

## Early Care & Education Report: Works Cited

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A study published by the Goodman Research Group in March 2009 titled "**A Study of Early Care and Education in Vermont**" was used as a foundation for much of the research included in the Early Care & Education report. For all other sources included in the report, please refer to the works cited below.

*\*Please note:* Given the dynamic nature of the field, we are aware that the child care subsidy, early childhood spending, and child care provider case study budget sections of the Goodman study may already contain some outdated data.

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