

## YVEDDI Head Start Annual Refunding Application Approval February 2021

We are requesting approval to apply for our annual refunding grant. This year the amounts are as follows:

PA 22	Regular Operations	\$2,754,761	(funded enrollment 347)
PA 20	T & TA	\$36,048	
Total Funding		\$2,790,809	

### Program Goals: No change

#### Increase the implementation of The Creative Curriculum and Teaching Strategies Gold

- Objective 1: Provide additional training to staff
- Objective 2: Implement the Fidelity Tool for Administrators and the Fidelity Tool Teacher Checklist

#### Ensure that each child is prepared for success in the public school environment

- Objective 1: Use social/emotional strategies to prepare children for kindergarten
- Objective 2: Increase parent knowledge of developmental and social/emotional milestones

#### Provide support for current health issues in our communities

- Objective 1: Increase awareness of the current opioid epidemic
- Objective 2: Increase awareness of the issue of obesity in children and adults

#### Strengthen mental health awareness and services

- Objective 1: Maintain network of medical professionals as resources for children, families and staff
- Objective 2: Provide ongoing training for staff regarding child mental health and behavioral concerns

#### Pursue Relocation of Red Hill Creek Site (Dobson, NC) (continued goal)

- Objective 1: Assess community to determine future need of classroom at current location or in a location in a nearby community
- Objective 2: Research and identify a new location site in an area better suited to meet enrollment
- Objective 3: Make plans for renovation of site (if needed) and pursue licensure to open new facility

#### Increase parent knowledge of what resources are available in their community

- Objective 1: Provide additional resources and information pertaining to the Family Needs Assessment, the Family Partnership Agreement, and the Parent Interest Survey
- Objective 2: Enhance Parent resource areas at Family Advocate offices and classrooms