

## 2010 CantonAAEYC Awards Nomination Form

Persons may be nominated in the following categories:  
(see reverse for more details)

Nominees do  
NOT need to be  
members of  
CantonAAEYC!!!

- *Early Childhood Advocate of the Year*
  - *Teacher of the Year*
- *Family Child Care Provider of the Year*
  - *Program Administrator of the Year*
  - *Early Childhood Student of the Year*

Nominations must  
be postmarked  
by  
**Friday, March 19**

There are many outstanding professionals who deserve recognition for their efforts on behalf of young children. Please take the time to nominate a deserving person by completing the form below. The award nomination form should be accompanied by three letters of support from supervisors, co-workers, parents, instructors and/or anyone else who knows the nominee in regard to their experience in the field of early childhood. Family members cannot write support letters. Please feel free to duplicate this form if necessary.

Nominees should possess a number of characteristics and attitudes that set them apart from their colleagues. To help the selection committee better understand how your nominee meets these high standards; please provide specific written examples of how he or she has made an impact on young children. In addition to those specific, objective comments; please include impressions of what makes this individual such a special person. Persons nominating must submit a letter of nomination and no more than three support letters, totaling a maximum of four letters submitted.

If you have any questions about the nominating process please contact Paula Selway @ (330) 452-8376.

Name of Nominee \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee's Current Position \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee's Place of Employment \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Program/School Attending \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Years in the Early Childhood Profession \_\_\_\_\_

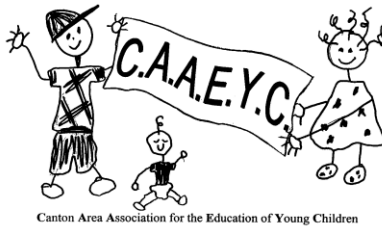
Award Category (from above) \_\_\_\_\_

Address and Phone Number of Nominee \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Person Nominating \_\_\_\_\_

Address and Phone Number of Nominator \_\_\_\_\_

*Persons being nominated must have held that position within the past calendar year.*



## **2010 CantonAAEYC Recognition Awards**

The Awards Committee is seeking nominations for the following awards to be presented at the 2009 Awards and Recognition event. **Nominees must work, live or attend school in Stark County.**

**CAAEYC Early Childhood Advocate of the Year:** to recognize an individual in the field of early childhood education who has made significant career contributions to the field which have had an impact on the needs, rights and well being of children throughout the area.

**CAAEYC Teacher of the Year:** to acknowledge an early childhood educator who works directly with children. Evidence of developmentally appropriate practices should be presented in the description of outstanding service and letters of support from the staff and parents.

**CAAEYC Family Child Care Provider of the Year:** to acknowledge an early childhood educator who works directly with children in a family care setting. Evidence of developmentally appropriate practices should be presented in the description of outstanding service and in letters of support from parents and peers.

**CAAEYC Program Administrator of the Year:** to recognize outstanding directors, principals, and other administrators of early childhood programs. Nominees should be advocates for quality programming which meets the needs of staff and families while also providing administrative leadership and support to ensure developmentally appropriate practice. Evidence of the criteria should be presented in the description of outstanding services and letters of support from staff and families.

**CAAEYC Early Childhood Student of the Year:** to acknowledge an individual who excels in a Child Development Associate (CDA) program or an accredited degreed program in Early Childhood Education (or closely related field) through a college or university. Nominees should have an understanding of developmentally appropriate practices and exhibit an outstanding enthusiasm for their anticipated profession. Letters of support should document how the student is preparing to positively impact the field of Early Childhood Education.

**Nominations can be made by submitting a completed nomination form and three letters of support to:**

**2010 CantonAAEYC Award Nominee  
PO Box 20313  
Canton, Ohio 44701**

The nomination form and three letters of support must be sent together. If you would like to be notified of the receipt of your nomination packet, please include a self-addressed stamped envelope with your materials.

### **Deadline:**

**Nominations must be postmarked by March 19, 2010.**