



# Ready-To-Go News to Shine Your STARS

***Quality Benefit: Stronger Communities***

***Topic: Less Spending/More Revenue***

## **Helping Our Community**

When children receive quality early childhood education, they develop the skills they need for future job success. They not only learn their ABCs and 123s, they also discover values like personal responsibility and taking pride in their work. Down the road, this can strengthen our community through less spending on crime control and public assistance, as well as more taxes being paid by well-employed workers. Research shows that every \$1 invested in high-quality early education saves taxpayers up to \$7.

We know that quality helps your child, your family, and our community. This is just one of the reasons why we have worked to become a Keystone STAR {**Number**} quality-rated program.

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