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Dear Governor,

Earlier this morning, we released the names of the states that have been selected to receive a Preschool Development Grant. Today, at the White House Summit on Early Education, President Obama will discuss this expansion of high-quality preschool and the efforts states and communities around the country are making. The summit will bring together a broad coalition of philanthropic, business, education, advocacy, and elected leaders, as well as many other stakeholders who are committed to expanding access to high-quality early education. This summit builds on the President's call in his 2013 State of the Union address to expand access to high-quality early childhood education to every child in America. Please watch this historic event via live stream at <http://www.whitehouse.gov/live>.

The Departments of Education and Health and Human Services have issued a [letter to governors](#) announcing winners, [press release](#), and [fact sheet](#).

In addition, the following documents have been posted on the Preschool Development Grants web page at <http://www2.ed.gov/programs/preschooldevelopmentgrants/awards.html>:

- Applications and abstracts for each state that applied
- A summary chart of scores
- A more detailed chart of scores for each state
- Reviewers scores and comments for each state
- An Excel workbook with state data
- Names and biographies of peer reviewers

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