

Great Beginnings

An Early
Intervention
Program for
Children at risk of
Developmental
Delays



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What is Great Beginnings? Great Beginnings is an early intervention program for children from birth to three years old (up to age 6 at Lynn Center in Brentwood, when referred by a school district, after the child turns 3) who demonstrate developmental delays or who are at risk for such delays. Children may participate at one of our three preschool settings, or may receive individualized services at home or in the community.



What We Do: Great Beginnings helps children learn new skills using a combination of techniques specifically designed for each individual child. The goal of Great Beginnings is to work with families to help children learn the skills necessary so that they can successfully transition into the most appropriate typical school setting.

About Us: Great Beginnings began in 1965 at the Lynn Center as one of Contra Costa ARC's original programs, and has provided early intervention services to thousands of children in Contra Costa County. Our programs are family-focused. Interventions and strategies respect racial, ethnic, and cultural diversity as well as unique family differences. We recognize the family and professional partnership as the key to early intervention and preschool success.

What Services are Provided:

- Family Support
- Parent Counseling and Education
- Speech and Language Development
- Fine and Gross Motor Development
- Sensory Integration
- Social Development
- Self-Help Skills Development
- Transition Support

It's Easy to Reach Us!

Children in Great Beginnings are referred by the Regional Center of the East Bay and local school districts. For more information, contact:

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| Lynn Center | George Miller Center | George Miller Center |
| Brentwood | Concord | Richmond |
| 925.625.4918 | 925.646.5710 | 510.374.3981 |

Preschools operate daily, Monday through Friday. Hours vary by location. Services provided in the home or other community settings are on an hourly, one-to-one basis.

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