

# Muskingum County Head Start

## School Readiness Goals

Approved Date:

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CCR Board

Policy Council

### **Social–Emotional Development**

1. Regulates own emotions and behaviors
  - a. Manages feelings
  - b. Follows limits and expectations
  - c. Takes care of own needs appropriately
3. Participates cooperatively and constructively in group situations
  - a. Balances needs and rights of self and others
  - b. Solves social problems

### **Physical Development**

6. Demonstrates gross-motor manipulative skills
7. Demonstrates fine-motor strength and coordination
  - a. Uses fingers and hands
  - b. Uses writing and drawing tools

### **Language**

8. Listens to and understands increasingly complex language
  - a. Comprehends language
  - b. Follows directions

### **Cognitive Approaches to Learning**

11. Demonstrates positive approaches to learning
  - a. Attends and engages
  - b. Persists
  - c. Solves problems
  - d. Shows curiosity and motivation
  - e. Shows flexibility and inventiveness in thinking
12. Remembers and connects experiences
  - a. Recognizes and recalls
  - b. Makes connections

## **Literacy**

15. Demonstrates phonological awareness
  - a. Notices and discriminates rhyme
  - b. Notices and discriminates alliteration
16. Demonstrates knowledge of the alphabet
  - a. Identifies and names letters
  - b. Uses letter–sound knowledge
19. Demonstrates emergent writing skills
  - a. Writes name
  - b. Writes to convey meaning

## **Cognition: Mathematics**

20. Uses number concepts and operations
  - a. Counts
  - b. Quantifies
  - c. Connects numerals with their quantities