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Child Development Center to Sponsor "Mini School Night"

The El Camino College Child Development Center is now accepting new students for its outstanding, fully accredited preschool program. Prospective parents are welcome to attend the annual "mini school night" at the center, scheduled for Oct. 19. This event is designed to show families how students participate in a typical day at the CDC.

Teachers at the CDC are academically prepared and trained in early childhood education. Preparing children to meet the challenges of kindergarten is a goal of the program, focusing on a developmental curriculum which prepares the child cognitively, socially, emotionally, physically and linguistically. The environment encourages exploration, discovery, making choices, and play, along with social interaction to foster self-esteem, competence, and autonomy in children.

The CDC is state licensed, and nationally accredited by the NAEYC (National Association for the Education of Young Children). Flexible schedules are offered, along with a choice of two programs for children ages 2 to 5 years – all students must be completely potty trained. A meal and a snack are offered daily, at no separate charge to enrolled children.

Parents are encouraged to participate in their child's education, and an open door policy is maintained throughout the center. For more information about the Oct. 19 "mini school night" at the center, call the CDC office at 310-660-3720.