

CAAEYC

***Capital Area Association for the Education of Young Children***

***CAAEYC Mission***

*The purpose of the Capital Area Association for the Education of Young Children (CAAEYC) is to enhance the lives of children by providing support for adults working with or on behalf of young children. CAAEYC expresses its mission in terms of three broad goals:*

* *Facilitating*

*improvements in the professional practice of early childhood development and education.*

* *Increasing public understanding and support for high quality programs for young children and their families.*
* *Fostering collaboration and building a cohesive community of early childhood professionals.*

 Accreditation Committee

**Accreditation Support**

**Are you organized?**

**Do you have experience working in an accredited program?**

**Do you enjoy helping others work toward their professional goals?**

**Are you interested in using your knowledge of Early Childhood Education to assist others in achieving accreditation for their early learning programs?**

**If so, CAAEYC has a committee for you!**

 *Responsibilities– Support Accreditation chair:*

* Promoting accreditation to directors of early learning programs
* Providing a CAAEYC workshop on accreditation or enlisting others to do so
* Maintaining materials for lending library and providing loan services and collection of materials as requested
* Implementing the grant program for accreditation
* Communicating activity of accreditation committee to VP of Support
* Answering questions and providing information related to accreditation process and grant application
* Providing newsletter chair with information regarding accreditation committee, as requested



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 ***“The VOICE of Early Childhood in the Capital Area”***