

# Hale County



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<b>Year Program Started</b>	2007
<b>Number of Families Served in 2009/2010</b>	54
<b>Number of Children Served in 2009/2010</b>	56
<b>Number in the 5-Year-Old Program 09/10</b>	17
<b>Number in the 4-Year-Old Program 09/10</b>	25
<b>Number in the 3-Year-Old Program 09/10</b>	14
<b>Number of Coordinators</b>	1
<b>Number of Parent Educators</b>	2
<b>Number of Areas(Neighborhoods) Served</b>	4
<b>Areas Served</b>	Greensboro, Moundville, and Newbern Akron
<b>Number of Schools Served</b>	4
<b>Schools Served</b>	Greensboro Elementary, Moundville Elementary, Sunshine High School (K-12 school), Akron Elementary

## Program Overview

This program serves 45 children located in Hale County. Most of our families live in or close to the towns of Greensboro, Moundville, and Newbern. Hale County is a small county in the western half of Alabama; it is a much impoverished area with little local industry, high unemployment rates, and high dropout numbers. More than 90 percent of our school children receive free or reduced priced lunches. The school system receives very little local funding, depending entirely on state and federal monies.

<b>Collaborative Partnerships</b>	Department of Human Resources, Cooperative Extension, and Head Start
<b>Funding Sources</b>	Alabama Legislature and Appalachian Regional Commission Grant

## HIPPY Success Story from Tallapoosa County

### Parent Educator, Clementine Washington

One of our parents is Ms Stacy Carlisle, she is the single mother of 4 children. She is so excited about HIPPY, she has started recruiting her family members for next year. She said that HIPPY has allowed her to develop a close relationship with all her children. She has learned to identify some issues with her children's development. She was instrumental in getting speech therapy for her son and noticed some physical problems that she referred to his doctor. She has a two year old daughter that also benefits from the HIPPY curriculum and other resources that we have given the family. She says that doing HIPPY has helped her develop patience and given her the confidence to do what's best for her children. She keeps all her appointments because her children enjoy doing the HIPPY activities.

