

# HOW BESE DISTRICT 1 IS DOING ON EARLY CARE AND EDUCATION



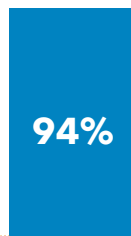
While early care and education **program quality** has improved, **birth to 3 access** to these programs **remains an issue in BESE District 1.**



Early care and education programs rank proficient or higher in quality.



Children birth to 3 served in BESE District 1



4-year-olds served in BESE District 1

**KEY:** ■ Birth to 3 Children In Need Served | ■ 4-Year-Olds In Need Served

Network	Publicly Funded Enrollment	Number of Programs	Proficient Programs	Children In Need Served
Louisiana	57378	1618	83% +15%	
Jefferson*	3970	125	73% +2%	
Orleans*	5525	154	79% +36%	
St. Tammany	1980	67	93% -4%	

\* Indicates Ready Start Network

Data Source: Site & Network Performance Profiles and Estimates of Children In Need, Louisiana Department of Education, 2019

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