









Franchise & Investment Opportunities

TLE BRAND OVERVIEW

CURRICULUM THAT DEVELOPS THE WHOLE CHILD



CENTERS WHERE IMAGINATIONS RUN FREE



Our L.E.A.P.® (Learning Experience Academic Programme) Curriculum uses fun, hands-on activities throughout early education to help children develop intellectually, socially and cognitively. Or as we say, to Learn, Play and Grow.

From the vibrant colors to the furniture and floor plan, TLE® Centers foster an early childhood care environment where children feel comfortable and where their curiosity and creativity are rewarded.

Children love learning from characters—and studies show that it's highly effective especially in preschool and early

education. TLE® has a cast of unique, beloved characters, each one teaching children a new value or activity.

CHARACTERS THAT BRING LEARNING TO LIFE















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TLE OVERVIEW

The Learning Experience® is one of the fastest growing early childhood education franchisors in the U.S. and the leading brand-focused player in the industry.









Golden Gate Capital (GGC) is a San Francisco-based private equity investment firm with over \$18 billion of capital under management and is one of the most active investors in multi-unit businesses.

- Over the past 10 years, GGC has invested in consumer companies with annual revenues in excess of \$20 billion.
- GGC's strategy is to be a value-add investment partner for companies and facilitate their growth through organic growth, capital investments, geographic expansion, add-on acquisitions, and operational improvements.
- GGC's perpetual fund structure allows them to be a long-term, stable investment partner for management teams.
- GGC also opportunistically participates in attractive real estate investments that leverage GGC's consumer network and expertise.
- Representative investments in multi-unit consumer brands include Red Lobster, Bob Evans, Eddie Bauer, Pac Sun, Mavis Discount Tire, and Express Oil Change & Tire Engineers.











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The Learning Experience® will continue to grow by increasing the number of worldwide centers.

When searching for a new center location, the Real Estate Department at The Learning Experience® focuses its demographic review on the following information:

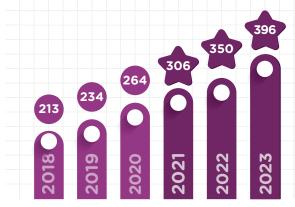
- The Cost of Real Estate
- Competitive Tuition Cost Analysis in the Area
- Population Density and growth of Children and Adults
- The Working Population

Once site selection is complete, the TLE® Executive team uses its extensive experience to coordinate site development, architectural and construction efforts, marketing efforts, and multiple other vital details.

HISTORICAL & FUTURE GROWTH



System Wide Sales (in Millions)



Total Centers

UNITED KINGDOM EXPANSION

TLE® has already begun its worldwide expansion with its first international location in East Finchley, UK; with a strategic growth plan to expand the TLE® footprint to 70+ centers in the UK in the next 5 years and grow their global presence through leveraging the TLE® brand to partner with international investors. Despite no specific marketing efforts abroad, significant interest has been generated in prospects from England, China, Brazil, and Mexico.

*All forward-looking statements are management's present expectations and are subject to a number of factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those described in the forward-looking statements

2002

The Learning Experience® forms to open and operate childcare centers throughout the **New York** and **New Jersey** metro area

The Learning Experience® ends the

year with 83 centers in 14 states



2002

The Work & Family® program begins with 14 corporate partners

The Learning Experience® ranks on Entrepreneur's Franchise 500 list for the first time

2012

The Learning Experience® impressively ranks #193 on **Entrepreneur's Franchise 500 list** and continues to rank year over year

2013

The Learning Experience® is named Company of the Year by Make-A-Wish® South Florida

The Learning Experience® partners with

2015

Forbes recognizes The Learning Experience® as one of the best franchises to buy in 2015

2016

Classroom & Parent Safe 'N Secure® apps roll out nationwide

The Learning Experience® continues to grow to new heights over 160 open centers in 17 states nationwide

The Learning Experience® ranks #26 on Franchise Times' Fast & Serious list of smartest growing brands

The Work & Family® program expands offering child care benefits to over 1,000 corporations

The Learning Experience® partners with Golden Gate Capital to accelerate new center development through a newly established real estate development fund.

