

OHS-PSA4: Oscar-Anderson

In the Los Angeles community of Watts, people knew that Head Start is the answer for children who are neglected and bewildered at the age of four. When Oscar Anderson and other community leaders could find no suitable building for a Head Start center, they decided to put up their own. While they were still raising money, Oscar went right ahead. In time off from his job as a construction worker, he gathered materials to start building.

All over the country, individuals and businesses are contributing their time, equipment and supplies -- from books to bricks -- to make Head Start work. They realize that Head Start can only succeed as a community venture. What can you or your business offer the children who need your help at this important stage of their lives?

Contact your local Head Start center or write: "Head Start, Washington, D.C."