

Testimonial

Almost 4 years ago, Ember was diagnosed with autism at the age of 2. She began receiving in-home services through Birth to 3, then transitioned to receiving services from Family Wise at first at home, then full time at the center. During her time receiving services, gained so many great skills, that she "graduated" from the center to regular school this past year for Kindergarten. She took the transition very well, continued to receive speech services at school, and has made steady progress both building on the skills she learned and academically. Today we had a PPT meeting with her school and were happy to receive report that her language skills are fantastic! She's reading at a 2nd grade level! Her also teachers shared what a joy she is to have in the classroom and what a kind and caring friend she is. She's made so much progress and tested so well that it's pretty clear she no longer needs ANY services! We can't believe how far she's come and we're just in awe of how much she's grown and learned. Family Wise gets big time credit for how much they taught her during her time there and can't thank them enough for how kind and supportive everyone there was to her. It really gave her a head start for Kindergarten and she's only flourished from there.

Hannah Bedgood Mother of Ember Bedgood – Family Wise alumni

