



PARENT TIPS

WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN QUALITY CHILDCARE/PRESCHOOL



Is the staff qualified?

Do they have training or experience in early childhood? Do they go to workshops to continue their training?



How do the teachers interact with your child?

Do they talk with your child? Do they support your child's social and emotional growth? Do they guide children's behavior in a positive way? Do they encourage your child to learn, be creative and curious?



How is the classroom furnished?

What kinds of activities are offered? Are there materials accessible for children to do art, read, play dress-up, or play music? Is it clean? Do the children get to play outside daily?



How do they help get your child ready for kindergarten?

(emotionally, socially and academically).



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