



## Program: Support Your Local Early Childhood Programs

- **Geographic Scope:** Nevada –Statewide
- **Project Focus**
  - ✓ Early Childhood Development
  - ✓ Parent, Teacher and Community support

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### Program Mission

Assist local early childhood providers through several ways, including sharing your business expertise and/or resources, providing volunteers for special events, mentoring, or providing financial or in-kind support.

### Program Description

Strong Start Nevada will help locate and foster a connection between local early childhood program and your business.

### Benefits

After your business has engaged with a local program, set up a meeting with the director or send an e-mail asking if they support you gave them was helpful and useful. Ask them if there is anything else you can help them with or any suggestions for improvement in the process.

### Program Services

The services that you offer to local providers will depend on the type of business and amount of time your business can commit. The following are a few examples of how a business can support a provider:

- ✓ A dentist providing free dental check-ups for the children.
- ✓ A pediatrician doing a wellness check-up on all the children.
- ✓ Giving books to a local provider.
- ✓ Offering free printing for a provider.
- ✓ A sports business donating some activity gear like basketball and jump ropes to the children and/or

teaching a sports related class.

- ✓ A computer business donating a computer or software for the children and teachers to use.
- ✓ Chefs or Nutritionists helping a provider come up with a healthy weekly meal for the children.
- ✓ HR Company providing insight/HR resources to a provider.
- ✓ Accounting firm donating accounting services.
- ✓ Manager providing management training.
- ✓ Marketing company assisting with a provider's marketing campaigns.
- ✓ Graphic Designer helping to create logo and graphics.

## **Logistics**

Contact Jared or Kaia to express interest in supporting an early childhood provider. We will discuss ways your business may be able to offer support and connect with an early childhood provider in your community.

## **Cost**

Costs can vary depending on the time and materials that your business chooses to donate to local providers.