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2025 - 2026

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...creciendo ...joyful ...empoderando



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From Our CEO

THIS PAST YEAR, LEAP has done extraordinary work creating a safe and welcoming space for children and families to thrive. In the face of unprecedented attacks, LEAP has protected our families who have been targeted by immigration enforcement, provided outstanding care, and adapted to meet the changing needs of our community. I'm so proud of all we have accomplished together. **We could not do our work without you.**

Thank you so much! LEAP is... grateful.

ESTE ÚLTIMO AÑO, ha realizado una labor extraordinaria creando un espacio seguro y acogedor donde los niños y las familias pueden prosperar. Frente a desafíos sin precedentes, LEAP ha protegido a las familias que han sido afectadas por las autoridades migratorias, brindando una atención excepcional y adaptándose para satisfacer las necesidades cambiantes de nuestra comunidad. Me siento muy orgullosa de nuestro equipo y del trabajo que hacemos juntos. **No podríamos llevar a cabo nuestra labor sin ustedes.**

¡Muchísimas gracias! LEAP es... agradecido.

Lori Lander Goodman, MSW
CEO



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LEAP is... caring for the community

Our Mission

LEAP mitigates the effects of poverty, racism, and trauma by providing high-quality, trauma-informed child care, comprehensive, culturally sensitive family support, and visionary community leadership.

Our Programs

Early Childhood Education

Family Strengthening

Next LEAP Mentorship

LEAP es... cuidar de la comunidad

Nuestra Misión

LEAP mitiga los efectos de la pobreza, el racismo y el trauma al brindar cuidado infantil de alta calidad informado sobre el trauma, apoyo familiar integral y culturalmente sensible, y un liderazgo comunitario visionario.

Nuestros Programas

Educación Infantil

Fortalecimiento Familiar

Mentoría Next LEAP

LEAP is... joyful

LEAP is a **JOYFUL PLACE** to learn and play! We provide full-day, high-quality early education and care for babies as young as 3 months to 5 years old at our **Children's Centers**.



274,400

hours of play / horas de juego

LEAP es... alegría

LEAP es un **LUGAR ALEGRE** para aprender y jugar! Ofrecemos educación y cuidado infantil de alta calidad durante todo el día para bebés desde los 3 meses hasta los 5 años de edad en nuestros **Centros Infantiles**.



6,120

stories read / libros leídas

Three Locations / Tres Ubicaciones

North Avenue Campus (Lompoc)

Phelps Campus (Goleta)

West Campus (Goleta)

LEAP values joy



LEAP allows me to continue my education while knowing my son is in a safe and caring environment. Without LEAP, I honestly would not be able to go to school or even work my part-time job because childcare would be a huge stress. It gives me peace of mind knowing he is being cared for while I pursue my goals.

– LEAP PARENT



140

children served /
niños beneficiados

“LEAP me permite continuar con mi educación mientras sé que mi hijo está en un **ENTORNO SEGURO Y LLENO DE CUIDADO**. Sin LEAP, sinceramente no podría asistir a la escuela ni siquiera trabajar en mi empleo de medio tiempo porque el cuidado infantil sería una gran preocupación. Me da tranquilidad saber que él está bien cuidado mientras yo persigo mis metas.”

– PADRE DE LEAP

LEAP valora la alegría

LEAP is... home

Two-year-old LEAP student K and his mother were detained after attending a scheduled immigration check-in. They were transferred to a detention center in Texas, alone and afraid.

K became seriously ill. He stopped eating and was not receiving care.

What happened next was the result of trust. **K'S MOTHER CALLED LEAP.**



In one of the hardest moments of our lives, LEAP made us feel seen, supported, and not alone. They showed up for our family when we needed it most.

— K'S MOTHER



LEAP immediately mobilized. Working alongside the family attorney, we helped secure K and his mother's release, raised emergency funds, and brought them safely home.

The next week, K went back to school. He played with friends. He ate his breakfast and lunch. **HE WAS SAFE.**

This is why LEAP exists.

This story is about more than one family. It is about how trusted relationships create safety for families when they need it most.

