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Sandpipers Early Learning Center is Recognized for Providing High Quality Child Care

[Middletown, RI, 09/27/2012] – Sandpipers Early Learning Center becomes the first child care center in Middletown that has a BrightStars quality rating. A BrightStars quality rating recognizes child care programs that meet specific indicators of high quality. Sandpipers Early Learning Center has taken an important step and is making a difference for families in Middletown.

BrightStars rated programs are required to demonstrate license compliance and are assessed across many quality standards and criteria related to child care and early education.

Sandpipers Early Learning Center provides a level of care beyond what is required by state regulations and is committed to providing families with the highest quality early care and education experiences.

"BrightStars makes it possible for families to have high quality options to meet their child care and after school needs. BrightStars programs have been tested against the rigorous BrightStars standards, and have a BrightStars quality rating. Families looking for child care should make sure it's BrightStars", said Tammy Camillo, Director of BrightStars.

Families may visit the BrightStars website and see how programs like Sandpipers Early Learning Center performed on each of the BrightStars quality standards. This helps families make informed choices on care they select for their child.

For more information about Sandpipers Early Learning Center or other BrightStars programs, visit www.BrightStars.org or call 401-398-7605.

About BrightStars

BrightStars is managed by the Rhode Island Association for the Education of Young Children. BrightStars helps families in Rhode Island access quality child care, early learning, and school-age programs. BrightStars also helps child care providers learn about best practices in early learning apply them to the care children receive. Visit www.BrightStars.org for more information.