2017

The Learning Experience® moves into their new world headquarters in Deerfield Beach, FL

The Learning Experience® ranks #62 on **Entrepreneur's Annual Franchise 500 List** 2019

The Learning Experience ends the year with over 230 locations and over 200 under development

The Learning Experience surpasses \$300M in total system wide sales

2020

CORE operating system launched.



Launched brand extension. Bubbles & riends, on YouTube.

Opened first UK location in East Finchley.

Opened 40 new locations to end the year with 264 open in 23 states and 1 in United Kingdo



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(1) COVID-19 pandemic forced TLE to close 30% of locations for 3-5 months

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Turnkey 10,000+ Sq Ft Centers

Safe, secure, and private access

Separate classrooms specifically designed to meet the needs of children in our Six Stages of Early Development

Security cameras in each classroom monitored in the administrative offices

Rounded corners in hallways and classrooms

Age-appropriate bathrooms

Access to age-appropriate technology

Spacious, fenced-in playgrounds with designated areas for infants, toddlers, and preschoolers

BUILD-TO-SUIT

Freestanding, Out Parcels, End/Cap Type

Building Size 10,000 sqft

Parcel Size 1-5 acres (developed 3/4 acre)

Lease Terms 15 Years Plus Options

Additional Requirements Playground 5,000± sq ft

> Ease of Egress and Ingress 40 Parking Spaces

DEMO MINIMUM

Population 30,000+ (3 mi radius)

75,000+ (5 mi radius)

3,500+ (3 mi radius) **Children Under 6 Years**

5,000+ (5 mi radius)

Average Household Incomes

\$75,000+

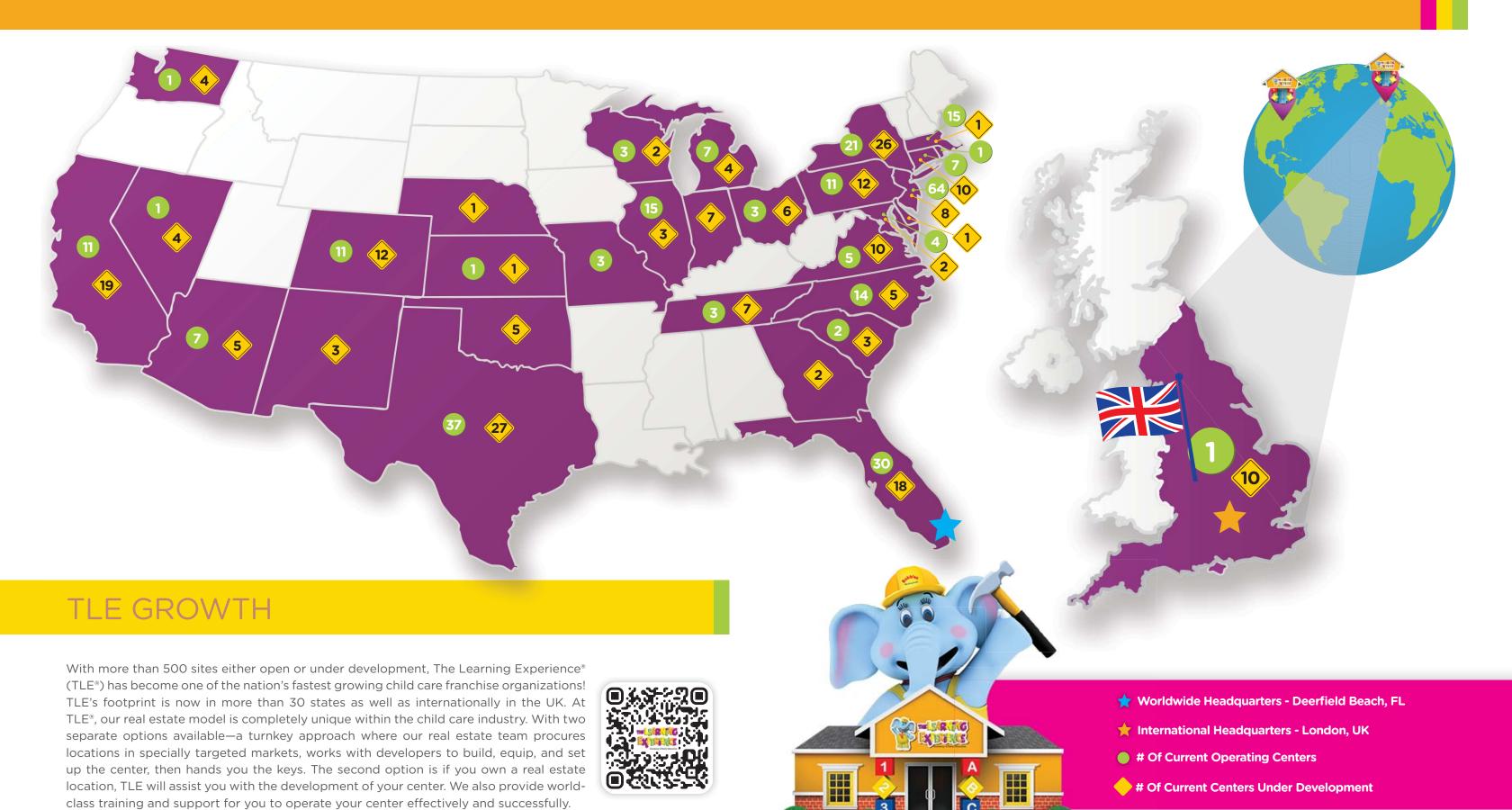
Additional Requirements High Signage Visibility

