

Ready Rosie FAQs

Policy Council & CDs:

1. Does Ready Rosie cost anything to the family?
 - No cost to families, while enrolled and also after family has transitioned out
2. What type of app would be available – Apple or Android?
 - Both, set to release August/September of this year
3. How to access if family does not have phone or internet accessibility?
 - Idea
 - i. Video loop in classroom during drop off and pick up times
 - ii. Open House times during the week for parent’s to utilize computer in classroom
 - iii. During family events and parent meetings (including at Peer and PC)
 - iv. Printout of activity
 - v. Take home kits with activity
 - vi. Research community resources to help subsidize cost of internet
 - vii. Technology drive
4. Is there a way to access Ready Rosie offline (i.e. Like Netflix’ download feature)?
 - No, not at the moment however idea was shared with Ready Rosie
5. Process for sending out videos – how often?
 - Idea
 - i. PSESD EL would develop levels of engagement that a subcontractor would select to implement for the first year. (see sample draft below)

Ready Rosie: **SAMPLE** Levels of Engagement for Sites

Level 1 Little Commitment	Level 2 Medium Commitment	Level 3 Medium-High	Level 4 High Commitment
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 1 video a month• 1 open house/“Tea Time or coffee hour” a month	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 2 videos a month• 1 open house/“Tea Time or coffee hour” a month• 1 workshop a quarter using one of the engagement models on the next page	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 1 video a WEEK• 2-3 open houses/tea time or coffee hour a month• 2 workshops a quarter using two of the engagement models on the next page	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 1 video a day during drop off/pick up• Open house / tea time and coffee hour weekly• 1 workshop a month AND/OR video with discussion/community building

6. Can sites utilize their computers for parents?
 - This is a great idea, need to work with each site to ensure internet safety and accessibility
7. Which sites have computer access for parents to utilize Ready Rosie?
 - This information needs to be collected from all sites
8. How to get videos if no longer enrolled in the program – past parent or transitioned to Kindergarten?
 - Once a parent has a log in to Ready Rosie (when enrolled in program), parent will always have access to Ready Rosie videos, even after transitioning out of program
9. Learning styles – how to account for multiple learning styles?

- Videos are audible and visual
 - Need to find out if closed caption is available
10. What languages are available (specifically Somali & Spanish)?
- Videos are in English and Spanish
 - i. Working on videos in Arabic
 - Videos with English speaking families have subtitles in Arabic
 - i. Working on finalizing translations for Vietnamese and will start with Mandarin
 - Ready Rosie has shared their commitment and partnership with EL programs to continue to translate and film families in other languages
11. If site (ECEAP) does not utilize Ready Rosie, can parents still utilize and have access?
- Working with EL fiscal to determine cost with HS/EHS and ECEAP having accessibility
12. How are mothers at WCCW able to access Ready Rosie?
- Mothers at WCCW are using another parenting curriculum at the moment that is required
 - Idea
 - i. Print out of activities
 - ii. Determine if staff can show videos during meetings/conferences
13. Who is responsible for sharing Ready Rosie videos to parents?
- Idea
 - i. Partnership between teachers and FSS to determine what video should be shown
 - ii. FSS will be responsible for scheduling videos to be sent out
14. What does Ready Rosie look like for blended sites (also Mobility Mentoring)?
- Waiting to see if Ready Rosie is fiscally able to be purchased for ECEAP as well.
15. Do FSS have the opportunity to give input on the curriculum?
- FSS had various opportunities throughout this year, including open house and online survey, to give feedback on curriculums and Ready Rosie
16. Does Ready Rosie respect working-families' time?
- Yes, out of all curriculums that were taken into account. Ready Rosie was the curriculum that could be accessed at parent's time and not when a FSS was available (ex. Ready Rosie is not a kit)
17. Is Ready Rosie complimentary to what Early Achievers asks for?
- Yes, Early Achievers has added Ready Rosie to its list.

Parent & Staff Workgroup – waiting for response from Ready Rosie:

1. Are foster families and multi-generational families represented in videos?
 - Yes, both multi-generational and foster families are represented
2. Does Ready Rosie reference to families the importance of home language and benefits to watching videos in home language?
 - Yes, Ready Rosie encourages families the use of home-language within activities.
3. Did Ready Rosie consider oral languages, specifically when relating to literacy and reading videos?
 - Yes, some of the Research & Answers videos specifically talk about the importance of oral language and telling the story of your family.
4. What is the literacy level in videos and in book recommendations?
 - The activities and book recommendations are appropriate for ages Birth - 3rd Grade. All content can be filtered by age to find age-specific content

5. How have other programs incorporated interpreters if video is not filmed or translated in their home language?
 - Generally, we see it incorporated into workshops, parent universities, etc... Either using the Ready Rosie workshops or just playing videos in these instances and providing a translator. Sometimes they may translate some printed content. Ready Rosie can have subtitles added if you have a specific language need. The cost varies depending on the language but Ready Rosie can share the cost of adding these subtitles.
6. How do other programs measure the effectiveness of videos/Ready Rosie?
 - This varies with different states and programs. Generally, they use their beginning and end of year assessment scores along with the parent's activity on Ready Rosie. Ready Rosie has a former Head Start, Director of Family & Community Engagement working together with Ready Rosie that can answer this in more detail if you have more questions.
7. Are parents and children related in video or staged actors? (I am almost confident you mentioned that they are real families but wanted to make sure!)
 - Yes, Ready Rosie videos are real families in real environments.
8. Has Ready Rosie considered incorporating different cultural attire, customs, and décor in homes?
 - Yes! Ready Rosie recently filmed some content in Arabic with families from a community of Syrian refugees. Ready Rosie is working with a native Hawaiian community that wants to create some content that represents their culture. Ready Rosie also wants to create content that includes the Native American community but has not found a partner for that yet.
9. Is the following referenced in the videos?
 - mental health
 - There is a lot of content for SEL, positive discipline strategies, conflict-resolution, & healthy routines. These all help support mental-health.
 - Strategies for parents with mental disabilities/impairments, no.
 - social-emotional
 - Yes
 - discipline
 - Yes
 - managing tantrums/behavior
 - Yes
10. When did Ready Rosie start?
 - Ready Rosie started in 2013 working with 3 school districts in Texas. Ready Rosie now works with over 400 partners around the globe.
11. Are there plans to incorporate sign language into videos?
 - At the moment, no. In an effort to make Ready Rosie content accessible to everyone, Ready Rosie has found closed-captioning & subtitles have been a good solution.
12. Are there capabilities of closed caption for learners who prefer to read while watching the video?
 - Yes, closed captioning is available in English & Spanish and has subtitles in Arabic and Vietnamese with plans to add additional languages this year.
13. Are there plans to incorporate children and parents with disabilities?
 - Ready Rosie actually already have content that includes both children and parents with disabilities.
14. Does Ready Rosie provide guidance or tips on internet safety and also safety while watching videos (ie. do not watch while driving)?
 - No, they do not.