

# Is your program receiving payment through the NJ Child Care Assistance Program and/or enrolled in Grow NJ Kids?

If so, take advantage of scholarships available for:

- CDA Coursework
- CDA Assessment Fee
- College Coursework (AA, BA, P-3)



## Let us help you!

Apply for your scholarship through the NJ Workforce Registry

### Am I Eligible?

If you are a teacher or assistant teacher in a child care center or are a registered family child care provider and your program is enrolled in Grow NJ Kids and/or receives payment on behalf of children that receive a assistance through the NJ Child Care Assistance Program, you may be eligible.

Applicants must have been employed for at least three months and must remain employed at the same program while receiving scholarship funds and for one year after completing all scholarship-funded coursework. The applicant must be employed full time (at least 20 hours per week) and must complete all Child Care Development Block Grant (CCDBG) required health and safety training.

### Where Can I Use My Scholarship?

Scholarships can be used for CDA training and college coursework. Non-credit CDA training must be completed at a NJ Workforce Registry approved Training Agency. Credit CDA coursework or coursework for college credit must be obtained at a regionally accredited, two-year or four-year institution of higher education. All institutions where training/credits will be pursued must be an approved Training Agency with the NJ Workforce Registry.

### Where Do I Apply?

Go to [www.NJCCIS.com](http://www.NJCCIS.com). Applications are available through the NJ Workforce Registry, in your Professional Profile, under "Grants & Scholarships". Funds are limited and scholarships will be offered on a first-come, first-served basis.