

# **Leadership Meeting Notes**

Date: 10/20/2022

## **Referral Documentation Form:**

- All Program Partners will fill out the Referral System Documentation form on the second Wednesday of every month
- A Reminder email will be sent out at the beginning of each month with the link attached
- Use the numbers from the previous month
- Open seats form will be emailed to all program partners shortly after the second Wednesday of each month
  - Purpose is to inform parents of which Program Partners may or may not have availability in certain age groups that parents are inquiring about

## **October 1 Child Count:**

- The October 1 Child Count template was emailed to Program Partners on Wednesday,
  September 28th
- Deadline for Program Partners to submit October 1 child count to Lead Agency was Friday, October 7th
- Lead Agency has submitted the St Martin Parish Network's October 1 child count to the LDOE on October 11th

# **CLASS**:

- All St Martin Parish observations have been submitted to Lead Agency and are in the EC Portal
- Third Party and local observations have begun
- 10% of classes must be shadow scored for each observation period which totals 8 classes for St Martin Parish
  - o 77 classes in St Martin Parish
    - i. 9 infant classes
    - ii. 29 Toddler classes
    - iii. 39 PreK classes
      - 1. Shadow observations for Fall
        - a. 2 in Early Head Start/Head Start
        - b. 4 in Child Care Centers
        - c. 3 in School System
        - d. 3 in Family Child Care Provider homes
- An email to all observers were sent out on October 4th
  - LDOE Fall 2022 Local Observation Protocol Guidance
  - St Martin Parish Local CLASS observer Protocol and Guidance
  - St Martin Parish Local Observation Protocol Plan
  - CLASS observation Conflict of Interest
  - Guide for Shadow Scoring CLASS observations (LDOE and Local)
  - 2022 Observer Protocol and Guidance Questionnaire (due October 21)

- Calibration Exercises
  - A link and instructions for completing the calibration exercise will be sent to all observers in November
    - i. Deadline to complete Fall Calibration is December 2nd
- St Martin Parish Local CLASS Observer Protocol and Guidance
  - o 22 CLASS observers in St Martin Parish
    - i. 5 district staff
    - ii. 5 Child Care directors/designee
    - iii. 8 Primary principal/assistant principal
    - iv. 4 Head Start center managers/staff members
  - Discussion of the CLASS Observer Protocol and Guidance was discussed

# **Information from LDOE:**

- REMINDER: Renew Your Early Childhood Ancillary Certificate (ECAC) to Continue Eligibility for School Readiness Tax Credits (SRTCs)
  - Teach LA Live
- NEW: Director and Family Child Care Levels and Parent Forms for School Readiness Tax Credits (SRTCs)
- Early Childhood Child Care Parent Poll
  - o <u>Survey</u>
- Monthly LDOE Early Childhood Connection Newsletter
  - <u>Link</u> to subscribe
- Free Tax Consultation for Type III and CCAP-Certified Family Child Care Providers
  - <u>Link</u> to sign up

- Free One-On-One Business Consultation and Coaching for Type III Early Learning Centers and CCAP-Certified Family Child Care Providers
  - <u>Link</u> to sign up

## **Performance Profiles**

- Preliminary site and network Performance Profile results were released on Friday,
  September 16 to Lead Agencies
  - Each program partner was emailed their Preliminary results on Tuesday, October
    11
- Performance Profiles will be published on Louisianaschools.com website (date not yet determined)

# **Ready Start Network:**

- October 13 Meeting Review
  - Miss Lisa LaRochelle with Family Tree presented information on social-emotional development
- Community Events where information about Ready Start Network was discussed
  - Parish Council Meeting
  - National Night Out
- Initiative Updates
  - Site Tours scheduled for November 9th
  - o Little Free Libraries have begun being made

- Goal 4 Replacement
  - Voting took place
    - i. Family Engagement event
    - ii. 6 hours of PD

#### **Coordinated Enrollment Plan**

- Due to LDOE on December 2, 2022
- Questions/Information needed to complete plan
  - Maximize System Capacity
  - Coordinated Informational Campaign
  - How is our network reaching families that fall into certain categories such as homelessness, foster, home language not English
  - Coordinated Eligibility Determination for each program
  - Coordinated Application, Matching, and Registration
  - Coordinated Family Support
- Google survey will go out to all Program Partners on Monday, October 24 asking about Coordinated Enrollment Campaign information and due back to Lead Agency by Monday, November 7

# **Upcoming Events/Deadlines:**

- October 21 CLASS observer google questionnaire due
- October 21 Powerpoint slides from today's meeting will be sent to EC Leadership Team
- October 24 Coordinated Enrollment Campaign google survey will go out
- October 28 St Martin Parish Lead Agency to submit October 1 Child Count to LDOE
- November 1 Calibration Exercise email to all observers

- November 7 Program Partners: deadline to submit responses to Coordinated Enrollment Campaign google survey
- November 9 Program Partners: submit Monthly Referral Documentation data
- December 2 Fall Calibration exercise due from CLASS observers
- December 14 Program partners: submit Monthly Referral Documentation data
- December 15 St Martin Parish Early Childhood Network Leadership Meeting
  - o Face to Face is highly recommended but google meet will be offered