

# Bright from the Start Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning 2 Martin Luther King Jr. Drive SE, 670 East Tower Atlanta, GA 30334

Phone: (404) 657-5562 WWW.DECAL.GA.GOV

**Date:** 2/24/2021 Arrival: 11:00 AM Departure: 12:35 PM VisitType: Monitoring Visit

CCLC-47569 Regional Consultant

10125 Hwy 142 N Covington, GA 30014 Newton County (770) 860-8900 info@peachtreeacademy.com

Fax: (678) 302-3041 latanya.barber-swift@decal.ga.gov

Mailing Address 1801 Ellington Road SE Conyers, ĞA 30013

**Peachtree Prep** 

Quality Rated: 🤺



Compliance Zone Designation			
02/24/2021	Monitoring Visit	Good Standing	
09/23/2020	Complaint Investigation by Phone	Good Standing	
08/27/2020	Licensing Study	Good Standing	

Compliance Zone Designation - A summary measure of a program's 12 month monitoring history, as it pertains to child care health and safety rules. The three compliance zones are good standing, support, and deficient.

Good Standing - Program is demonstrating an acceptable level of performance in meeting the rules.

Support Program performance is demonstrating a need for improvement in meeting rules.

Deficient Program is not demonstrating an acceptable level of performance in meeting

the rules.

LaTanya Barber-Swift

Phone: (470) 346-1054

#### Ratios/License Capacity

Building	Room	Age Group	Staff	Children	NC/C	Max 35 SF.	35 SF. Comp.	Max 25 SF.	25 SF. Comp.	Notes
Main	Rm A: 1L	Two Year Olds	1	8	С	29	С	NA	NA	Lunch
Main	Rm B: 2L	Three Year Olds	1	14	С	17	С	NA	NA	Lunch
Main	Rm C: 2R	One Year Olds	1	6	С	23	С	NA	NA	Transitioning,Lun ch
Main	Rm D: 1R	Infants	2	8	С	19	С	NA	NA	Free Play,Lunch
Main	Rm E: 1L (Back)	PreK	2	15	С	25	С	NA	NA	Transitioning
Main	Rm F: 2L (Back)	PreK	2	12	С	27	С	NA	NA	Outside
		Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 1	40		Total C ft.: 0	apacity @	25 sq.			

Total # Children this Date: 63 Total Capacity @35 sq. ft.: 140 Total Capacity @25 sq. ft.: 0

Building	Playground	Playground Occupancy	Playground Compliance
Main	Playground A- Infants/Toddler	28	С
Main	Playground B- PreK/AS	80	С

An in-person visit was not conducted due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Compliance with the Executive Order issue on August 15, 2020 was reviewed during the virtual inspection.

Plan of Improvement: Developed This Date 02/24/2021

Any rule violation which subjects a child to injury or life-threatening situation or any rule violations previously cited but not corrected, may result in the imposition of an adverse enforcement action. Serious or continued noncompliance may also jeopardize participation in one or more DECAL program(s).



Please refer to the website, <a href="http://www.decal.ga.gov/CCS/RulesAndRegulations.aspx">http://www.decal.ga.gov/CCS/RulesAndRegulations.aspx</a>, for information regarding October 1, 2018 rule changes about Criminal Records Checks that may affect your facility. In summary,

- New records checks will be required to be completed if a staff member experiences a six month break in service from the child care industry
- New clearance is required at least once every five years
- Any staff member solely responsible for supervising children will be required to have completed a comprehensive background clearance
- · All staff members are required to have completed at least a national fingerprint based clearance check
- Any staff member with only the national fingerprint based clearance, must be under constant and direct supervision of a staff member with a satisfactory comprehensive records check clearance
- Facilities are required to use DECAL KOALA for Criminal Records Checks, including to verify portability of an employee

O.C.G.A. Section 42.1.12(i)(2) requires Bright from the Start: Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning to notify licensed child care programs on accessing and retrieving from the Georgia Bureau of Investigation's (GBI) website a list of the names and addresses of all registered sexual offenders. Please see GBI's website located at http://gbi.georgia.gov to access the Georgia Sex Offender Registry.

#### Refutation Process:

You have the right to refute any of the citations noted in this report with which you disagree. To refute a citation(s), e-mail the following information to CCSRefutations@decal.ga.gov.

- 1) Facility name, license number and visit date
- 2) Your name, title/relationship to the facility, e-mail address & up to two phone number(s) where you can be reached
- 3) Specific rule number(s) that you are refuting, along with your concerns or questions regarding the rule citation

Refutations must be submitted to Child Care Services (CCS) within 10 business days of the completion date.

A sample form for submitting a refutation can be found at: <a href="http://decal.ga.gov/ChildCareServices/RefutationInformation.aspx">http://decal.ga.gov/ChildCareServices/RefutationInformation.aspx</a>

Your refutation will be forwarded to the appropriate CCS manager, who will follow up with you about your concerns. If you have any questions about this process, contact our office at 404-657-5562.

