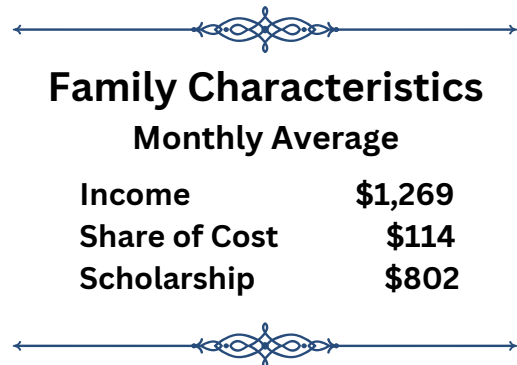
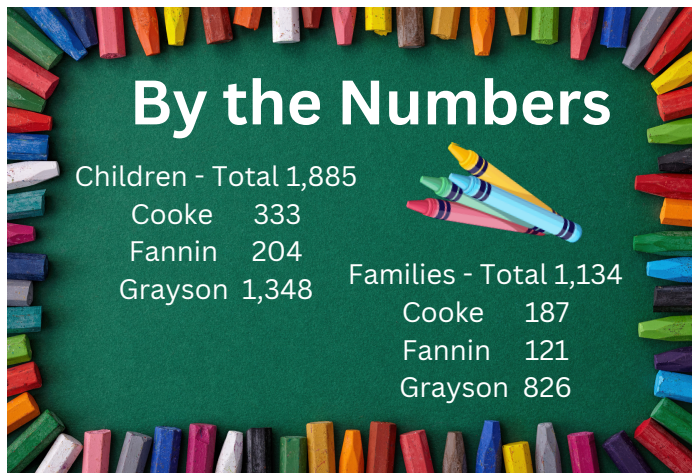


# CHILD CARE SERVICES

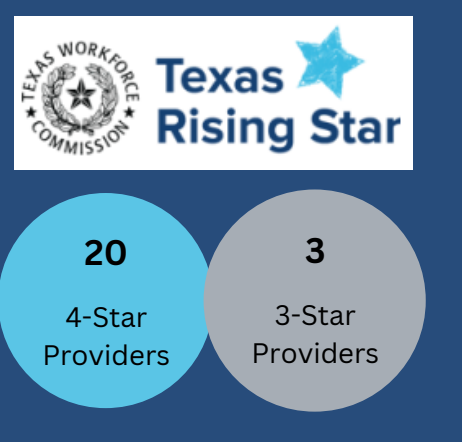
October 2022 - September 2023

Workforce Solutions Texoma Child Care Services (CCS) strengthens families and communities by offering assistance to help low-income parents pay for child care so they can go to work, attend educational or vocational programs, or search for employment. Additionally, Workforce Solutions Texoma also offers quality programs and resources to support child care providers.



The Texas Rising Star program is the Quality Rating and Improvement System (QRIS) for Texas. There are three levels of certification: 2-Star, 3-Star, and 4-Star (the highest quality standard). Effective 10/03/2022, House Bill 2607 required all Child Care Services (CCS) providers to attain at least a 2-Star certification within two years. In the past four months, Texoma increased the number of Texas Rising Star providers in our area by nine!


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**Scholarships for Child Care Workers**

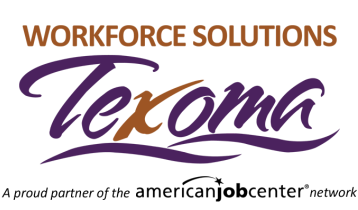
Funds Awarded Spring, Summer, and Fall 2023  
**\$34,204**

Marketable Skills Award (CDA)....10  
Certificate Program or Associates Degree....15  
Total Student Participants....25



**General Quality Grant Funds**

January	July
32 Providers	35 Providers
<b>\$106,247</b>	<b>\$109,039</b>



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