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Earn or Renew a CDA Credential

Are you looking to earn or renew a Child Development Associate (CDA) Credential? Trying Together is offering three CDA programs at no cost to eligible early childhood professionals in Pennsylvania. See if you are eligible: bit.ly/cda-programs

Earn a CDA Credential

Accepting Applications—Preparation Program

- Spring 2022 Classes: **1/11/22–6/14/22** (Deadline to Register: **12/20/21**)
- Fall 2022 Classes: 8/30/22-3/28/23
- Biweekly Zoom Meetings and Schoology

Participants complete 135 hours of professional development to earn their CDA Credential in six to nine months. Participants can matriculate up to nine course credits at Carlow University upon credential completion.

Apply: bit.ly/cda-interest

Get Help with Your Portfolio and the Exam

Accepting Applications—Community of Practice Program

- Fall 2021 Classes: **11/16/21–1/4/22** (Deadline to Register: **11/11/21**)
- Spring 2022 Classes: Spring Classes: 3/1/22-4/26/22
- Biweekly Zoom Meetings and Schoology

Participants receive support in building a portfolio and preparing for the CDA Credential Exam. Applicants must have proof of 120 hours of coursework completed via professional development hours, transcripts, etc.

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Renew a CDA Credential

Rolling Applications—Renewal Program

Participants review current standards, literature, strategies, and more to meet the criteria for eight early childhood subject areas upon completion.

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More Information

A limited number of technology devices are available through a Technology Lending Program for those who qualify. If you have questions about any of our programs, contact Theresa Hetler at **theresa@tryingtogether.org** and Jasmine Davis at **jasmine@tryingtogether.org**.

