



## T.E.A.C.H. Talk September 2016

### *New Program Coordinator*

DAEYC and TEACH are happy to share that Michelle Spencer is the new T.E.A.C.H. Early Childhood® Delaware Coordinator

Michelle Spencer joined TEACH and DAEYC August 15, 2016 as the new Coordinator. Michelle brings over 20 years of experience in the early childhood field in Delaware to the office. With degrees from Delaware Technical Community College, Wilmington University and University of Delaware, having held various roles and having worked on many projects over the years, she is very familiar with our schools and our working population.

Michelle is excited to bring her knowledge, experiences, and ideas to T.E.A.C.H. and DAEYC. She looks forward to building a partnership for the advancement of the Early Care and Education Professional.

Michelle can be contacted via email at [mspencer@daeyc.org](mailto:mspencer@daeyc.org) or by phone at (302) 764-1501.



### *Congratulations Graduates!*

Please celebrate this year's graduating class!

TEACH would like to celebrate the following students who have graduated so far in 2016!

Associate Degrees:

Shaymaa Ismaa'eel, Newark, Sunshine Station Early Learning Center

Madden Elentrio, Middletown, Brilliant Little Minds

Casey Michael, Middletown, Learning Tree Academy

Christina Edwards, Georgetown, FCC Provider

Heather Collins, Frankford, Cozy Critters

Bachelor Degrees:

Miranda Knuth, Middletown, Tender Loving Kare I

Soheir Girgis, New Castle, FCC Provider

Amanda Organek, Bear, UD Early Learning Center



# *New Forms & Procedure Update*

*Working to make your experience better!*

Please keep an eye out for some new forms. We will begin using Professional Development forms as a way to better help guide you through your college experience! Also, we will be sending out release forms to allow us to use some quotes (and maybe in the future photos) in our marketing and social media!



TEACH does not generally pay for books upfront. If you are having difficulty purchasing your books, please let us know and we will help you explore options (such as renting, used, Amazon). However, it is not standard procedure for TEACH to purchase books upfront, we will reimburse you after Form B with receipts have been submitted.

## *Forms needed*

*Scholars and Sponsors - Don't forget!!!*

Summer session has ended and we need your Forms C as well as grade reports in order to close out the semester and be sure that all invoicing is correct. If you have not submitted your forms, you may receive a bill.



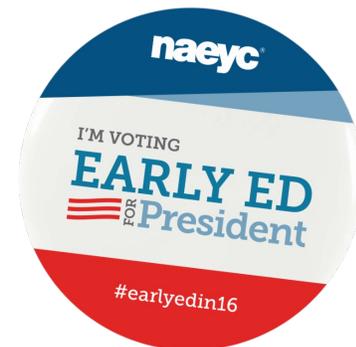
If you are taking fall classes, be sure that you submit your student bill/statement along with your Form B as soon as you are able to purchase books. Form B needs to be submitted even if you do not purchase books in order to process tuition and travel claims.

Forms can be faxed to (302) 475-5300 or emailed to Lynn or Michelle!

## *Advocacy doesn't stop in April*

*Join NAEYC in the Early Ed for Presidency Movement*

NAEYC is helping every American see the importance of what we do every day and not just here in Delaware, but bringing it to the National level and to the 2016 Presidential elections! "Its not just about kissing babies", what do the nominees stand on investing in our profession? See more [here](#).



## *Sponsor corner*

*Just for the centers and sponsoring programs!*

Thank you for your support of the scholars in your programs! Be on the look out for a program update form so that we can be sure to have your most current information.

Let's talk release time... are you using it? Have you come up with a clever way to get your scholars their much needed time while maintaining your daily operations? We want to hear your ideas so that we can share them!

Did you remember to submit your Form C so that you get reimbursed for the release time?



## *Tell us what you want*

Let us know what you want to see in your newsletter in the future!

I make a **Difference** for young children.



Ask me how.™

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"Instruction ends in the school-room, but education ends only with life."

- Frederick W. Robertson