



# Early Childhood North Central Iowa

[Serving children 0-5 in Emmet, Kossuth, Palo Alto, and Winnebago counties]

March 26, 2018

Dear Families:

Thank you for applying to Early Childhood North Central Iowa for tuition assistance. Attached you will find our tuition assistance application for the 2018-2019 school year. **Please fill out the application and return to your preschool if your child will be three by September 15<sup>th</sup>, 2018.**

The board will seek to fund tuition for those families under the 200% federal poverty level. **Funding will pay for full tuition for 3yr old preschool up to \$130/mo. for 9 months and will pay the school directly.** Qualified applicants include:

- Families whose child attends a three year old quality preschool program.
- Qualifying preschools include those that are participating in QPPS (verified or in process), participating in QRS level 3 or higher, are NAEYC accredited or are complying with Head Start standards.

Please ask your preschool if they qualify for tuition assistance.

If your family qualifies for tuition assistance, you and your preschool will be notified by e-mail after your application has been processed.

Applying does not guarantee funding. Applicants will be notified as to whether or not they have been approved for funding based on their income qualifications and the funding available. The ECNCI Board reserves the right to give partial scholarships when funding is limited. Applications will not be approved until state funding is secured. **Please direct any questions to: [kschlievert@plaea.org](mailto:kschlievert@plaea.org).**

Thank you,

Kris Schlievert  
Early Childhood North Central Iowa Director  
200 North Phillips Street Algona, IA 50511  
[kschlievert@plaea.org](mailto:kschlievert@plaea.org)  
515-341-0640 cell