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PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

Metro Action Head Start Accepting Children for 2005-06 School Year

Head Start Program is Nashville's largest provider of early childhood education

Nashville--The Metropolitan Action Commission's Head Start program is currently enrolling children for its pre-school program for the 2005-2006 school year. The program accepts Davidson County children ages 3 and 4 years old in an effort to prepare them to enter Kindergarten.

Head Start, nationally known for its comprehensive approach to early childhood education, offers curriculum-based classroom instruction, nutritious meals, family support services, and special education partnerships for children with learning disabilities. Children that speak languages other than English are also welcome.

Metro Action Head Start has 8 Head Start facilities and funds 6 Head Start partner classrooms in day care facilities throughout Nashville, which enrolls 1,485 children.

To get more information on the program and income eligibility, please call 615-862-8860, Extension 140 or check out the website at www.nashville.gov/mac.

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