



Denver Public Schools - Early Education Department

2018 RFP Application Rubric for CPP/ECARE and Mill Levy Preschool Community Site Funding Slots

Agency Name:			
Category	Points per section	Maximum Number of Points Possible Per Category	Comments:
Quality		13	
▪ Colorado Shines Level 1 Rating or	1		
▪ Colorado Shines Level 2 Rating or	2		
▪ Colorado Shines Level 3/4 Rating or NAEYC Accredited	6		
▪ Head Start/Early Head Start	2		
▪ Continuous Improvement Plan	2		
Capacity Building***		6	
▪ Serve Children with Special Needs	3		
▪ Increase Partnerships	1		
▪ Programming Changes	1		
▪ Serve more children	1		
Programming		6	
▪ Year-round	3		
▪ Extended-day	3		
Serve Children with High Needs*		8	
▪ Serve 1-2 categories or	2		
▪ Serve up to 4 categories or	4		
▪ Serve up to 6 categories or	6		
▪ Serve more than 6 categories	8		
Professional Development Plan		5	
▪ up to 5 points will be allocated based on the extent of the P.D. plan including coaching, planning and training time during the paid week, providing on-site training, and opportunities for external training	1-5		
Partnerships		12	
▪ Family Engagement— up to 6 points will be awarded based on the extent and quality of family engagement practices such as:	1-6		
▫ Parent meetings			
▫ Parent education			
▫ Programmatic involvement			
▫ Volunteer opportunities			
▪ Participate regularly in community group focused on early childhood education	2		
▪ Community Partnerships** – Up to 4 points will be awarded based on the extent and quality of partnership programs that are in place to add to the quality of programming	1-4		
TOTAL POINTS		50	

*Children with High Needs are defined as: low income (185% FPL), children with disabilities/delays, ELL, migrant, homeless, foster care, parent without HS diploma/GED, teen parent, drug/alcohol abuse, domestic violence, and social/emotion challenges. Community risk factors (zip codes).

**Community Partnerships are defined as: partnering and collaborating with community agencies and organizations to provide services to High Needs children: letter of collaboration, written agreement, Memorandum of Understanding, contract.

***Application should detail the plans for enhancing capacity due to this additional funding.