



Wednesday, September 2nd
8:30am-5pm at Cascade Center
233 Bond St. Elyria 44035

Monday, September 14th
8:30am-5pm at Admin
25300 Lorain Rd. North Olmsted 44070

Tuesday, September 15th
9am-4pm at CentroVilla25
3140 W. 25th St. Cleveland 44109

Who Can Apply?

- Residents of Lorain and Cuyahoga Counties
- 16-24 year olds with a HS diploma/GED
- High School students (Junior +)

Benefits:

- “Earn while you Learn” model
- No-cost online training
- Books and resources to complete all classes
- On-site coaching and mentoring
- Receive a free laptop and technology support
- CDA credential from the Council for Professional Recognition
- Additional no-cost workshops in practical skills

Apprentices Commit To:

- Completing the CDA Professional Portfolio
- Once weekly training classes
- Completing 120 online training hours and 480 classroom hours

Child Development Associate (CDA)

Apprenticeship Program

The CDA (Child Development Associate) Apprenticeship Program offered by Horizon Education Centers is a hands-on training opportunity designed to help young adults build rewarding careers in early childhood education. This program combines classroom learning with real-world experience, allowing participants to earn their CDA credential while gaining valuable skills in child development, teaching, and classroom management. With free online courses, on-site mentoring, and technology support, it's a supportive pathway for Lorain County residents ages 16–24 or high school juniors interested in making a difference in the lives of children.

To Learn More:

<https://www.horizoneducationcenters.org/cda>



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