



# Early Childhood Directory 2024

## Grand and Jackson Counties | Ages Birth-8

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## COMMUNITY RESOURCES & PROGRAMS FOR FAMILIES WITH YOUNG CHILDREN

### Grand Beginnings

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Child Care Resource & Referral—  
Family outreach, education, and information about licensed  
child care, preschool, and school-age care.

Early Childhood Mental Health Supports Program—  
Mental Health consultation and supports for early childhood  
programs and families with young children.

Family Child Care Home Licensing—  
Licensing specialist for family home child care providers.

Professional Development Scholarship Program—  
Scholarships for early childhood professionals working to-  
wards a degree or credential in early childhood.

Early Education Community Assistance Tuition Program—  
Tuition assistance for child care.

Meetings Milestones Initiative (MMI)—  
Project management to support systems for developmental  
and preventive health screenings, referrals, and follow-up.

Family engagement and education classes— Ready!, Con-  
scious Discipline, Circle of Security, and Incredible Years

UPK— Local Coordinating Organization for families, provid-  
ers, and other stakeholders to learn more about Universal  
Preschool in the community.

### Families First Support Line

1-877-695-7996

[www.familiesfirstcolorado.org](http://www.familiesfirstcolorado.org)

Toll free education and support line for times when par-  
enting gets tough. Offers listening ear, support, and refer-  
rals. Daily 10 am-10 pm.

### Warm Line—Fussy Baby Network Colorado

1-877-627-9227

<http://www.fussybabynetworkcolorado.org/>

This program offers a range of support services for  
parents and families caring for a fussy baby. Ser-  
vices are at no cost and no family will be turned  
away.

### Advocates for a Violence-Free Community

Office 970-725-3442, Hotline 970-725-3412

[www.qcadvocates.org](http://www.qcadvocates.org)

Provides victim support services, local safe house,  
information, prevention education, and community  
awareness.

### Mountain Family Center

970-557-3186

480 E. Agate Ave., Granby

208 12th St., Kremmling

[www.mountainfamilycenter.org](http://www.mountainfamilycenter.org)

### Thrift store and food pantry location:

480 E. Agate Ave., Granby

Accepts donations of food, clothes, home items, etc.

Community Support—Assistance with applications  
for *CHP+ and Medicaid*, energy and rent assistance,  
thrift store/coat closet, food bank, books and school  
supplies, Cooking Matters classes, Bright by Three,  
Hunger Relief Programs: Summer Food Program for  
children & families, Eat, Play, Grow, Exploring  
Foods, also Mountain Food Packs TOTES program  
for children & families during the school year. Hun-  
ger relief, clothing and household items, and emer-  
gency rent/utility assistance.

### Grand County Human Services

970-725-3331

129 E. Byers Ave., Hot Sulphur Springs

<http://co.grand.co.us/socialservices.html>

Services include child protection, food stamps,  
*Medicaid*, child support services, Temporary Aid to  
Needy Families (TANF), adult protection, Low In-  
come Energy Assistance (LEAP November-April),  
and Child Health Plan Plus (CHP+). Colorado Child  
Care Assistance Program (CCCAP)—Income-  
qualifying program to help working families pay for  
childcare.

Foster Care Coordination/Licensing Information  
CO Child Abuse and Neglect Hotline—  
844-CO-4-KIDS / 1-844-264-5437

### Horizons

970-557-3380

81 Jasper Ct., Granby

[www.horizonsnwc.org](http://www.horizonsnwc.org)

Provides early intervention for children with potential  
learning and/or development concerns for ages 0-3  
years old.

## Grand County Library District

225 Jasper Ct., Granby, 970-887-9411

[www.gclid.org](http://www.gclid.org)

Story hour, after school and summer programs for children and adults, 1000 Books Before Kindergarten.

Fraser Library

421 Norgen Rd., 970-726-5689

Granby Library

55 Zero St., 970-887-2149

Juniper Library at Grand Lake

316 Garfield St., 970-627-8353

Hot Sulphur Springs Library

150 Moffat Ave., 970-725-3942

Kremmling Library

300 8th St., 970-724-9228

## GRAND COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICTS

### East Grand School District

299 CR 611, Granby, 970-887-2581

[www.egsd.org](http://www.egsd.org)

Fraser Valley Elementary School

125 Eastom Ave., Fraser, 970-726-8033

Granby Elementary School

241 W Diamond Ave, Granby, 970-887-3312

### East Grand Child Find

Attn: Granby: Rhonda Hill, Fraser: Diane Jacobson

Fax: 970-887-2635

Regularly scheduled screening opportunities for children 3-21 years old with potential learning and/or development concerns.

