

SBDC @ DSU Aid

- Suitable Location
- Improve Business Plan
- Prepared required documents for a loan from a bank
- Researched service sector specific issues

MSBDC

**Mississippi
Small
Business
Development
Centers**

*Assisting
Mississippi
Businesses
Since 1981*

Help Turning Your Profession into a Small Business with...

Mississippi's Small Business Development Center at Delta State University

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TINY TOTS DAY CARE, LLC

Opportunity in Cleveland

Missy Livingston, a mother of two, started a day-care—out of her own house—which grew in demand after just three children turned into a forty-child list.

Without capacity, Missy could not accommodate any more guests; however, with the closing of Pat's Nursery, Missy seized the opportunity to enter the day care profession on a larger scale.



With the help of SBDC...

Ms. Livingston, after researching building locations, zoning restrictions, and building regulations with SBDC @ DSU, decided that, due to state regulations, it was cheaper to build a daycare than to than renovate an existing building.

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As Tiny Tots Day Care grew, Ms. Livingston was also welcomed to visit our offices for consulting, which proved helpful for us both—our purpose is transforming Mississippi one small business at a time.



Missy Livingston

How SBDC @ DSU Can Help You Too!

MSBDC's Mission is to provide services and support that will enable the state of Mississippi to become the leading environment for small business success in the nation.

We are a one-stop resource center for a variety of counseling, workshops, and information services for existing and start-up businesses. Small business owners and entrepreneurs in our service area are invited to take advantage of our many services. We are located in Broom Hall on the Delta State University Campus in Cleveland, Mississippi. To find out more or to schedule an appointment, call (662)-846-4236 or e-mail us at dsusbdc@deltastate.edu.

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