Bussey Center for Early Childhood Education

Eligibility Points

2025-2026

Criteria Point rating scale:

Category	Points	Category	Points	Category	Points
Teen Parent	100 pts	Returning child	75 pts	100% Above Poverty	0 pts
Single Parent	40 pts	Parent in prison	75 pts	50% Above Poverty	5 pts
Foster Parent	125 pts	Referral (early intervention)	50 pts	25% Above Poverty	15 pts
Two Parent Family	10 pts	Homeless/Temporarily displaced	125 pts	Just above poverty	25 pts
Group Home	10 pts	Dual Custody	10 pts	Just below poverty	75 pts
Grandparent	100 pts	Suspected disability	75 pts	25% Below Poverty	100 pts
Certified IEP	100 pts	Waiting list	100 pts	50% Below Poverty	125 pts
Non-English	45 pts	Essential Worker	50 pts	75% Below Poverty	150 pts
Certified IFSP	125 pts	Child transitioned from EHS to HS	75 pts	Public Assistance (TANF, SSI, SNAP)	200 pts
		Expectant Teen	150 pts	0-12 months	140 pts
				12-36 months	135 pts
				3-4 years	125 pts
				4-5 years	115 pts