Inside the Early Childhood Classroom

"Parents are their children's first and most influential teachers."











Vision Statement

"FOR EACH CHILD-SUCCESS"

Mission Statement

The Mission of Dzilth-Na-O-Dith-Hle
Community School
is to nurture, teach, and challenge our
students to reach their fullest
potential.

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FACE Program

Family And Child Education





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Overview of the Program

The FACE Program has served over 10,000 Native American families since it was begun in 1991 by the Office of Indian



Education. It is a family literacy program which allows parents to increase their skills so that

they may obtain their GED or prepare them to further their education in college, while their children learn in a near by classroom. Parents learn how to work with their children to prepare them for Kindergarten. Children learn how to work together to make wise choices, solve problems, follow directions and many other skills that will help them be good students. The native culture and language are essential components of the learning environment, teaching

practices and curriculum.

Home Based Services

- Serves families with children prenatal to age 5.
- Personal visits weekly or bi-weekly.
- Provide child development and parenting information in the home.
- Lessons incorporate parent and child activities.
- Developmental assessments twice a year.
- Children receive a book per month from Imagination Library.







Center-based Services

Adult Education Services

For parents and caregivers with children in the early childhood center or Grades K-3.

- Parenting Skills
- Adults work towards their goals
- PACT Time with their children
- Job, Life, and Computer Skills for Parent time
- GED/College Preparation
- Health and Fitness

Early Childhood Classroom is for children ages 3 to 5 yrs. old.

- Kindergarten Readiness/Transition
- Active Hands-On Learning
- Parent And Child Time- Parents come to the classroom daily to interact with their child through play and learning activities.
- Dialogic Reading-children gain knowledge in language development and vocabulary.
- Developmental Assessments
- Educational Field Trips

You' re never too old, too wacky, too wild, to pick up a book and read to a child.