



# NC Pre-K Standardized Site Selection Rubric

Site Name:	Facility License #	Site Status: <input type="checkbox"/> New Site <input type="checkbox"/> Existing Site <input type="checkbox"/> Previous NC Pre-K Site	
# of Pre-K Classrooms Requested:	# of Slots Requested:	Contract Year:	Rubric Total:

## 1. Program Standards (15 Points)

<i>Site Information (check ALL that apply)</i>	<i>Points</i>
Star Rated License: (See Sec. 4. A. NC Pre-K Program Requirements)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Five-Star	5 pts
<input type="checkbox"/> Four-Star	3 pts
<input type="checkbox"/> Temporary License (change of ownership/location, etc.)	1 pt.
<input type="checkbox"/> New site or existing sites with last ECERS-R rating <b>above 5.0</b>	3 pts
<input type="checkbox"/> Site has had <b>no substantiated Child Maltreatment Report</b> in the last 18 months	3 pts
<input type="checkbox"/> Site has had <b>no substantiated Facility Licensing Complaint</b> Report in the last 18 months	2 pts
<input type="checkbox"/> Site has had <b>no Administrative Action</b> in the last 18 months	2 pts
<b>Subtotal:</b>	

## 2. Education Standards (15 Points)

<i>Site Administrator (check one)</i>	<i>Points</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Administrator meets <b>Level III</b> Administrator qualification <i>or</i> Principal License with 5+ years of experience	5 pts
<input type="checkbox"/> Administrator meets <b>Level III</b> Administrator qualification <i>or</i> Principal License with 3-4 years of experience	4 pts
<input type="checkbox"/> Administrator meets <b>Level III</b> Administrator qualification <i>or</i> Principal License with 1-2 years of experience	3 pts
<input type="checkbox"/> Administrator meets <b>Level II</b> Administrator qualification (excludes existing NC Pre-K sites operating for more than 4 years)	2 pts
<input type="checkbox"/> Administrator meets <b>Level I</b> Administrator qualification (excludes existing NC Pre-K sites operating for more than 4 years)	1 pt.
<b>LEAD TEACHER(S):</b> For multi-classroom sites, use the <i>Teacher Education Worksheet</i> to rate each <b>lead teacher's</b> education, licensure level, and experience.	
<i>Transfer average total score here</i> →	
<b>TEACHER ASSISTANT(S):</b> For multi-classroom sites, use the <i>Teacher Education Worksheet</i> to rate each <b>assistant teacher's</b> education, licensure level, and experience.	
<i>Transfer average total score here</i> →	
<b>Subtotal:</b>	

## 3. Geographic, Accessibility and Affordability (35 Points)

<i>Screenings (check ALL that apply)</i>	<i>Points</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Existing or new site provides free <b>developmental</b> screenings for preschool children	3 pts
<input type="checkbox"/> Existing or new site provides free <b>hearing</b> screening for preschool children	2 pts
<input type="checkbox"/> Existing or new site provides free <b>dental</b> screening for preschool children	2 pts
<input type="checkbox"/> Existing or new site provides free <b>vision</b> screening for preschool children	2 pts



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<b>Support for Extended/Wrap-Around Care (check ALL that apply)</b>		<b>Points</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Site <b>provides</b> extended care <b>before AND after</b> the NC Pre-K day <b>AND</b> care on <b>teacher work days/holidays and/or summer</b>	<b>5 pts</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Site <b>accepts</b> subsidy vouchers for extended/wrap around care	<b>4 pts</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Site <b>provides</b> extended care <b>before AND after</b> the NC Pre-K day	<b>3 pts</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Site <b>provides</b> extended care <b>before OR after</b> the NC Pre-K day	<b>1 pt</b>	
<b>Nutrition (check one)</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> Site provides <b>free meals AND snack</b> for <b>all</b> NC Pre-K children	<b>4 pts</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Site provides <b>free meals</b> for <b>all</b> NC Pre-K children	<b>2 pts</b>	
<b>Transportation (check one)</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> Site provides transportation services at <b>no</b> cost	<b>5 pts</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Site provides transportation services at a <b>low</b> cost	<b>3 pts</b>	
<b>Location (check one) See Rubric Instructions Sheet, item 3.</b>		
The site is located in a <b>HIGH NEED</b> area	<b>5 pts</b>	
The site is located in a <b>MID NEED</b> area	<b>3 pts</b>	
The site is located in a <b>LOW NEED</b> area	<b>1 pt</b>	
	<b>Subtotal:</b>	
<b>4. Classroom and Family Support (27 Points)</b>		
<b>Curriculum and Instructional Assessment (check ALL that apply) See Rubric Instructions</b>		<b>Points</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Classroom staff <b>align</b> lesson plans and child learning experiences to <i>the NC Foundations for Early Learning and Development</i>	<b>3 pts</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Classroom staff align approved curriculum with <i>NC Foundations for Early Learning and Development</i>	<b>3 pts</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Classroom staff <b>conduct approved, ongoing formative assessments</b> to gather data to inform instruction and share with families	<b>3 pts</b>	
<b>Required Local Plans (check ALL that apply)</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> Site has a plan in place for communicating with children and families with <b>limited English proficiency</b>	<b>2 pts</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Site has a plan to prevent <b>suspension/expulsion</b> of children	<b>2 pts</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Site has a plan for <b>transition</b> to NC Pre-K and Kindergarten	<b>2 pts</b>	
<b>Family Engagement (check one)</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> Site provides <b>4 or more</b> recommended family engagement activities	<b>3 pts</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Site provides <b>1 to 3</b> recommended family engagement activities	<b>1 pt.</b>	
<b>Staff Compensation and Benefits (check one)</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> Site meets <b>NC Public School Salary Schedules AND provides benefits</b> (see Section 6)	<b>9 pts</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Site meets NC Public School Salary Schedules <b>but does not provide benefits</b> (see Section 6)	<b>6 pts</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Site meets NC Pre-K Program Requirements for <b>salary AND</b> provides <b>at least 4 benefit choices</b> (see Section 6)	<b>5 pts</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Site meets NC Pre-K Program Requirements for <b>salary AND</b> provides <b>1-3 benefit choices</b> (see Section 6)	<b>3 pts</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Site meets NC Pre-K Program Requirements for <b>salary ONLY</b> , no benefits (see Section 6)	<b>1 pt.</b>	



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	<i>Subtotal:</i>	
<b>5. OPTIONAL-Locally Determined Indicators (up to 8 pts)</b> <b>*Same criteria must be applied across all sites for consistency</b>		<b>Points</b>
Site has reached Stage 3 of the NAEYC Accreditation process		1 pt.
Site has Bilingual staff on site		3 pts.
At least 50% of site staff has completed Cultural Competence Training for CEUs or Contact Hours		3 pts.
Site staff has completed Inclusion training for CEUs or Contact Hours		1 pt.
	<i>Subtotal:</i>	

Subtotals from each section		
	Maximum Points	Points
<b>1. Program Standards</b>	<i>(15 Points)</i>	
<b>2. Education Standards</b>	<i>(15 Points)</i>	
<b>3. Geographic, Accessibility and Affordability</b>	<i>(35 Points)</i>	
<b>4. Classroom and Family Support</b>	<i>(27 Points)</i>	
<b>5. OPTIONAL-Locally Determined Indicators</b>	<i>(up to 8 pts)</i>	
<b>TOTAL POINTS</b>		

Rubric Completed by: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name

Date: \_\_\_\_\_