



National Association for the Education of Young Children

Interested in NAEYC (check out the following areas plus the FAQ box)

- overview
- purpose of self study
- brief overall of 4 steps

<http://www.naeyc.org/academy/interested/whyaccreditation>

Pursuing Accreditation and Reaccreditation (click on the area you want more information on plus click on the side bar to the left too. That will give you even further information that is very helpful. The FAQ box is very informative as well.)

- Detailed 4 steps(Enrollment/Self Study – Application/Self Assessment – Candidacy – Meet and Maintain NAEYC Standards
- Requirements
- Timelines
- Education Qualifications
- Report Changes
- Extensions
- Cancellations/Withdrawals
- Appeals

<http://www.naeyc.org/academy/pursuing/overview>

Portfolio Information and Tips

[-Visuals of Portfolios along with Helpful Tips](#)

-also see additional portfolio information on the **TORCH** link below at Resource Library/tools for self assessment..

Currently Accredited Programs(check out the following areas plus the FAQ box)

- Requirements for Maintaining
- Annual Report
- Self Report Changes
- Additional Verification
- Random Unannounced Visits
- Pursuing Reaccreditation
- Extensions
- Appeals
- Programs Accredited after September 15, 2006 must maintain Candidacy requirements – a place to read more about this

<http://www.naeyc.org/academy/accredited/requirements>

Sign up for E- Updates about NAEYC

<http://www.naeyc.org/academy/primary/updates>

Scholarships

<http://www.naeyc.org/academy/primary/helpscholarships>

NAEYC Standards

<http://www.naeyc.org/academy/primary/standardsintro>

TORCH- Criteria Search-scroll down under quick links on the link listed below, then create your own shortcut

Resource Library

- Guide to Self Study
- Survey Tools for Self Study
- Guide to Self Assessment
- Survey Tools for Self Assessment
- Portfolio Tools and Labels (samples in the PowerPoint)
- Candidacy
- Site Visit

Help Desk, etc.

<http://www.naeyc.org/academy/primary/torch>

NAEYC Online Store

<http://www.naeyc.org/store/>

General FAQ

<http://www.naeyc.org/academy/primary/faqs>

Sitemap of website

<http://www.naeyc.org/sitemap>

Online Email Support Service

accreditation.information@naeyc.org

Phone Support: 1-800-424-2460 Choose option 3, then option 1

Fax Number: 1-202-232-1720

Great Articles from:

Young Children

<http://www.naeyc.org/yc/>

Teaching Young Children(preschool)

<http://www.naeyc.org/tyc/>

NAEYC Radio – best and latest insights and knowledge for parents and teachers to listen to and play

<http://www.naeyc.org/newsroom/NAEYCradio>

More Information for Families

<http://www.naeyc.org/academy/families/overview>

NAEYC Mentors to email

The following list has providers on it that have volunteered to help with questions and concerns you may have around the NAEYC Accreditation process and the NAEYC Renewal Process. Please call them or email them with plenty of time to implement any suggestions that they share:

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