## **Child Care Career and Professional Development Fund Checklist**

Applicant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Before mailing your application, check to make sure you have included all required information and make copies for your records. This checklist must be signed by the participating college Coordinator before submitting to MSDE. Incomplete applications will not be processed.

Do not send original transcripts, diplomas, licenses, etc. **Do** send clear legible copies of these documents. **Do** provide documentation of all experience

## **NEW** Applications are due by March 1<sup>st</sup> each year.

Application – Completed, signed and dated	
Experience – At least one year of child care experience	
<ul> <li>Signed letter from current employer on letterhead <u>OR</u> Current Family Child Care licen</li> </ul>	se.
<ul> <li>Signed letter from previous employer on letterhead</li> </ul>	
Participation in the Maryland Child Care Credential – Level Two or higher – Copy of curre	ent
Maryland Child Care Credential certificate.	
College enrollment toward a degree in early childhood education or related field	
<ul> <li>Letter of acceptance or other documentation from a CCCPDF participating College/University including a declared major.</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Professional development plan that includes course(s) and timeline required to comple degree.</li> </ul>	ete

## CONTINUATION – Transferring to a Four Year College – Applications are due by June 30<sup>th</sup> each year.

Application – Completed, signed and dated
<b>Continued Employment</b> – Signed Letter from current employer on letterhead <u>OR</u> Current Family Child Care license.
<b>Continued Credential Participation</b> – Copy of current Maryland Child Care Credential certificate – Level Two or higher
College enrollment toward a degree in early childhood education or related field:
<ul> <li>Letter of acceptance from a CCCPDF participating college/university including a declared major</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Professional development plan that includes course(s) and timeline required to complete degree.</li> </ul>

## **CONTINUATION** Applications are due by June 30<sup>th</sup> each year.

Application – Completed, signed and dated
Continued Employment – Signed Letter from current employer on letterhead OR Current Family
Child Care license.
Participation in the Maryland Child Care Credential at Level Two or Higher – Copy of current
Maryland Child Care Credential certificate.
College enrollment toward a degree in early childhood education or related field:
Copy of current college transcript
Revised Professional Development Plan (if applicable)

By signing this checklist, I am confirming that all required documents are included and students applying to participate in the CCCPDF program have applied for all financial assistance for which they are eligible. I have received a FAFSA confirmation email from the student if appropriate.

Coordinator's Signature: Date: