





What is HIPPY?

HIPPY is a **parent involvement, school readiness program** that helps parents prepare their children for lifelong accomplishments in school and beyond. HIPPY offers **one-on-one teaching** and coaching for parents on how to become their **child's first and most important teachers**. Participating **First Steps 4K parents** will prepare their children for success. Parents are offered a 30-week early learning program designed to aid First Steps **4K students achieve long-term goals**.

Why should I choose HIPPY?

- · Improved maternal and child health in the early years
- Enhanced cognitive, language, and social-emotional development
- Significantly higher scores in reading, math and social studies in third, fifth and sixth grades
- Higher levels of parent involvement in school activities
- · Improved home literacy environments
- Increased parent engagement activities such as reading to their child; teaching them letters, words and numbers; visiting libraries and monitoring TV use





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