



Head Start Preschool/Early Head Start

Board Report – March 2026

General:

- Received 45 day notice for the FA1 Federal Review
 - Review will take place the week of May 4th
 - All component areas have spent time preparing materials to assist in the review

Education:

- March 20th was a staff development day – sites chose what topics they felt they needed training on and implemented it at their sites (with assistance from Early Childhood Specialists, if requested)
 - Some topics included: TSG lesson planning, back to basics, active supervision, how to run and utilize reports within TSG
- Early Childhood Specialist started initial research about a Creative Curriculum Pacing Guide and Teacher Calendar to assist teachers next program year
- Conscious Discipline workshop held at Liverpool site for families
 - Focused on understand empathy and positive intent
 - The same families have been participating every month, getting to fully understand the benefits of Conscious Discipline

Health:

- Annual NYS Immunization Survey was completed for all PEACE Inc., Head Start Preschool/Early Head Start centers

Disabilities/Mental Health:

- Disabilities Coordinator worked with Site Supervisor to make sure lesson plans are reflective of individualization for children
- Disabilities Coordinator gave a training on the staff development day that reviewed the referral process for CPSE/EI, discussed the difference between CPSE and EI, and how to read an IEP/IFSP
- Disabilities Coordinator attended a CNY Coalition for Special Education meeting
 - Reviewed CPSE procedures for Onondaga County and the Annual Review process for school districts
- 10 new referrals were given to the SU MFT therapy program

Family and Community:

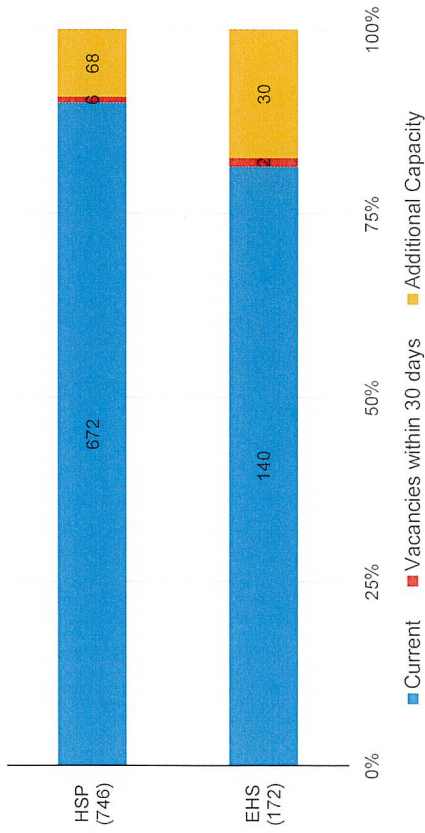
- Family & Community Support Specialist is continuing to hold Kindergarten Readiness workshops at the sites
 - Assisted families needing additional support in registering their child for Kindergarten
- Members of the Family and Community team went to Liverpool High School to watch the presentations that will be used at the Same Book event in April
- The GED program at Sumner continues to be well attended by parents

Nutrition:

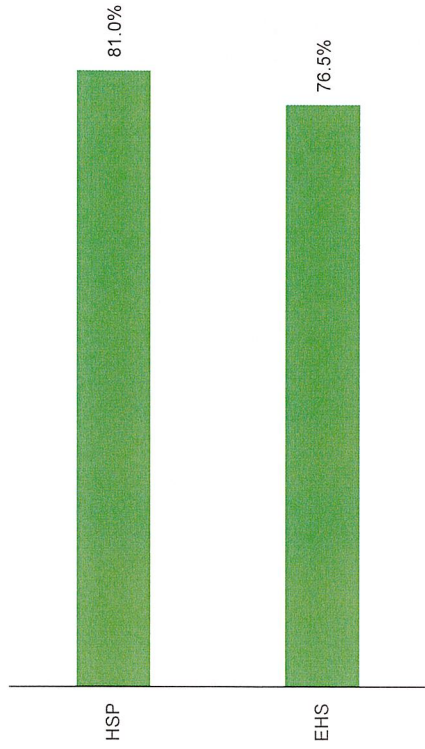
- Work continues with the GoEngage database for software tools that are needed to improve efficiency in managing nutrition information (specifically special diet modifications)
- New Dietician started
 - Nutrition Coordinator conducting orientation and training on nutrition practices and policies