Bright from the Start recommends that all licensed child care providers carry liability insurance coverage sufficient to protect its clients. If you do not have this liability insurance, you are required to post a notice with ½ inch letters in a conspicuous location in the program, notify the parent or guardian of each child in care in writing, obtain their signature to acknowledge receipt and maintain this written acknowledgment on file at the program at all times while the child attends the program and for 12 months after the child's last date of attendance. (O.C.G.A. Section 20-1A-4)





# **Important New Deadlines:**

Your program must be Quality Rated by December 31, 2020 in order to continue to receive Childcare and Parent Services (CAPS).

Get started today! Sign up by completing a short online application: <a href="https://qualityrated.decal.ga.gov/">https://qualityrated.decal.ga.gov/</a>
Request free technical assistance to help you earn your star rating by contacting the Quality Rated help desk at 855-800-7747 or <a href="mailto:gualityrated@decal.ga.gov">gualityrated@decal.ga.gov</a>

Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning Revision #0 Revision Date: 2/24/2021 12:32:02 PM Page 2 of 3

Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning Revision #0

Revision Date: 2/24/2021 12:32:02 PM



# Bright from the Start Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning 2 Martin Luther King Jr. Drive SE, 670 East Tower Atlanta, GA 30334

Phone: (404) 657-5562 WWW.DECAL.GA.GOV

# **Findings Report**

Date: 2/24/2021 VisitType: Monitoring Visit Arrival: 11:00 AM Departure: 12:35 PM

CCLC-47569 Regional Consultant
Peachtree Prep LaTanya Barber-Swift

10125 Hwy 142 N Covington, GA 30014 Newton County

(770) 860-8900 info@peachtreeacademy.com

Mailing Address 1801 Ellington Road SE Conyers, GA 30013 LaTanya Barber-Swift Phone: (470) 346-1054 Fax: (678) 302-3041

latanya.barber-swift@decal.ga.gov

# The following information is associated with a Monitoring Visit:

# **Activities and Equipment**

# 591-1-1-.12 Equipment & Toys(CR)

Met

#### Comment

A variety of equipment and toys were observed throughout the center.

Correction Deadline: 9/23/2020

#### Corrected on 2/24/2021

.12(1) - The previous citation was corrected on this date. The children were secured in the chairs with the straps.

# 591-1-1-.35 Swimming Pools & Water-related Activities(CR)

N/A

## Comment

Center does not provide swimming activities.

Facility

# 591-1-1-.19 License Capacity(CR) Met

#### Comment

Licensed capacity observed to be routinely met by center.

# 591-1-1-.25 Physical Plant - Safe Environment(CR)

Met

#### Comment

Center appears clean and well maintained.

## 591-1-1-.26 Playgrounds(CR)

Met

#### Comment

Playground observed to be clean and in good repair.

**Health and Hygiene** 

	Sleeping & Resting Equipmen
Comment Complete documentation of transportation observed.	
591-1-136 Transportation(CR)	Me
Comment Staff were observed to maintain a positive learning environment	on this date.
591-1-111 Discipline(CR)	Me
	Safety
Comment Documentation for medication dispensing observed complete.	
591-1-120 Medications(CR)	Me
Comment Please ensure soiled items are stored inaccessible to children.	
591-1-117 Hygiene(CR)	Me
Comment Staff state proper knowledge of diapering procedures.	
591-1-110 Diapering Areas & Practices(CR)	Me

# Comment

Discussed SIDS and infant sleeping position.

Staff Records

Records Reviewed: 12	Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0
Staff # 1 Date of Hire: 11/15/2018	Met
Staff # 2 Date of Hire: 11/22/2019	Met
Staff # 3 Date of Hire: 02/24/2020	Met
Staff # 4 Date of Hire: 07/19/2017	Met
Staff # 5 Date of Hire: 08/17/2018	Met
Staff # 6 Date of Hire: 07/26/2019	Met

Records Reviewed: 12

Records with Missing/Incomplete Components: 0

Staff #7

Date of Hire: 09/03/2019

Staff #8

Met

Met

Met

Staff # 9

Date of Hire: 01/09/2020

Met

Staff # 10

Date of Hire: 03/04/2020

Staff # 11

Met

Staff # 12

Met

Date of Hire: 01/13/2020

#### Staff Credentials Reviewed: 8

## 591-1-1-.09 Criminal Records and Comprehensive Background Checks(CR)

Met

#### Comment

Criminal record checks were observed to be complete.

591-1-1-.33 Staff Training

Met

Correction Deadline: 9/26/2020

#### Corrected on 2/24/2021

.33(4) - The previous citation was corrected on this date. The staff completed the food preparation training.

# 591-1-1-.31 Staff(CR)

Met

#### Comment

Additional cleaning and sanitizing requirements due to the COVID-19 pandemic were discussed and observed during a virtual walk through on this date. The program was in compliance with the Executive Order issued on May 12, 2020.

# Staffing and Supervision

# 591-1-1-.32 Staff:Child Ratios and Group Size(CR)

Met

#### Comment

Center observed to maintain appropriate staff:child ratios.

# 591-1-1-.32 **Supervision(CR)**

Met

## Comment

Adequate supervision observed on this date.