

Parent Education Center

READY!
for Kindergarten

**Did you know that
kindergarten readiness
BEGINS AT BIRTH**

*Ready! is broken down into ages:
Birth to 1, 1 to 2, 2 to 3,
3 to 4, & 4 to 5 years old.*

*Then broken down into three
domains:
Language/Literacy,
Social/Emotional, and
Math Reasoning.*

*Each 1 1/2 hour workshop
PROVIDES YOU WITH FREE AGE
AND DEVELOPMENTALLY
APPROPRIATE MATERIALS
(ALL 3 WORKSHOPS COMBINED
PROVIDE YOU WITH OVER
\$200.00 WORTH OF MATERIALS)
AND THE WORKSHOPS
PROVIDE INSTRUCTIONS ON
HOW TO
"PLAY WITH A PURPOSE"*

**The Incredible Years -
14 week class**

- ♥ Want to build a better positive relationship with your child?
- ♥ Looking for more effective discipline?
- ♥ Need new ideas for helping your child to grow and learn in their social/emotional vocabulary and development?

**ALL CLASSES/WORKSHOPS
ARE FREE**

phone: 970-824-1081

**or email:
parented@connections4kids.org**

FREE Childcare is available



**2021
Christmas 4
Kids
Application**

**This program is brought to you
through the generous donations from
the citizens of the Moffat County
Community in conjunction with the
KRAI Holiday Drive and United Way.**

**Applications are available for
pick up beginning November 1st at:**

**Love, Inc. 656 School Street , Craig, CO
(970)826-4400**

Monday: 9:00 - 2:00 and 2:00 - 5:00

Tuesday: 9:00 - 12:00

Wednesday & Thursday: 2:00 - 5:00

Friday: 9:00-12:00 and 2:00 - 5:00

**Applications must be completed and returned
NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 6th.**

Newsletter

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**We thank you for your
continued support and
generosity through your
sponsorship of our annual
Cherish the Little Things
Art Show!**



**Mountain
Valley Bank**

Seasons of Giving

**In addition to providing
great financial services,
we give our time and
resources to help local
organizations that
positively impact our
friends and neighbors.**

**Steamboat Springs
2220 Curve Plaza
970-870-6550**

**This is compelling data on the
benefits of reading with and
encouraging your child to read.**

Starting in kindergarten, if a student reads 20 minutes a day at home, they will hear 1.8 million words per year. They will have read for 851 hours by 6th grade and on standardized tests, they will likely score better than 90% of their peers.

Helps in language development

From the time your child is born, reading out loud is a positive influence. As your child grows, daily reading will help the brain make connections between the written and spoken word, widening vocabulary in the process.

Promotes brain development

Educators have long said reading makes people smarter, and there's research backing them up. A recent study conducted by the American Academy of Pediatrics found reading to children of any age awakens a number of regions in the left part of the brain. The areas in the brain that become active involve understanding the meaning of words and concepts tied to memory.

Strengthens family relationships

There is nothing quite like reading together as a family. Whether you're flipping through picture books with your little one or sitting in the same room with older kids, each immersed in a piece of literature, these are times you remember.

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