

Colorado Early Learning & Development Guidelines

Suggested Story Ideas

To illustrate the importance of the Colorado Early Learning and Development Guidelines to your communities, we recommend seeking out local stories to use with local media or as examples when you talk with people in your community.

Seek out stories that show examples of:

- Parents or caregivers using activities from the Guidelines with kids at home or in the community.
- Teachers or child care providers using activities from the Guidelines with kids in the classroom.
- Parents, caregivers, teachers or providers using activities from the Guidelines to better understand child development and when a child may need additional support.
- Parents, caregivers, teachers or providers using activities from the Guidelines to help children who are English Language Learners.

You can also look for examples of parents, caregivers and educators using child development best practices that are included in the Guidelines, regardless of whether or not they first heard about them by reading the Guidelines.

Also, keep an eye out for stories that have an emotional impact (e.g., students overcoming challenges, achieving a unique goal) with the help of these strategies.

Share your story online at share.earlylearningco.org.