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Broward Children's Center Currently Enrolling Students for the 2025-2026 School Year

Pompano Beach, FL – Sept. 10, 2025 – With the 2025-2026 school year underway, <u>Broward Children's Center</u> (BCC) – a nonprofit organization dedicated to serving infants, children and young adults who are developmentally disabled and medically fragile and their families – is currently open for limited enrollment for students for its BCC Academy, a nonprofit private school. BCC Academy has been continuously serving the Broward County community since 1971.

Broward Children's Center's nurturing and inclusive program offers a comprehensive academic curriculum paired with an array of specialized services to support students of all abilities. BCC Academy's intimate campuses are designed for each child to receive the personal attention needed to achieve their goals.

BCC Academy provides educational, therapeutic and behavioral services for children with special needs, pre-kindergarten through eighth grade, at its north campus in Pompano Beach (25 SE 20th Ave., Pompano Beach, Florida 33060) and south campus in Dania Beach (3891 Stirling Road, Dania Beach, Florida 33312). The nonprofit private school is specifically designed to meet the unique developmental and educational needs of children with moderate to severe disabilities, through research-based instructional strategies and a thematic-based curriculum.

Various assessments and observations are used to set educational goals for each child. Parental input is encouraged throughout this process to optimize a student's educational experience. The classrooms are designed for each child to receive the personal attention needed to achieve their goals.

Broward Children's Center is committed to creating an equitable learning environment where every child thrives. BCC Academy provides tailored support for students with disabilities, including Individualized Education Programs (IEPs); Speech and Language Therapy; Occupational Therapy; Physical Therapy; Behavior Support Services; Academic Intervention and Resource Specialists; Inclusive Classrooms with Differentiated Instruction; Small Group and One-on-One Support; and Family and Caregiver Resources.

BCC Academy's ancillary Social Services provides ongoing support to the infants, children, young adults and families, including Parenting Enrichment, Youth Enrichment, Education, Case Management, Information and Referrals and Community Outreach.

Broward Children's Center's Family Strengthening Program and Sibling Program are built on an evidence-based national model known as the Nurturing Program for Parents and their Children with Special Needs and Health Challenges (NPP Special Needs). The program provides families and caregivers with individualized, ongoing support and skills needed for parenting a child with special needs.

In an effort to support working families, BCC Academy provides coverage when Broward County Public Schools is typically closed, including some holidays and teacher planning days. Services also include Summer Camp, Before and After School Care, and door-to-door transportation. Broward Children's Center also offers Respite to parents and families, providing a temporary break from the day-to-day care of their child with special needs

BCC Academy receives funding through the Children's Services Council of Broward. Tuition plans are individualized per student. Broward Children's Center will work with families to help meet the costs associated with attending BCC

Academy. Additional funding options are available through the <u>Family Empowerment Scholarship Program</u>. These scholarships provide funding for eligible students to attend an approved public or private school of their choice.

To apply for these scholarships, please visit https://www.bcckids.org/bccresources/.

To learn more about enrollment opportunities, please visit https://www.bcckids.org/ or contact BCC Academy Director of Education Edith Moore at 954-448-9051or EdithM@bcckids.org.

About Broward Children's Center:

Since 1971, Broward Children's Center, a private, 501(c)(3) nonprofit, has been providing medical, educational, therapeutic, recreational, daily living and advocacy services through its network of care to infants, children and young adults who are developmentally disabled and/or medically fragile. Through a continuum of services designed to meet the needs of each child and their families, Broward Children's Center remains focused on delivering the highest quality care necessary to ensure that each individual is given every opportunity to thrive and succeed. Broward Children's Center is located at 200 SE 19th Ave., Pompano Beach, FL 33060. For more information, please visit www.bcckids.org.

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