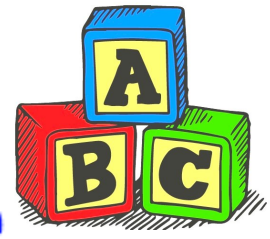




# Building Blocks



## Happy Birthday, Head Start!



In honor of Head Start turning 59 years old on Friday, Gaston Community Action Head Start had a Field Day Birthday Celebration on Thursday for all of its Head Start families in both Gaston and Lincoln Counties.

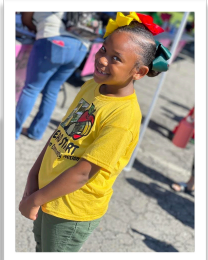
"We had an amazing turn out of over 400 people," said Kristin Thomas, Head Start Director at Gaston Community Action, Inc. "At this event we had community vendors who provided community resources to all of our families."

Thomas also said this year's event was their second annual field day and reports it was a major success.

"Project Head Start" was launched in 1965 as a comprehensive child development program. Over the last six decades, it has served more than 39 million children and families.

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## Gaston's Head Start Birthday Party Photos



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