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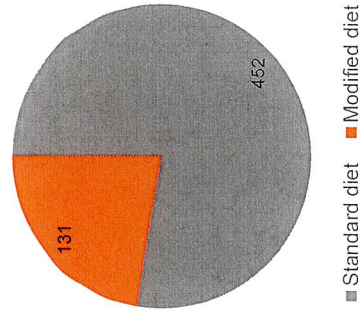
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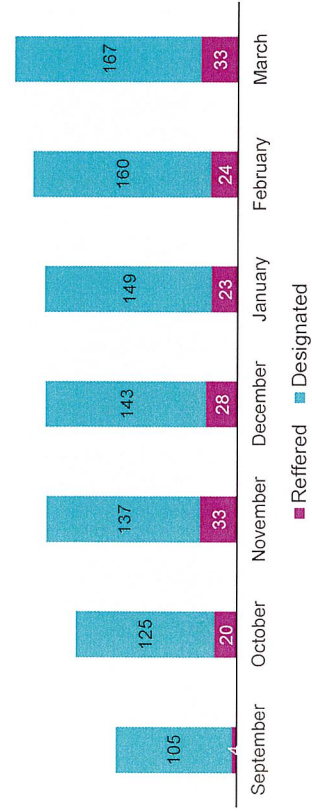
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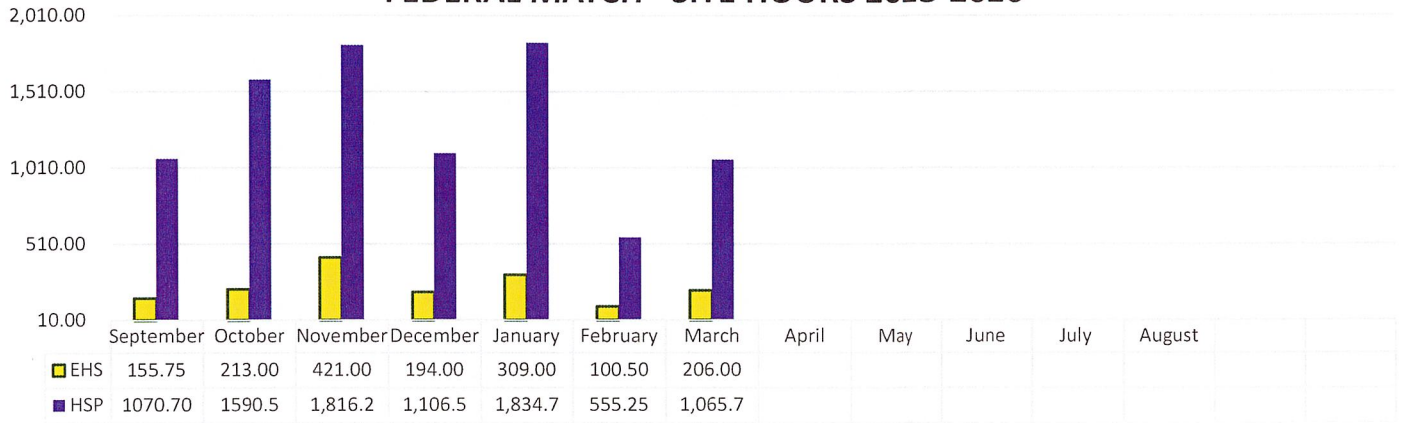
Number Of Children Served Meals in March



Number Of HSP/EHS Children With Disabilities



FEDERAL MATCH - SITE HOURS 2025-2026



Applications / Referrals / On Wait List 2025 - 2026

