Across
2. usually employed by the state
8. is a simple form of calligraphy
11. have taken postsecondary courses in child care
15. a popular form of child care in the United States
16. creates & runs his or her own business
17. program to overcome the negative effects
19. provide care for children before and after school
20. the child has arrived safely
21. the hand to do a task in the way the eyes sees it done
23. was for children to "learn how to learn"
24. full range of early child programs

Down
1. met by an early childhood program
3. set of moral principles
4. similar to those of a nanny
5. spelling, word spacing, and upper- and lowercase letters
6. offer full day children's programs
7. focuses primarily on meeting child's physical needs
9. designed for 3-4 year olds
10. set of guidelines
12. postsecondary or college campus program 2-7
13. wish to take part in their children's preschool experience
14. having trouble in writing a particular letter
18. covers the period from birth to nine years of age
22. provides care in a child's home