This is the work of **LEAP.**

LEAP values integrity

*En uno de los momentos
más difíciles de nuestras
vidas, LEAP nos hizo
sentir vistos, apoyados y
que no estábamos solos.
Estuvieron presentes para
nuestra familia cuando
más los necesitábamos.*

— LA MADRE DE K

LEAP es... hogar

K, un estudiante de dos años de LEAP, y su madre fueron detenidos después de asistir a una cita programada de control migratorio. Fueron trasladados a un centro de detención en Texas, solos y con miedo.

K se enfermó gravemente. Dejó de comer y no estaba recibiendo atención.

Lo que ocurrió después fue el resultado de la confianza. **LA MADRE DE K LLAMÓ LEAP.**

LEAP actuó de inmediato. Trabajando junto con el abogado de la familia, ayudamos a conseguir la liberación de K y su madre, recaudamos fondos de emergencia y ayudamos a traerlos de vuelta a casa a salvo.

La semana siguiente, K volvió a la escuela. Jugó con sus amigos. Desayunó y almorzó.

ESTABA SEGURO.

Por eso existe LEAP.

Esta historia trata de mucho más que una sola familia. Se trata de cómo las relaciones de confianza crean seguridad para las familias cuando más la necesitan.

Este es el trabajo de **LEAP.**



LEAP valora la integridad

LEAP is... creating career pathways

LEAP **INVESTS IN TEACHERS** by
providing scholarships to help them earn
their **Early Childhood Education** credentials.



23

teachers going to
school / maestros
yendo a la escuela



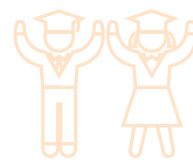
LEAP es... crear trayectorias profesionales

LEAP **INVIERTE EN LOS MAESTROS**
invierte en los maestros otorgando becas
para ayudarles a obtener sus credenciales
en educación de la primera infancia.



*I am honestly proud to be
a part of this team.*

— LEAP TEACHER



189

Early Childhood Education
units earned / número de
unidades de Educación
Infantil obtenidas



LEAP values curiosity

LEAP is... building confidence

NEXT LEAP mentors serve as trusted adults for 4th–6th graders, helping them build confidence, resilience, and a sense of belonging through safe, supportive relationships.



103

students mentored /
estudiantes
recibieron mentoría



Schools Served / Escuelas Atendidas

El Camino Elementary
Isla Vista Elementary

*The most rewarding part of
being a mentor in this program
was seeing the impact on the kids,
and seeing them grow out of their shells.*

– LEAP MENTOR



LEAP es... construyendo confianza

Los mentores de **NEXT LEAP** son adultos de confianza para estudiantes de 4.º a 6.º grado, ayudándoles a desarrollar confianza en sí mismos, resiliencia y un sentido de pertenencia a través de relaciones seguras y de apoyo.

LEAP valora la curiosidad



(L-r): Supervisor Laura Capps, Lori Goodman, & Supervisor Joan Hartmann

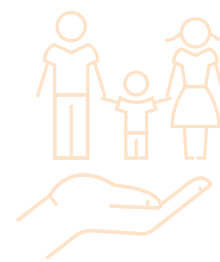
LEAP is... strengthening families

LEAP's Family Resource Center offers compassionate hands-on support, free community classes and workshops, and essential resources to help families thrive.

No Longer Alone

Mark*, a single father of two, came to LEAP while struggling to make ends meet despite working full time. LEAP connected his family with emergency food, CalFresh, and diapers, easing the burden and helping them build greater stability. Most importantly, Mark no longer feels like he has to face these challenges alone.

**name changed for privacy*



8,186

services to the
community / servicios
a la comunidad

LEAP values creativity



LEAP es... fortaleciendo familias

EL CENTRO de Recursos Familiares de LEAP ofrece apoyo práctico y compasivo, clases y talleres comunitarios gratuitos, y recursos esenciales para ayudar a las familias a prosperar.

No Esta Solo

Mark*, padre soltero de dos hijos, llegó a LEAP mientras luchaba por salir adelante a pesar de trabajar a tiempo completo. LEAP apoyó a su familia con alimentos de emergencia, inscripción a CalFresh y pañales, aliviando la carga y ayudándolos a recuperar la estabilidad. Lo más importante es que Mark ya no siente que tiene que enfrentar estos desafíos solo.

