

Chatwilai Surinchompoo 2011: Parents' Needs Toward Early Childhood Education Management of Private Kindergarten Under in Loei Educational Service Area Office 1. Master of Education (Early Childhood Education), Major Field: Early Childhood Education, Department of Education. Thesis Advisor: Associate Professor Pattamavadi Lehmongkol, Ph.D. 136 pages.

The objective of this research was to study parents' need toward early childhood education management of private kindergarten under Loei Education Service Area office 1.

Subjects used in this study were 302 preschool parents from Kindergarten level 1-3 of private kindergarten Schools in Loei Educational Service Area office 1, second semester, year of 2010. Stratified and ratio were used as sampling technique size tables Krejcie and Morgan. Questionnaire on parents' need toward early childhood education management of private kindergarten schools was used as an instrument. Data was analyzed by frequency, percentage, mean, and standard deviation.

Results indicated that parents' need of preschool children was at high level in all areas such as teachers and staffs, physical environment, parent and school relationship, food service, curriculum and instruction, health and safety.

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