

North Star Child Development Center



Learn



Grow



Play



Engage



North Star!

An Inclusive Child Care Center in Coeur d'Alene - Enrolling now for Summer and Fall Programs!

Why create an **"Inclusive"** child care center?

- Children with disabilities benefit from interacting with neuro-typical children
- Children with disabilities require highly structured environments and well trained caregivers
- Typically developing children benefit from exposure to individuals with special needs by gaining understanding and acceptance of diversity
- Most importantly, an all inclusive environment proves that friendships will develop regardless of shape, size or ability
- Our program inspires all students to close their eyes and look with their hearts to see the true beauty of a person
- **Everyone benefits from diversity!**



North Star's **"Quality"** Program

- Our highly trained staff has a profound understanding of child development and uses this knowledge to nurture and cultivate each child's ability to reach their highest potential
- Inclusive classroom environment including General Education, Developmental Therapy and IBI
- Individualized lessons to target specific areas of strength and need
- Exceeds safety and cleanliness standards
- ICCP Provider
- Idaho Stars Training for continued education
- Parent involvement is incorporated into our program including daily communication logs and linking families to community resources
- Formal developmental assessments
- Universally designed program to meet the needs of all of our children
- Research validated methods and curricula
- Meals provided through the USDA Food Program
- Holistic approach to all styles of learning including hands-on experiences and individualized curriculums
- We encourage a love for lifelong learning and equip every student with the tools to fully develop their unique capacities

"To the world you may be one person, but to one person you may be the world" - Chanel Bell

Now Enrolling for Summer and Fall Classes!

Toddler/Woddlar

- ✓ Enriched learning environment
- ✓ Activities that encourage exploration and discovery
- ✓ Potty training program
- ✓ Programs to support the development of play and social skills

Pre School

- ✓ Pre-academics including letter and number theory
- ✓ Turn-taking and sharing activities that promote successful social skills
- ✓ Structured schedule for enhanced learning
- ✓ Ongoing formal assessments

Pre Kindergarten

- ✓ Early literacy skills
- ✓ Multi-sensory approach to number theory
- ✓ Activities that encourage positive peer interactions
- ✓ Develop self-help and problem solving skills
- ✓ Small group lessons
- ✓ Ongoing formal assessments

Kindergarten/1st Grade

- ✓ Full day program!
- ✓ Research validate curricula
- ✓ Hands-on science activities
- ✓ Low student to teacher ratio
- ✓ Small group lessons
- ✓ Exceed state education standards
- ✓ Quarterly formal assessments

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