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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Androscoggin Head Start and Child Care announces openings in full day pre-kindergarten and child care program

Lewiston, ME (October 18, 2011)- Openings are available in Androscoggin Head Start and Child Care's Pre-Kindergarten and Child Care classrooms. We are accepting applications for children, ages 3 to 5, with families who live or work in Androscoggin County. Full day, full year centers are located in Lewiston and Auburn.

If you have previously applied to our program, please contact the Enrollment Office to update your information. If you have never applied, please contact Enrollment at 795-4040 to schedule an appointment.

Fees for our full day Pre-Kindergarten and Child Care program are low and are based on monthly gross income and family size. Breakfast, lunch and snacks are included. All programs emphasize physical, cognitive, social-emotional and educational development, with specific emphasis placed on preparing children to begin kindergarten. Children receive health and social services, and services for children with special needs are available if required. Full day, full year classrooms open at approximately 6:30 am and close at 5:30, Monday to Friday.

Androscoggin Head Start and Child Care has provided quality early care and educational services to pregnant women, families, and children for over forty-five years. Program options include Full Day Head Start pre-kindergarten and child care, Half Day Head Start pre-kindergarten, Home Based, Family Child Care, Infant and Toddler Early Head Start, and the Child and Adult Care Food Program. Services through these programs are provided annually to over four hundred children and families throughout Androscoggin County.

Applications for all programs are accepted at any time. Please call (207) 795-4040 ext. 325 for more information. Please visit our website at www.androscogginheadstart.org. Androscoggin Head Start and Child Care is a United Way funded and Lewiston and Auburn CDBG supported agency.

Photo Attachment: Head Start teacher Miss Darcy has fun on the playground with her students.



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