

Play & Learn Congratulates Child Care Professionals on their Excellent Achievement

Play & Learn, a non-profit early childhood education center in Montgomery County congratulates their child care professionals for being awarded a Child Development Associate (CDA) Credential in recognition of outstanding work with young children. The credential was awarded by the Council for Professional Recognition in Washington, DC, which represents the early childhood education profession.

Parents who use early childhood education centers want to be assured their children are receiving quality care. With this in mind, as part of the CDA program, candidates are required to complete 120 hours of classes and complete an assessment process. Every candidate for the CDA Credential is observed working with young children by an early childhood professional. In addition, the candidate must demonstrate the ability to work with families to develop children's physical and intellectual capabilities in a safe and healthy learning environment.

Play & Learn has supported the CDA program since 2006 with classes held in Fort Washington and Green Lane. Currently 10 child care professionals from our Ardmore and Bryn Mawr locations are participating in the CDA program as well. Play & Learn encourages our staff to participate and works with them to reach their goals.

Congratulations to Nicole DiBonaventura, Angela Coleman, Barbara Flanagan, Cynthia Dickerson, Stephanie Ried, Winnie Gallagher, Tania Yannis, Rebecca Mulbah, Ruschell Turner, Amanda Dougherty, Jessica Miller, Judy Williams, Melanie Brookshire, Kimberly Eckart, Leda Elia and Heather Murphy for your excellent achievement. Celestine Lee and Jamie Fritz will shortly be receiving their CDA Credentials as well. Play & Learn is very proud of all of you!

Play & Learn offers convenient, affordable, flexible child care for children six weeks to age 10 at ten locations. For more information on Play & Learn, our programs and locations, call (215) 643-4142, (610) 489-9598 or visit www.playandlearn.com.

Photo Caption: The Play & Learn Child Care Professionals from our Ft. Washington Infant/Toddler center are pictured.

