

GRAND FORKS HEAD START PROGRAM

The Grand Forks Head Start Program has Combination classrooms in both Cavalier and Langdon. The Cavalier Head Start is in a downtown building which is leased from the City of Cavalier. The Langdon Head Start is in the Langdon Elementary School.

The Grafton Head Start has an a.m. and a p.m. Center Base classroom in the Praireview Building, which is leased from the State Development Center. The Grand Forks Air Force Base Eielson School Head Start has two Center Base classrooms. The Grand Forks Head Start's main site has only Center Base Classrooms, one classroom at Ben Franklin Elementary School and one classroom at Phoenix Elementary School. The Phoenix classroom is a new expansion classroom of 15 children, who attend from 8:30am to 3:30pm on Monday through Thursday. It is called the "all day" classroom.

Center	# of Children	Classroom
Cavalier	12 Head Start Children	Combination Room
Langdon	12 Head Start Children	Combination Room
Grafton	17 Head Start Children	Center Base am
	17 Head Start Children	Center Base pm
GFAFB Eielson	15 Head Start Children	Center Base am
	17 Head Start Children	Center Base am
	17 Head Start Children	Center Base pm
Main Site	6 Classrooms of 17 kids	Center Base am
	6 Classrooms of 17 kids	Center Base pm
Ben Franklin	17 Head Start Children	Center Base am
	17 Head Start Children	Center Base pm
Phoenix	15 Head Start Children	All Day - Monday through Thursday 8:30am - 3:30pm
Total	357 Head Start Children	

The Grand Forks Air Force Base Head Start is combined with the Preschool Special Needs program, with three in the Head Start Classroom. The children are registered as Head Start Children and PSN children. There are two teachers in the classroom, one a degree teacher and one a PSN teacher. The programs are fully combined. PSN also goes on the Home Visits. This program is very successful, and it will be implemented in a few additional Head Start Classrooms next year.