

Linda Lattimer Professional Tuition Scholarship provided by the *Westchester Association for the Education of Young Children*

The Linda Lattimer scholarships were established to honor the memory of Linda Fraser Lattimer who was the founding director of the *Purchase College Children's Center*. The award has as its goal making professional education in the field of early childhood more readily available to those WAEYC members currently working in the field of Early Childhood Education.

Application Process:

Grants are a one time award given as financial assistance for tuition costs for full or part time study of early childhood education.

Grants will be awarded to students enrolled in programs leading to CDA, Child Care Certification, AA, BA/BS, MA/MS, and EdD/PhD credentials.

WAEYC will award a minimum of 2 CDA Scholarships and 2 undergraduate/graduate or doctoral programs, depending on applications received.

Awards will be in the amount of up to \$1500 per recipient.

Completed applications must be postmarked by February 28, 2010. Recipients will be notified by April 3, 2010.

Awards will be presented at the WAEYC Annual Membership Dinner in May, 2010.

Proof of course registration and full payment is required.

Eligibility:

Applicant must work with children (teacher, assistant, aide, or director) in a Westchester County early childhood program serving infants, toddlers, preschoolers and/or K through 3rd grade students.

Applicant must be a member of WAEYC at time of application. You may join WAEYC as you apply. Go to www.westchesteraeyc.com for details.

Selection Process:

You will be notified by mail, e-mail or phone call when your application is received.

Your application will be reviewed by the committee members.

Each candidate will be notified in writing of the decision on his/her application.

All successful candidates will be invited as guests to receive their awards at the WAEYC Annual Membership Dinner in May.

**WESTCHESTER ASSOCIATION FOR THE EDUCATION
OF YOUNG CHILDREN
LINDA FRASER LATTIMER Tuition Scholarship**

Application

Please type or print. Answer all questions
Incomplete applications cannot be considered.

Applicant's full name _____

WAEYC membership number _____

Home address _____

Telephone number _____ e-mail address _____

Education background: circle all that apply: HS CDA AA BA BS MA MS

Other professional certificates _____

Name of current employer _____

Name of Center _____

Address _____

Telephone _____ contact person _____

Current work information: position _____

Ages of children _____ date employed _____

Name of college or program _____

Course for which you are requesting award:

Name _____ cost _____ credits _____

Dates of enrollment _____

Please prepare a statement, include the following information and attach it to this form.

Your name

Your responsibilities and duties

Reasons for seeking this award

Describe how this award will assist you in pursuing a career in ECE, including any special interests you may have.

A professional letter of reference and recommendation from your supervisor is required with this application.

Send all documents to: Jeanette Mirabile, Transitional Learning Center
555 Davenport Avenue, New Rochelle, NY 10805