

Gold Seal Quality Care Accrediting Associations



Approved Accrediting Association	Length of Accreditation Certificate	Age Groups Served			Gold Seal Approval Period
		Birth-5	Birth-5/SA	SA	
Accredited Professional Preschool Learning Environment (APPLE) National APPLE Accreditation Office 4840 Dairy Road, Suite 101 Melbourne, FL 32904 1-800-322-2603 www.faccm.org	3-5 years	✓	✓	✓	January 2024 – January 2029 November 2021 – November 2026 (Standalone SA)
American Association of Christian Schools (AACS) 6170 Shallowford Road, Suite 103 Chattanooga, TN 37421 1-423-629-4280 www.aacs.org	5 years	✓			December 2020-December 2025
Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI) P.O. Box 62249 Colorado Springs, CO 80962 1-800-367-0798 www.acsi.org/global-main/us-division/florida/approval-program	5 years	✓	✓		October 2024 – October 2029
Association of Christian Teachers and Schools (ACTS) 911 S. Parsons Ave, Suite G Brandon, FL 33511 1-813-684-2024 www.actsschools.org	5 years	✓	✓		September 2023-September 2028
Association of Independent Schools of Florida (AISF) 1200 Brickell Ave, Suite 800 Miami, FL 33131 1-954- 267-9496 www.aisfl.com	1 year	✓	✓		May 2020 – May 2025

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Christian Preschool Association (CPA) (Formerly UMAP) 10726 Libby #3 Road Clermont, FL 34715 1-239-218-4272 http://www.christianpreschoolassociation.com/	3 years	✓			November 2024 – November 2029
Cognia (Formerly AdvancED) 9115 Westside Parkway Alpharetta, GA 30009 1-888-413-3669 www.cognia.org	5 years	✓	✓	✓	February 2024– February 2029
Council on Accreditation (COA) 45 Broadway, 29th Floor New York, NY 10006 1-212-797-3000 www.coanet.org	5 years	✓	✓	✓	July 2024 – July 2029 (Private and Programmatic Organizations)
Florida Catholic Conference (FCC) 201 W. Park Ave Tallahassee, FL 32301 1-850-224-7906 www.eas-ed.org	1 year	✓	✓		August 2020-August 2025
Florida Coalition of Christian Private Schools (FCCPSA) P.O. Box 5100 Deltona, FL 32728 1-386-218-5310 www.fccpsa.org	4 years	✓	✓		May 2024 - May 2029
Florida League of Christian Schools (FLOCS) 1437 E. Memorial Boulevard Lakeland, FL 33801 1-863-683-5726 Ext. 251 www.flocs.org	5 years	✓	✓		July 2024- July 2029

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<p>Green Apple Accreditation of Children's Services (GAACS) 731 Duval Station Road #107-147 Jacksonville, FL 32218 1-904-293-1357 www.gaacs.org</p>	5 years	✓	✓	✓	<p>December 2023–December 2028 (B-5, B-5/SA)</p> <p>March 2025 – March 2030 (Standalone SA)</p>
<p>National Accreditation Commission for Early Care and Education Programs (NAC) P.O. Box 90723 Austin, TX 78709-0723 1-800- 537-1118 or (512) 301-5557 www.earlylearningleaders.org/</p>	3 - 4 years	✓	✓		March 2025 – March 2030
<p>National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC) 1401 H Street NW, Suite 600 Washington, DC, 20005 1-202- 232-8777 or 1-800- 424-2460 www.naeyc.org</p>	5 years	✓	✓		October 2023-October 2028
<p>National Association of Family Child Care (NAFCC) 700 NW 12th Steet, Suite 700 Washington, DC 20005 1-202-796-5700 www.nafcc.org</p>	3 years	✓	✓		October 2023-October 2028
<p>National Early Childhood Program Accreditation (NECPA) P.O Box 2948 Merrifield, VA 22116 1-855-706-3272 www.necpa.net</p>	3 years	✓	✓		October 2023-October 2028

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National Lutheran School Accreditation (NLSA) 5850 T. G. Lee Blvd. #500 Orlando, FL 32822 1-407-857-5556 Ext. 3 https://flgadistrict.org/	3 years	✓	✓		March 2025 – March 2030