Grand County Christian Academy

274 Ponderosa, Tabernash, 970-887-9784

[www.wpcc4him.org](http://www.wpcc4him.org)

### West Grand School District

715 Kinsey Ave., Kremmling, 970-724-1000

[www.westgrand.k12.co.us](http://www.westgrand.k12.co.us)

West Grand Elementary

715 Kinsey Ave., Kremmling, 970-724-3217

### West Grand Child Find

Attn: Marveen Terryberry

Fax: 970-724-9052

Regularly scheduled screening opportunities for children 3-21 years old with potential learning and/or development concerns.

## HEALTH SERVICES

### Colorado Peak

<https://coloradopeak.secure.force.com/>

Eligible families can apply online for *Medicaid*, *CCCAP*, *WIC*, *CHP+*, *financial assistance*, and *more*.

### Byers Peak Family Medicine

78878 U.S. 40, Winter Park, 970-722-0300

[www.byerspeakfm.com](http://www.byerspeakfm.com)

Family medicine.

### Fraser Medical Center

45 County Rd. 804 #210, Fraser, 970-726-6778

[www.frasermedicalclinic.com](http://www.frasermedicalclinic.com)

Family medicine and emergency services.

### Middle Park Medical Center

[www.mpmc.org](http://www.mpmc.org)

Family medicine and emergency center.

1000 Granby Park Dr., Granby, 970-887-5800

214 4th St., Kremmling, 970-724-3442

47 Cooper Creek Way, Winter Park, 970-887-5839

301 Marina Drive Grand Lake, 970-557-6044

### Denver Health East Grand Community Clinic

145 Parsenn Rd., Winter Park, 970-726-4299

[www.denverhealth.org](http://www.denverhealth.org)

Family medicine and emergency center.

### Grand County Public Health

150 Moffat Ave., Hot Sulphur Springs, 970-725-3288

[www.co.grand.co.us/publichealth.html](http://www.co.grand.co.us/publichealth.html)

Newborn home visitation program, immunizations (adult and child), communicable disease prevention and control, child care nurse consultation, emergency preparedness and response, health care program for children with special needs, and breastfeeding support.

Women Infant Children Program (WIC)—

Women, infant, and child education and food assistance for income-qualifying pregnant women and children up to age 5.

Nurse Family Partnership, 970-668-9711—

Free home visits for help, support, and guidance for income-eligible first-time moms and pregnant women.

### Pregnancy Resource Connection

3 Ten Mile Dr., Granby, 970-887-3617

[www.pregnancyresourceconnection.org](http://www.pregnancyresourceconnection.org)

Free parenting classes and supplies. Ultrasounds available.

## PARENTING CLASSES

Check the [www.grandbeginnings.com](http://www.grandbeginnings.com) events calendar for the most up-to-date schedules for parenting classes in Grand and Jackson County.

### Grand Beginnings

480 E. Agate Ave., Hot Sulphur Springs, 970-725-3391  
[www.grandbeginnings.org](http://www.grandbeginnings.org)

### Ready!

*READY! for Kindergarten™* is a program that encourages families and caregivers to engage in the learning process with their children through activities that foster essential pre-literacy, pre-math, and social-emotional skills. By following the researched-based curriculum, families will learn about age-appropriate activities that are designed for children ages birth-age 5. There are 3 classes per age-group offered.

### Incredible Years

A free 14-week comprehensive program that provides tools to parents wanting to build a more positive relationship with their child, looking for more effective discipline strategies, and needing new ideas for helping their child to grow and learn.

#### *Who is this class appropriate for?*

The Incredible Years Parent Program is an award-winning, proven effective curriculum for parents of children ages 2-8.

### Conscious Discipline

It is an evidence-based, trauma-informed program that provided an array of behavior management strategies and classroom structures that teachers and parents can use to turn everyday situations into learning opportunities. It supports you in responding intentionally instead of reacting to situations.

*Who is this class appropriate for?* For educators, caregivers and early childhood partners

### Earn While You Learn

A weekly class with a personal advisor providing education on the stages of pregnancy, parenting plans, parenting skills, and life skills to prepare you for the birth of your baby. As mothers complete classes, they earn products for their family.

#### *Who is this class appropriate for?*

This class is for expecting mothers.

### Love and Logic

Love and Logic provides simple solutions, tips, and practical techniques to help adults achieve respectful, healthy relationships with their children.

#### *Who is this class appropriate for?*

This class is for families with children of all ages.

