

Santa Rosa School District Head Start and Early Head Start Programs



"Where Dreams Begin"



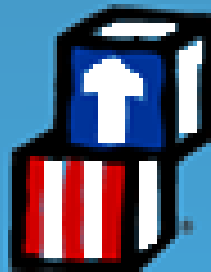
"A Tradition of Excellence"

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Happy 50th Year Anniversary Head Start





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HEAD START

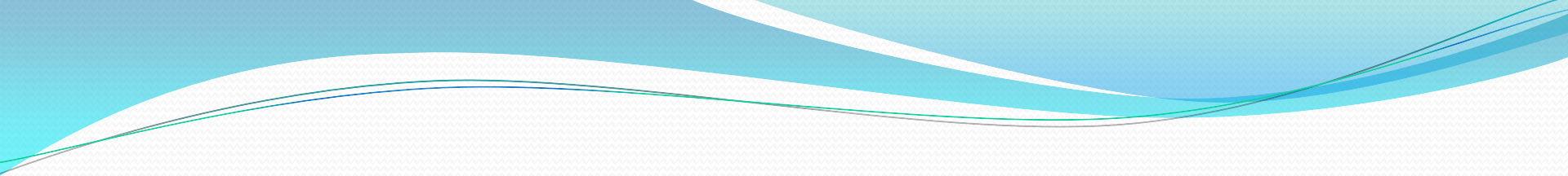
1965 – 2015



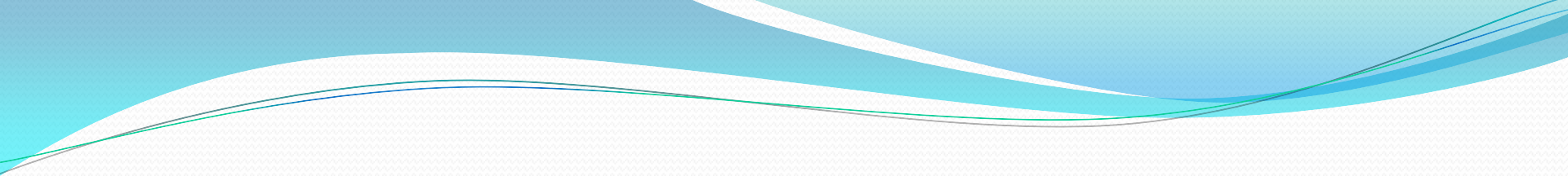
In January of 1964,
President Lyndon B. Johnson
declared

“The War on Poverty”

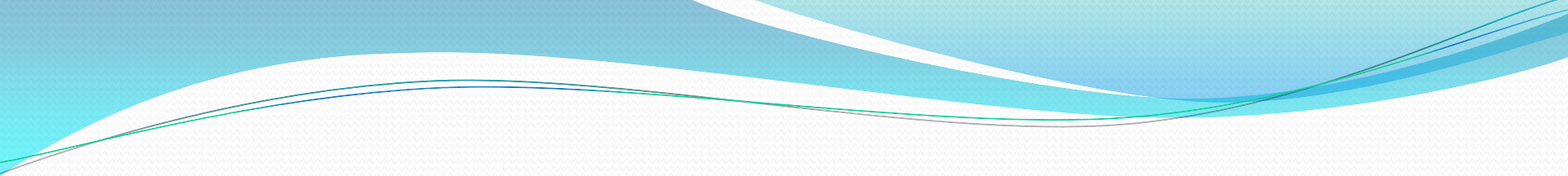
in his State of the Union speech.



Shortly thereafter, Sargent Shriver
took the lead in assembling
a panel of experts to develop a
comprehensive child development
program that would help communities
meet the needs of disadvantaged
preschool children.



“On May 18, 1965, it was a sunny, 70 degree Tuesday in the Rose Garden of the White House. President Lyndon Johnson announced **Project Head Start** and gave Sargent Shriver the go-ahead to enroll 100,000 children in the first Head Start programs.”



