

# Head Start Early Learning Framework Alignment

## Learning Goals



### Legend

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| • | The standard is clearly addressed by program activities.   |
| - | This standard potentially could be addressed as part of <i>FIRST</i> ® LEGO® League Discover either by actions that the coach or teacher takes when working with the students or by conditions established by the program. |

### Preschool

| Domain   | Indicator  | Indicator Statement   | Addressed |
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| Approaches to Learning                             | <b>Sub-Domain: Emotional and Behavioral Self-Regulation</b>  |   |           |
|  | P-ATL 1  | Child manages emotions with increasing independence.  | -         |
|  | P-ATL 2  | Child follows classroom rules and routines with increasing independence.                    | •         |
|  | P-ATL 3  | Child appropriately handles and takes care of classroom materials.                          | •         |
|  | P-ATL 4  | Child manages actions, words, and behavior with increasing independence.                    | -         |
|  | <b>Sub-Domain: Cognitive Self-Regulation (Executive Functioning)</b>   |   |           |
|  | P-ATL 5  | Child demonstrates an increasing ability to control impulses.                               | -         |
|  | P-ATL 6  | Child maintains focus and sustains attention with minimal adult support.                    | •         |
|  | P-ATL 7  | Child persists in tasks.  | •         |
|  | P-ATL 8  | Child holds information in mind and manipulates it to perform tasks.                        | •         |
|  | P-ATL 9  | Child demonstrates flexibility in thinking and behavior.                                    | •         |
|  | <b>Sub-Domain: Initiative and Curiosity</b>  |   |           |
|  | P-ATL 10   | Child demonstrates initiative and independence.   | •         |
| P-ATL 11   | Child shows interest in and curiosity about the world around them.   | •   |           |
| P-ATL 12   | Child expresses creativity in thinking and communication.  | •   |           |
| P-ATL 13   | Child uses imagination in play and interactions with others.   | •   |           |
| Social and Emotional Development                   | <b>Sub-Domain: Relationships with Adults</b>   |   |           |
|  | P-SE 1   | Child engages in and maintains positive relationships and interactions with adults.         | •         |
|  | P-SE 2   | Child engages in prosocial and cooperative behavior with adults.                            | •         |
|  | <b>Sub-Domain: Relationships with Other Children</b>   |   |           |
|  | P-SE 3   | Child engages in and maintains positive interactions and relationships with other children. | •         |
|  | P-SE 4   | Child engages in cooperative play with other children.                                      | •         |
|  | P-SE 5   | Child uses basic problem-solving skills to resolve conflicts with other children.           | •         |
|  | <b>Sub-Domain: Emotional Functioning</b>   |   |           |
|  | P-SE 6   | Child expresses a broad range of emotions and recognizes these emotions in self and others. | -         |
|  | P-SE 7   | Child expresses care and concern toward others.   | -         |
|  | P-SE 8   | Child manages emotions with increasing independence.  | -         |
| <b>Sub-Domain: Sense of Identity and Belonging</b> |  |   |           |
| P-SE 9   | Child recognizes self as a unique individual having own abilities, characteristics, emotions, and interests. | •   |           |
| P-SE 10  | Child expresses confidence in own skills and positive feelings about self.                                   | •   |           |
| P-SE 11  | Child has sense of belonging to family, community, and other groups.   | •   |           |