### Grand County Rural Health Network

416 Byers Ave., Hot Sulphur Springs, 970-725-3477  
191 E. Agate Avenue, Granby  
[www.gcruralhealth.com](http://www.gcruralhealth.com)  
<http://healthygrandcounty.org/>

Resource and referral addressing barriers in health care, including patient navigation and health coverage guide services including *Medicaid and CHP+*. The A.C.H.E.S. and P.A.I.N.S. programs provide vouchers to low-income, uninsured residents for medical, dental, and mental health care, including well-child checks, promotora. Health coverage guides by appointment.

### Mind Springs Health

244 E. Agate Ave., Granby, 970-887-2179  
24/7 Crisis Line 888-207-4004  
[www.mindspringshealth.org](http://www.mindspringshealth.org)

Counseling and psychiatry services for adults and children including play therapy.

### Parallel Counseling, LLC

100 Meadows Blvd, Tabernash, CO 80478,  
970.364.2546  
<https://www.parallelcounseling.com/>  
Office is located upstairs at Church of the Eternal Hills. Parallel Counseling, LLC is not associated with any religion

### River Song Counseling

100 Meadows Blvd, Tabernash, CO 80478  
970-281-0659  
Jackie Schnellinger, MA, LPC  
[riversongcounseling@gmail.com](mailto:riversongcounseling@gmail.com)

### Granby Dental, Andrew Burns

290 Agate Ave., Granby, 970-887-3832  
[www.granbydds.com](http://www.granbydds.com)

### Kremmling Dental, Andrew Burns

107 S 6th St., Kremmling, 970-724-3737

### Corona Pass Dental, David Drescher

21 Kings Crossing #206, Winter Park, 970-726-8290  
[www.coronapassdental.com](http://www.coronapassdental.com)

### Winter Park Dental, Mark Chua, Lucinda J. Young

21 Kings Crossing #107, Winter Park, 970-726-5556  
[www.winterparkdentalcolorado.com](http://www.winterparkdentalcolorado.com)

### Chubb Orthodontics

21 Kings Crossing #206, Winter Park  
720-222-4918

### Winter Park Optical

45 Co Rd 804 #150, Fraser, 970-726-5652  
[www.winterparkoptical.com](http://www.winterparkoptical.com)

## Childbirth and Prenatal Preparation

This class offers comprehensive and factual information to empower expecting families.

*Who is this class appropriate for?* For expecting families.

## Grand County Baby Café

This is a free, drop-in breastfeeding support group where all families, babies, toddlers and breastfeeding moms are welcome.

970-725-3288 for more information.

## RECREATION OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOUNG CHILDREN

### Fraser Valley Metropolitan Recreation District

1 Main St., Fraser, 970-726-8968

[www.fraservalleyrec.org](http://www.fraservalleyrec.org)

### Granby Recreation District

Zero Jasper Ave., Granby, 970-887-3961

[www.townofgranby.com](http://www.townofgranby.com)

### Grand Lake Nordic Center & Golf Course

1415 County Rd. 48, Grand Lake, 970-627-8008

[www.grandlakerecreation.com](http://www.grandlakerecreation.com)

XC skiing and free kids golf lessons on Thursday (summer only).

### YMCA Snow Mountain Ranch

1101 County Rd., Granby, 970-887-2152

[www.ymcarockies.org](http://www.ymcarockies.org)

### Grand County 4-H Extension Office

CSU Extension Office, Kremmling, 970-724-3436

## FAMILY FUN

### Winter Park

Winter Park Resort

85 Parsenn Rd., Winter Park, 970-726-5514

[www.winterparkresort.com](http://www.winterparkresort.com)

Ski resort, bike park, summer activities, base recreation.

Wolf Park Public Playground

Tennis and volleyball courts.

Hideaway Park Public Playground

Across from the McDonald's in Winter Park. Sledding, concerts, skate park.

### Fraser

Colorado Adventure Park

566 CR 721, Fraser, 970-726-5779

[www.coloroadventurepark.com](http://www.coloroadventurepark.com)

Tubing hill, snow scoots, sledding (free under 3).

Cozens Ranch

77849 U.S. 40, Fraser, 970-726-5488

[www.grandcountymuseum.com](http://www.grandcountymuseum.com)

Devils Thumb Ranch Resort & Spa

3530 CR 83, Fraser, 970-726-5632

[www.devilsthumbranch.com](http://www.devilsthumbranch.com)

Zip lining, horseback rides, XC skiing.

Historic Fraser Tubing Hill

455 CR 72, Fraser, 970-726-5954

[thefrasertubinghill.com](http://thefrasertubinghill.com)

Tubing hill.

