# All About Act 76

### Act 76 makes Vermont's child care system one of the most expansive in the nation.

This legislation includes long-term, sustainable, public investment in Vermont's child care system, which will stabilize the sector and make a quantum leap in providing access to affordable, quality child care for all Vermont families who need it. The law will invest \$125 million into the child care sector annually.

#### Affordability

Over 7,000 more children and their families may have access to child care tuition assistance!

#### Accessibility

Increased state funding will help bolster child care programs' capacity to create more child care slots.

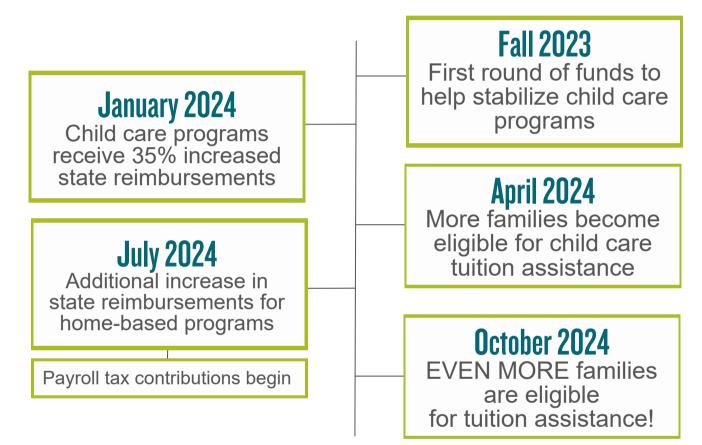
#### Quality

Sustainable funding will lead to increased investment in Vermont's early childhood education workforce.



## Implementation Timeline

Act 76 will help families and child care programs utilize significant additional investment in Vermont's Child Care Financial Assistance Program. Here's how:



#### Laying the Foundation for Future Success

Act 76 also:

- Sets the stage for minimum pay standards for early childhood educators
- Addresses resource shortages for children in child care with special needs

