classes for 3 and 4-year-old children, including children with disabilities. The curriculum is dedicated to traditional play-based preschool and Montessori classrooms and includes a variety of opportunities for children to learn through movement, including such activities as an Inclusive Playground, Sand Play area, Water Play area, Trike, Wagon and Scooter Path, and Nature Walk.

Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Speech Therapy are also offered at Woods Road, and a full-time nurse is on staff.

R.N. BECK CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER

1001 W Sumter St
Florence SC 29501

843-758-6876

ENROLLMENT

150

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MISSION

In a diverse and inclusive community, RN Beck Childhood Development Center prepares and inspires students to lead authentic, purposeful lives through play, movement, and social-emotional learning.

The R.N. Beck Child Development Center Preschool Program offers classes for 4-year-old children, including children with disabilities. The curriculum is dedicated to traditional play-based preschool and Montessori classrooms and features a disabilities program with a sensory classroom.

An inclusive playground and extended natural play area are adjacent to the classrooms, and the center employs a full-time nurse.

PARENT EDUCATION PROGRAM

Parent-Child Plus (income-based): focuses on language development of 2-3 year olds through interaction with educational books and toys.

Family Intervention Services (need based): goal-oriented program for families of children ages 2-3 years with developmental delays or learning difficulties