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| Language and Communication | <b>Sub-Domain: Attending and Understanding</b>                                |   |   |
|                            | P-LC 1  | Child attends to communication and language from others.  | ● |
|                            | P-LC 2  | Child understands and responds to increasingly complex communication and language from others.  | ● |
|                            | <b>Sub-Domain: Communicating and Speaking</b>                                 |   |   |
|                            | P-LC 3  | Child varies the amount of information provided to meet the demands of the situation.   | ● |
|                            | P-LC 4  | Child understands, follows, and uses appropriate social and conversational rules.   | ● |
|                            | P-LC 5  | Child expresses self in increasingly long, detailed, and sophisticated ways.  | ● |
|                            | <b>Sub-Domain: Vocabulary</b>   |   |   |
| P-LC 6                     | Child understands and uses a wide variety of words for a variety of purposes. | ●   |   |
| P-LC 7                     | Child shows understanding of word categories and relationships among words.   | -   |   |
| Literacy                   | <b>Sub-Domain: Phonological Awareness</b>                                     |   |   |
|                            | P-LIT 1   | Child demonstrates awareness that spoken language is composed of smaller segments of sound.   | - |
|                            | <b>Sub-Domain: Print and Alphabet Knowledge</b>                               |   |   |
|                            | P-LIT 2   | Child demonstrates an understanding of how print is used (functions of print) and the rules that govern how print works (conventions of print).     | - |
|                            | P-LIT 3   | Child identifies letters of the alphabet and produces correct sounds associated with letters.   | - |
|                            | <b>Sub-Domain: Comprehension and Text Structure</b>                           |   |   |
|                            | P-LIT 4   | Child demonstrates an understanding of narrative structure through storytelling/re-telling.   | - |
|                            | P-LIT 5   | Child asks and answers questions about a book that was read aloud.  | - |
| Mathematics Development    | <b>Sub-Domain: Writing</b>  |   |   |
|                            | P-LIT 6   | Child writes for a variety of purposes using increasingly sophisticated marks.  | - |
|                            | <b>Sub-Domain: Counting and Cardinality</b>                                   |   |   |
|                            | P-MATH 1  | Child knows number names and the count sequence.  | - |
|                            | P-MATH 2  | Child recognizes the number of objects in a small set.  | - |
|                            | P-MATH 3  | Child understands the relationship between numbers and quantities.  | - |
|                            | P-MATH 4  | Child compares numbers.   | - |
|                            | P-MATH 5  | Child associates a quantity with written numerals up to 5 and begins to write numbers.  | - |
|                            | <b>Sub-Domain: Operations and Algebraic Thinking</b>                          |   |   |
|                            | P-MATH 6  | Child understands addition as adding to and understands subtraction as taking away from.  | - |
|                            | P-MATH 7  | Child understands simple patterns.  | - |
|                            | <b>Sub-Domain: Measurement</b>  |   |   |
|                            | P-MATH 8  | Child measures objects by their various attributes using standard and non-standard measurement. Uses differences in attributes to make comparisons. | - |
|                            | <b>Sub-Domain: Geometry and Spatial Sense</b>                                 |   |   |
| P-MATH 9                   | Child identifies, describes, compares, and composes shapes.                   | ●   |   |
| P-MATH 10                  | Child explores the positions of objects in space.                             | ●   |   |
| Scientific Reasoning       | <b>Sub-Domain: Scientific Inquiry</b>   |   |   |
|                            | P-SCI 1   | Child observes and describes observable phenomena (objects, materials, organisms, and events).  | ● |
|                            | P-SCI 2   | Child engages in scientific talk.   | ● |
|                            | P-SCI 3   | Child compares and categorizes observable phenomena.  | - |
|                            | <b>Sub-Domain: Reasoning and Problem-Solving</b>                              |   |   |
|                            | P-SCI 4   | Child asks a question, gathers information, and makes predictions.  | ● |
|                            | P-SCI 5   | Child plans and conducts investigations and experiments.  | - |
| P-SCI 6                    | Child analyzes results, draws conclusions, and communicates results.          | -   |   |

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| <b>Perceptual, Motor, and<br/>Physical Development</b> | <b>Sub-Domain: Gross Motor</b>  |  |   |
|  | P-PMP 1   | Child demonstrates control, strength, and coordination of large muscles.                           | - |
|  | P-PMP 2   | Child uses perceptual information to guide motions and interactions with objects and other people. | ● |
|  | <b>Sub-Domain: Fine Motor</b>   |  |   |
|  | P-PMP 3   | Child demonstrates increasing control, strength, and coordination of small muscles.                | ● |
|  | <b>Sub-Domain: Health, Safety, and Nutrition</b>                        |  |   |
|  | P-PMP 4   | Child demonstrates personal hygiene and self-care skills.  |   |
|  | P-PMP 5   | Child develops knowledge and skills that help promote nutritious food choices and eating habits.   |   |
| P-PMP 6  | Child demonstrates knowledge of personal safety practices and routines. |  |   |