



Apply Now

ND Early Childhood Workers Individual Incentives and Stipends are Available!

Quality early learning experiences begin with a qualified and trained workforce

If you work with children in an early childhood setting, you can Be REWARDED for:

- Working in the same North Dakota licensed child care program for at least three months, and/or
- Completing training leading to an Early Childhood Credential or Early Childhood Education degree, and/or
- Having completed an Early Childhood Credential or Degree

WHO:

- Early childhood professionals registered in ND's Growing Futures Registry.
 - Register or Log-in and update your existing Growing Futures Registry Account

WHEN:

APPLY NOW. Go to your individual Growing Futures Membership account at **www.ndgrowingfutures.org** to apply.

WHAT: See ALL Stipend and Incentive Details at:

www.nd.gov/dhs/services/earlychildhood/ec-stipends-incentives.html

Workforce Retention Stipend:

• Receive quarterly stipends for completing the required Getting Started training course AND working in a North Dakota licensed child care program for the previous 90 days (minimum 15-hours per week). Your employer must have verified your employment in the Growing Futures Registry.

Career Pathways Incentive:

• Receive one (1) Career Pathways incentive award ranging from \$900 to \$1,600 for completing an approved Early Childhood credential or degree

Workforce Training Incentive:

• Receive multiple Workforce Training Incentives for completing specific coursework and training requirements.

QUESTIONS?

- For questions, contact the ND Early Childhood Division at 701.328.2115, 711 (TTY) and dhsec@nd.gov
- Growing Futures' Help Center has many useful resources see the link below: <u>www.ndgrowingfutures.org/help-center</u>