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Little Wings Preschool HighScope Certified

HumanKind is excited to announce that its Little Wings Preschool has become the first preschool in Virginia to be recognized as a HighScope-certified center. This significant achievement demonstrates the commitment of Little Wings' staff, the HumanKind leadership team and the Board of Directors to offering the highest-quality early childhood learning experience for students of all abilities and backgrounds.

HighScope is a research-based curriculum that focuses on active learning through an emphasis on positive adult-child interaction, carefully designed learning environments and a plan-do-review process that promotes initiative and self-reliance in children.

In order to receive HighScope certification, Little Wings' teachers underwent more than two years of specialized trainings and evaluations, displaying the utmost dedication to providing excellent early childhood education.

We will be hosting a celebration to honor the Little Wings' teachers for their hard work and dedication on Wednesday, August 20 at 1:30 p.m. in the chapel on the Presbyterian Homes Campus.

HumanKind, formerly Presbyterian Homes & Family Services and the Family Alliance strengthen individuals and families through care, counseling and education. Our programs focus on Early Childhood Development, Economic Empowerment, Mental Health Services, Residential Care and Safe and Healthy Living. Every day, we assist families in overcoming challenges, making responsible choices and improving their quality of life. The impact of HumanKind would not be possible without the generous support of individuals, churches, foundations, corporations and the community. Find out more about the programs and services we offer at www.hkind.org.