Dear families,

We’re excited to introduce LENA Grow, a professional development program to help our teachers grow and support your child’s learning!

# What is LENA Grow?

LENA Grow helps teachers talk more with children. Interactions are very important for your child’s development and kindergarten readiness.

How it works:

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| A cartoon of a child  AI-generated content may be incorrect. |  |  |
| Children wear a small safe device once a week to capture classroom interactions. | Software counts words and conversations. | Teachers use this information to increase interactions and improve learning. |

LENA is safe, secure, and private:



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[info.lena.org/families](https://info.lena.org/families)

* LENA has been trusted by over 5,000 teachers and 100,000 children.
* LENA does not understand words and cannot play back. No one can hear what was said or how it was said.
* Recorded sounds are automatically deleted and never saved.
* Data is shared only with people helping your child learn, such as teachers and coaches.

# Thank you for participating!

If you have more questions about LENA Grow, contact: <insert org contact name, email, phone #>

**Important:** In three days, your child will be automatically included in LENA Grow.

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| **If you DO NOT want your child to participate** in the LENA Grow program please check the box below, sign, and **return within three days**.❐ **No**, my child \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **cannot participate** in the LENA Grow program. I understand other children in the room will still participate.Parent’s Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |