



West Kern Community College- Taft College Children's Center

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Program was rated in 2018 on the following:

Quality Ratings:

1

**LICENSED
AND IN GOOD
STANDING**

2

**BEGINNING
IMPLEMENTING**
Quality Standards

3

IMPLEMENTING
Quality Standards

4

MASTERING
High Quality Standards

5

EXCEEDING
High Quality Standards

TEACHER-CHILD RELATIONSHIPS

4

Scores high on providing:

- Emotional support
- An organized classroom
- Consistent schedules and routines

- Interactions that build vocabulary, critical thinking skills and curiosity
- Lessons that include children's experiences and ideas



ENVIRONMENT

3

Has been assessed on providing a safe, clean and enriching environment and has plan for improvements



CHILD SKILLS AND OBSERVATIONS

3

Uses state-approved tool to support children's learning and development



HEALTH & DEVELOPMENT

2

Ensures children receive annual vision and hearing tests or annual physical



TEACHER/CHILD RATIOS

4

Infant/Toddler:
3:12 or 2:8 ratio

Toddler:
2:10 ratio

Preschool:
3:24 or 2:20 ratio

TEACHER QUALIFICATIONS

4

Associate's degree in Early Childhood Education (ECE) **OR** Site Supervisor Permit + 21 hours of professional development



DIRECTOR QUALIFICATIONS

4

Bachelor's degree w/ 24 units ECE +8 units management/administration **OR** Program Director Permit + 21 hours of professional development

