

Family Child Care Approved Curriculum List

<i>Curriculum</i>	<i>Curriculum Description</i>	<i>Publisher</i>
<p>The Creative Curriculum® for Family Child Care, Second Edition</p> <p>**or most recent edition</p>	<p><i>The Creative Curriculum® for Family Child Care</i> is a research-based, comprehensive curriculum that addresses the unique strengths and challenges of family child care. It helps family child care providers design high-quality home-based programs that are responsive to the needs of children from birth to age 12. The curriculum explains all aspects of a developmentally appropriate program while offering choices and encouraging flexibility.</p> <p>Volume 1: The Foundation begins with the theories and research behind the curriculum and then addresses how children develop and learn, ideas for setting up the learning environment, strategies for building positive relationships, and benefits of building partnerships with families.</p> <p>Volume 2: Routines and Experiences discusses the importance of routines as an avenue for learning and offers guidance on a wide range of experiences for children, including the selection and display of materials and ways to interact with children of different ages.</p>	<p>Teaching Strategies, Inc.</p> <p>http://www.teachingstrategies.com</p> <p>Toll Free Phone: 800-637-3652 Local Phone: 301-634-0818 Fax: 301-634-0825 OR 301-634-0826</p>
<p>Building a HighScope Program: Family Child Care Programs</p>	<p>The HighScope curriculum for family child care programs teaches family child care providers to successfully adapt their homes into learning spaces, work with a mixed-age group, find time to observe children and develop lesson plans, find suitable professional development opportunities, and address many other challenges unique to family child care.</p> <p>This curriculum tells you what you need to know to plan your program, answers frequently asked questions, and provides tips, strategies, and practical examples from actual providers to help you deal with specific challenges that may arise. It also</p>	<p>Ordering Instructions for Publications</p> <p>—</p> <p>Web orders: Online store Phone: Call 800.40.PRESS Fax: 800.442.4FAX E-mail: Press@highscope.org</p>

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	includes a brief overview of the active learning approach, sample daily routines, a step-by-step implementation guide for getting started with HighScope, and information on related HighScope resources.	
The PITC Curriculum	<p>Enhancing the relationship-based, responsive approach to early care promoted by the Program for Infant/Toddler Care (PITC), new <i>PITC Curriculum</i> planning tools and strategies support the efforts of family care providers and center-based teachers to facilitate high-quality individualized learning and healthy development for children from 0-3.</p> <p>Unique to the <i>PITC Curriculum</i> is a planning process based on reflection, observation, and documentation of play and learning that respects each child's developing abilities, individual strengths and needs, family culture(s), and language(s). This planning process helps teachers deepen understanding, share meaning, support learning, and strengthen meaningful, caring relationships with infants and toddlers.</p>	<p>WestEd</p> <p>https://www.wested.org/resources/pitc-curriculum/</p>