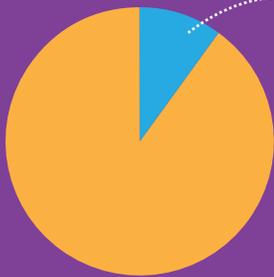# LENA GROW®

LENA is a national nonprofit dedicated to improving early language skills in early childhood education. The LENA Grow professional development program is cutting edge, job embedded, and proven. It helps ...

- Raise classroom quality to new heights.
- Keep early childhood educators in the profession.
- Ensure that kindergarteners start school stronger.

10 million children in the U.S. attend child care or preschool.

Only 7% get the language interaction they need.

+62%

+62% language interaction for LENA Grow children.

+1

Every +2 interactions per hour improve IQ by 1 point.

96%

Children are 2x more likely to be kindergarten ready.

x2

Healthy social behaviors increase 31%.

+31%

96% of teachers recommend LENA Grow.

x2

Teachers are 2x more likely to stay in the profession.

LENA Grow leads to better outcomes for children & teachers.

- ✓ Kindergarten readiness
- ✓ Literacy
- ✓ Vocabulary
- ✓ Reduced challenging behavior
- ✓ Language
- ✓ Cognitive development

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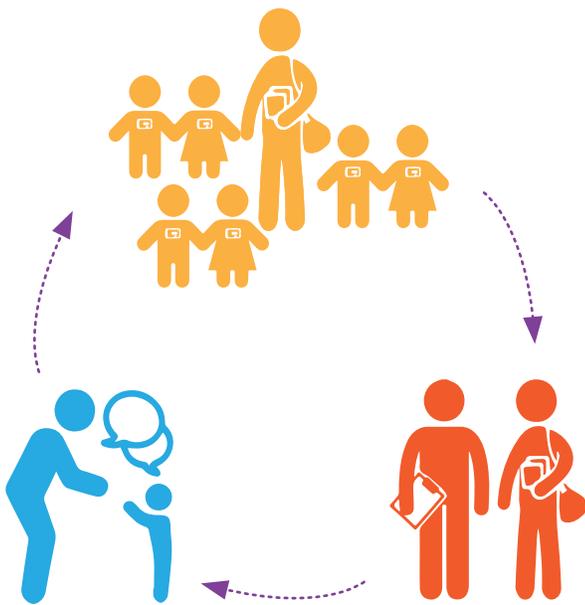**Find out more about LENA Grow:**
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How LENA Grow Works

A Reflective + Data-Driven Feedback Cycle

Teacher-child interactions are the heart and soul of early childhood education. LENA Grow helps educators build more interactions into their classroom activities.

1. **A LENA Day.** One day per week for five weeks, children wear the LENA device to measure their teachers' interactive talk.

2. **Coaching and feedback.** Teachers reflect on their talk data with strengths-based guidance from an instructional coach.

3. **Practice days.** Teachers work towards measurable improvement on their next LENA Day.

Children see the benefits in just five weeks, and educators renew their dedication to the profession.

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