

The Child Care Council of Westchester
is pleased to offer our
2019 In-Person Preschool
CDA Credential Course
starting Thursday, March 7, 2019

Apply NOW!

**This 120-hour course is the first step to becoming
a CDA – a Child Development Associate.**

**Supported by a generous grant from the
Westchester County Department of Social Services
Office of Workforce Investment
the cost is only \$50 for the course materials.**

**We are excited to announce that once again
Cecilia Scott-Croff will be the course instructor.**

**This CDA is open to early childhood professionals who work with
PRESCHOOL AGE CHILDREN
in Westchester County child care centers and family/group family programs.**

Earning the CDA Credential™ has many advantages:

- **Advance your career**
- **Meet job requirements**
- **Reinforce your commitment to early childhood education**
- **Provide parents with peace of mind**
- **Provide an appropriate program for children**
- **Increase your confidence**

**COMMENTS FROM PREVIOUS
PRESCHOOL CDA CLASS STUDENTS**

I learned more than what I expected.

I learned a lot of new, meaningful information about different areas of early childhood education.

I was always excited to come to class.

It helped further my knowledge on early childhood education.

It was wonderful - I learned a lot.

I learned to be a professional.

I have more confidence in myself.

It was a wonderful experience!

My experience was so positive.
I feel I have a better understanding of the children,
and my approach to teaching is more effective.
The teacher was awesome and taught us so much.
I always disliked school - This was one of the only times I actually enjoyed a class. I loved it.
It was a lifetime experience.
What I learned will help me to move forward in my life.
I am a better teacher because of this class.

The In-Person Preschool Child Development Associate (CDA) class meets at the Child Care Council of Westchester on 2-4 Tuesday or Thursday evenings from 6:30pm - 10pm and 7 Saturdays from 9am-3:30pm. Classes run from March 7, 2019 to October 24, 2019.

The course fulfills the 120-hour CDA education requirement needed to apply to become a CDA. You will also prepare your professional portfolio file and gather all necessary documents needed to apply to the Council for Professional Recognition to become a CDA.

This grant includes payment of the \$425 application/assessment fee to the Council for Professional Recognition.

Do not delay!
Application deadline: February 15, 2019
SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION DOES NOT GUARANTEE ACCEPTANCE INTO COURSE
Incomplete applications will not be accepted.

[Click here](#) - for more information about the CDA and application process.

[Click here](#) for the course application.

For more information about the Council CDA course, please contact Idie Benjamin
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