

# Project Spark At-Risk Criteria

## I. At-Risk Criteria

This renewal RFP is focused on at-risk children birth to Kindergarten entry (may include prenatal and family supports when appropriate). At-risk children and families include:

Criteria for Project Spark	Clarification
Income	Children whose family income would qualify them for participation in the federal free or reduced lunch program
Limited English Proficiency	Children and families whose first language is not English or English is not the language primarily spoken in the home
Lower than Expected Developmental Progress	Children at-risk for developmental delays or have an established Individual Education Plan (outpatient speech IEP) or Individual Family Service Plan (IFSP).
Foster Care or Custodial Grandparents/Kinship	Children in foster care or custodial grandparents/kinship care.
Either Parent is Lacking a High School Diploma or GED	At the time of enrollment, either parent lacks a high school diploma or a GED.
Teen Parents	At least one parent was a teen when the applying child was born.