

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The ELC-VPK-20 is the provider agreement between the Early Learning Coalition of Broward County, Inc. (ELC) and the School Board of Broward County (SBBC). The agreement defines District and ELC requirements and responsibilities for participation in the State’s Voluntary Prekindergarten (VPK) program. The District will receive payment (reimbursement) for instructional services provided to enrolled children based upon legislative appropriations found in the Office's Uniform Attendance Policy for Payment [Rule 6M-8.204, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.), and A Child's Attendance Certified by the Parent and Provider (Rule 6M-8.305, F.A.C.)].

SBBC will provide full-day (6 hour) and half-day (3 hour) VPK instructional models.

Program models include:

VPK Model	# of Instr. Hours Per Day	Funding	Participants
VPK Extended Day	3	State VPK	Students currently enrolled in Head Start 4-year-old classes
VPK/Enrichment (Fee Supported)	6	State VPK & Parent Fees	Parents can choose whole day or half day option
VPK/Enrichment (Title I Supported)	6	State VPK and Title I	In Title One schools or integrated classes
VPK/ESLS Integrated	6	State VPK and Preschool ESLS	Students with disabilities and typically developing students
Summer VPK	10*	Paid by State VPK funding	Students entering Kindergarten in Fall and have not used their VPK Certificate
Curriculum, health screenings, instructional supplies, furniture, consumable items, field trips, snacks and instructional support are provided by the Head Start/Early Intervention Department.			

* Summer VPK provides 300 total hours. The number of hours per day varies based upon the number of available summer days, the District’s work week, parent feedback and other District summer programs.