“No one really understood just how powerful the need for Head Start would be. By June, 1965, there were 2,700 Head Start programs and by the end of the summer, 560,000 Head Start children had been enrolled!”



"In the fifty years since, Head Start has given more than 31 million children an opportunity for success in school and in life. That is a remarkable national achievement, in which every member of the Head Start community should take pride."

Yasmina Vinci

Executive Director,
National Head Start Association



**Danny Kay “Lady Bird” Johnson, and Sargent Shriver
celebrate the first National Head Start Day, 1965**



"Lady Bird" Johnson reads to Head Start classroom in Washington, DC, 1966

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**Head Start/
Early Head Start**

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Region 7

YEARS
of **OPPORTUNITY**
HEAD START | 1965-2015

**Celebrate Head Start's
50th Anniversary!**

Delta Area Economic Opportunity Corporation
Head Start/Early Head Start in Missouri



Weslaco #1 Head Start in Texas celebrates the 50th anniversary!



Head Start for Kent County celebrates in Walker, Michigan



Russellville Center celebrated Red, White and Blue Day
in Russellville, Arkansas



Happy 50th Birthday Head Start from SIEOC
Head Start in Aurora, Indiana



Santa Rosa County Head Start/Early Head Start celebrates 50 years of Head Start

2014-2015

This school year marks the

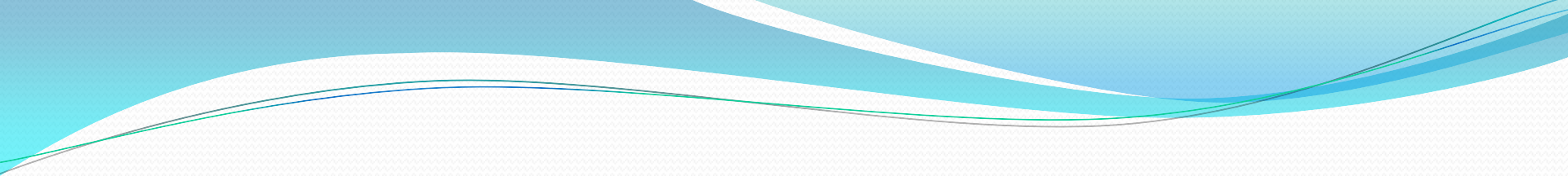
25th Year

of the

Santa Rosa County School
District

Head Start Program





We would like to
thank the School Board
and Superintendent for
your assistance in helping
to make this a successful
25 years of service for the
Head Start Program.

District Head Start & Early Head Start Locations



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Bagdad Elementary School

Mrs. Linda Gooch, Principal



Berryhill Elementary School

Mr. Roger Golden, Principal

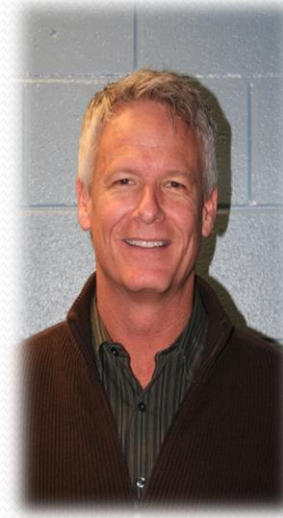
Mrs. Dawn Chapman, Assistant Principal



Central School

Mr. Sean Twitty, Principal

Mr. Charles Baxley, Assistant Principal



East Milton Elementary

Mrs. Terry Paschal, Principal

Ms. Alexandra Timmons, Assistant Principal



Ms. Alexandra
Timmons

Jay Elementary

Ms. Kelly Allen, Principal



West Navarre Intermediate

Mr. David Crissey, Principal

Mrs. Shana Dorsey, Assistant Principal



T.R. Jackson Pre-K School

Dr. Bettie Bonner, Pre-K Director





Thank you!!

We very much appreciate the school site administrators and staff who current host and have hosted the Head Start program over the years!

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Head Start

