Penn’s innovative CDA program consists of 3 courses that build on the knowledge of early childhood practitioners, connecting child development theory and practice, as well as health, safety, nutrition, family community relations, and ethical practice with children, families, and the community. The CDA six competency goals and thirteen functional areas are integrated into course content and discussions.

**Participant Costs per course:**

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*Tuition paid by T.E.A.C.H.  
*Can transfer to an Associates Degree!* 

**How to Register:**

**Step 1:** Pre-Register Online: [http://bit.ly/CDAPLN](http://bit.ly/CDAPLN)


**Step 3:** Upon approved, see page 2 for PLN online registration instructions.

**Step 4:** Email [gsepennlit@pobox.upenn.edu](mailto:gsepennlit@pobox.upenn.edu) with your name to confirm your registration.

For more information on T.E.A.C.H. Scholarships, visit [www.pacca.org](http://www.pacca.org) or contact Jennifer Engle at (717) 657-0794.

**www.gse.upenn.edu/pln**

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**Child Development Associate**

9 Credits: Three-3 credit courses meet in person AND online.

**Class Dates & Times:**

In Person Classes meet Tuesdays from 6:00-9:00pm

- CDA Course I: November 6 - December 4, 2018
- CDA Course II: December 11 - January 1, 2019 (No Class on 1/01/19)
- CDA Course III: January 8 - February 5, 2019

**Class Location:**

The Catalyst Center, 3440 Market Street, 5th Floor  
Philadelphia, PA 19104

Instructor: Dr. Amy Saia

For more information, please contact the PLN Office: gsepennlit@pobox.upenn.edu 215-898-1984

*In order to be a T.E.A.C.H. scholarship recipient, participants must be in a Keystone Stars program.*

*Please see page 2 for details.

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Complete the following!

1. **First, PRE-REGISTER:** Go to http://bit.ly/CDAPLN


   *Please submit a complete T.E.A.C.H. Scholarship applications right away by email to Jennifer Engle - jen.engle@pacca.org. Direct any questions regarding the scholarship or application to Jennifer.*


4. Please email gsepennlit@pobox.upenn.edu when STEPS 1 to 3 have been completed. Include your name, childcare center and the location you are taking the courses.

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**Tuition Details:**

*Please note that the CDA program consists of THREE courses.*

*Course tuition for EACH 3-credit class is $1,166.*

*There are NO BOOKS TO PURCHASE.*

- **T.E.A.C.H.** will pay 90% of this tuition ($1,049.40) PLUS provide $125 transportation fee per semester.

- **Childcare centers** will pay 5% of this tuition ($58.30).

- **Scholarship recipients** will pay 5% of this tuition ($58.30).

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