**nombre cambiado por privacidad*

DIAPER BANK / DISTRIBUCIÓN DE PAÑALES



68,310

diapers distributed /
pañales distribuidos



LEAP valora la creatividad

LEAP is... honoring excellence



2026 LEAP Awards:

Celebrating 55 years as a nonprofit

On Saturday, February 28, 2026, we honored **Jackie Carrera**, **Ashley Costa** and Distinguished Alumnus **Das Williams** at the Hilton Beachfront Resort, Santa Barbara.



\$83,465

raised / recaudada

2026 Premios LEAP:

Celebrando 55 años como organización sin fines de lucro

El sábado 28 de febrero de 2026, honramos a **Jackie Carrera**, **Ashley Costa** y a nuestro Alumno Distinguido **Das Williams** en el Hilton Beachfront Resort de Santa Bárbara.

LEAP es... honorando la excelencia



LEAP values respect

LEAP is... transparent

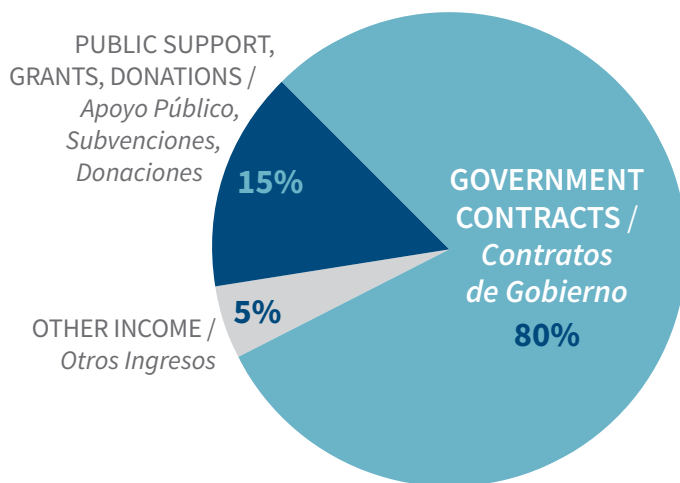


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transparente

FINANCIALS / FINANZAS

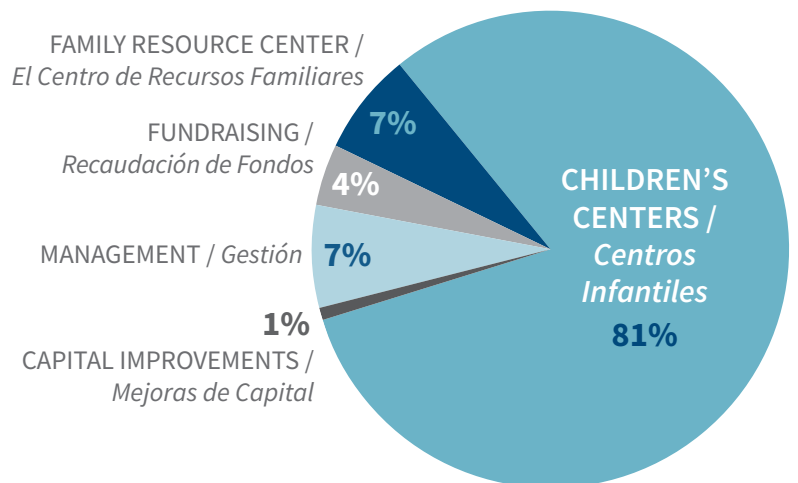
Total Income = \$7,154,474

Ingresos Totales



Total Expenses = \$7,042,590

Gastos Totales



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Las finanzas auditadas y el 990 actual estara disponible en LEAPcentralcoast.org después del 1 de diciembre de 2026.

LEAP valora el respeto

LEAP is... powered by partnership

THANK YOU to our generous donors and partners who make our work possible.

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LEAP values collaboration

LEAP es... impulsado por la colaboración

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LEAP es... cómo haces la diferencia

- ¡Haz una donación!
- Organiza una colecta de pañales
- Síguenos en redes sociales y corre la voz sobre LEAP!

LEAP is... how you make a difference

- Make a gift!
- Host a diaper drive
- Follow us on social media and spread the word about LEAP!



WE ENVISION a community where children are loved, valued, and respected and families are supported to reach their highest potential.

NOSOTRAS IMAGINAMOS

una comunidad donde los niños son amados, valorados y respetados y las familias reciben apoyo para alcanzar su máximo potencial.

scan here



*escanear
aquí*