

# INCENTIVE\$

FLORIDA

A program of the Children's Forum, Inc.

## IMPACT REPORT

2024-25

### WHAT INCENTIVE\$ DOES & WHY IT MATTERS IN FLORIDA

INCENTIVE\$ Florida recognizes and rewards the higher education achievements and commitment of our state's early learning educators, family child care providers, and directors.

Eligible participants can receive annual stipends from \$450 to \$5,000, encouraging not only their professional growth, but also supporting our state's workforce stability within the early care and education field.

**\$2.2M**

invested by participating early learning communities

(Broward, Hillsborough, Marion, and Osceola)



### OUR IMPACT & OUTCOMES



**\$1,550**

Average annual stipend awarded



**37,932**

Children served by more stable classrooms



**1,332**

INCENTIVE\$ participants



**67%**

Of participants furthered their education with the TEACH Early Childhood® Scholarship Program



**549**

Early Learning Programs & Family Child Care Homes

### WHAT PARTICIPANTS HAD TO SAY

**96%**

report that INCENTIVE\$ Florida encouraged them to stay with their current programs



Visit [incentives-fl.com](https://incentives-fl.com) to learn more and view participating counties. Or call our INCENTIVE\$ Team at 850-487-6300 with additional questions.

\*INCENTIVE\$ Florida is an affiliate of the Child Care WAGE\$® Program (an Early Years initiative). Citations for supporting research are available upon request.