Fraser Valley Sports Complex Playground

220 County Rd. 522, Fraser, 970-726-8968

Winter Park Adventure Quest

220 County Rd. 522, Fraser, 970-726-8968

[fraservalleyrec.org](http://fraservalleyrec.org)

### Granby

[www.townofgranby.com](http://www.townofgranby.com)

Polhamus Park

Features a covered bandstand, skateboard park, gazebo, picnic tables, playing field, and restrooms.

Kaibab Park

Located near the bridge at the southern entrance to Granby. Features two softball fields (one lighted), one lighted baseball field, kids fishing pond with ADA access, picnic shelter with tables, playground, and walking trail to the Fraser River.

Morales Park

Located behind Granby Town Hall. Features a children's playground, grassy areas, picnic tables, and little league baseball field.

Grand Meadows Park

Located on Garnet Avenue between 4th and 6th Street. Features a children's playground .

Raffety Park

Features a lighted tennis courts and indoor soccer facility.

### Grand Lake

Rocky Mountain Repertory Theater

404 Vine St., Grand Lake, 970-627-5087

[www.rockymountainrep.com](http://www.rockymountainrep.com)

Youth theater program and regular theater performances.

### Kremmling

Kremmling Heritage Park

4th St. & Central Ave., Kremmling, 970-725-3939

[www.grandcountymuseum.com](http://www.grandcountymuseum.com)

## Hot Sulphur Springs

Pioneer Village Museum  
110 Byers Ave., Hot Sulphur Springs, 970-725-3939  
[www.grandcountymuseum.com](http://www.grandcountymuseum.com)

Hot Sulphur Springs Town Park  
[www.hotsulphurspringsco.com](http://www.hotsulphurspringsco.com)  
3 blocks north of US 40/Byers Ave., bounded by Spruce Street on the North (diagonally across from the town water treatment plant), Cedar Street on the South, Maple Street on the West, and 1st Street on the East. Features a softball field, tennis court, volleyball court, horseshoe court, children's playground, covered picnic area with electricity, barbeque grills, community garden, and restrooms.

## FOOD AND CLOTHING ASSISTANCE

### Mountain Family Center

480 E. Agate Ave., Granby  
208 12th St., Kremmling, 970-557-3186  
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## WEBSITE RESOURCES

### [www.earlychildhoodcolorado.org](http://www.earlychildhoodcolorado.org)

Early Childhood Colorado—Resources related to the healthy development of children ages birth to 8.

### [www.vanderbilt.edu/csefel](http://www.vanderbilt.edu/csefel)

Promoting the social and emotional development and school readiness of young children ages birth to 5.

### <https://cdec.colorado.gov/universal-preschool-family-information>

Application for Universal Preschool Colorado

### [www.challengingbehavior.org](http://www.challengingbehavior.org)

Technical Assistance Center on Social-Emotional intervention for Young Children (TACSEI).

### [www.earlylearningco.org](http://www.earlylearningco.org)

The Colorado Early Learning and Developmental Guidelines are a helpful resource whether you're a

first-time parent or an experienced professional. The guidelines describe kids' abilities at certain ages and offer tips for how adults can help develop and support those abilities.

### [www.zerotothree.org](http://www.zerotothree.org)

Evidence-based information and tools designed to help parents nurture their young children's development.

### [www.coloradoshines.com](http://www.coloradoshines.com)

Colorado resource for finding licensed, high-quality early childhood care and education programs.

### [www.safekids.org](http://www.safekids.org)

Safe Kids Worldwide is a global organization dedicated to preventing injuries in children.

### [www.healthygrandcounty.org](http://www.healthygrandcounty.org)

Information about Grand County health resources.

## JACKSON COUNTY RESOURCES

### Jackson County Department of Social Services

350 McKinley St., Walden, 970-723-4750  
Food assistance, *Medicaid*, child protection, foster care, adoption, promoting safe and stable families grant, trained facilitator for family meetings.

### North Park Medical Clinic

350 McKinley St., Walden, 970-723-4255

### Grand County Rural Health Network

350 McKinley Street, Walden  
Most Tuesdays 10am-3pm, please call to confirm

### Mind Springs Health

350 McKinley St., Walden, 970-723-0055

### Walden Preschool

910 4th St., Walden, 970-723-3300

### Walden Playground

Across the street from the elementary school.

### Jackson County Public Library

412 4th St., Walden, 970-723-4602

### Jackson County Indoor Pool

282 Washington St., Walden, 970-723-8629

More resources can be found at  
[www.grandbeginnings.org](http://www.grandbeginnings.org)

If you wish to be listed in this publication or to request a change in your listing, please contact:

**970.725.3391 or [www.grandbeginnings.org](http://www.grandbeginnings.org)**

*Local Resources for Families and Teachers*

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