Turnkey Build-to-Suit

High Traffic Counts



CENTERS OPERATING OR UNDER DEVELOPMENT BY STATE



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Scan this QR code to see available locations or to request more information on new locations in development.

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THE LEARNING BY SERVING

THE LEARNING EXPERIENCE

Pioneering investments in technology, including interactive curriculum and classroom tools, parent mobile applications, and business intelligence tools, keep TLE at the forefront of innovation in the industry.





- TLE's proprietary L.E.A.P. Interactive programs are delivered through a touch screen digital whiteboard in each classroom. Promotes digital literacy and child engagement.
- **Proprietary characters** are part of the entire digital learning platform.



Parent Technology

- TLE's proprietary Show N Tell app allows parents to stay completely up-to-date on their child's day.
- Teachers upload pictures, provide updates on activities and meals, and provide any other necessary updates throughout the day.
- MyTLE app serves as a comprehensive solution for tuition bill pay, streamlining the process for parents and TLE franchisees / center operators.





Organizational Technology

- Proprietary organizational technology tracks: Center performance and capacity, Scheduling Payments, Consumer communications.
- New MyTLE CORE platform allows teachers to better plan days, as parents have to check in prior to bringing their children to the center.
- Pioneer in paperless record keeping and business intelligence within the childcare industry.
- Constant school tracking and communications ensures safety and improves crisis management.



"Even after nine years as a franchisee, TLE continues to amaze me with their industry-leading innovation! It gives me the confidence each day of knowing that I am in business with the best!"

~ TLE Franchisee

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Requirements to be eligible to join the TLE® family as a franchisee:

- You will need a minimum of \$150,000 liquid capital. TLE® will assist you in obtaining SBA financing for the remainder of your investment
- The total investment cost for a leased investment, turnkey facility including franchisee fee, deposits and working capital is \$500,000 - \$800,000* (depending on the size and location of each Center)

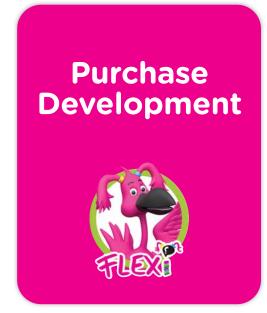




Opportunities to invest in our franchise:

Contact us now to find the right one for you!





Our Mission

To make a **positive difference** in the lives of our **children**, their **families**, and the **communities** we serve.

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