



You  
belong  
here.

**You got your degree because you believe young children deserve a strong start.**

The Student Loan Repayment Assistance Program for Early Childhood Educators can cut down your debt so you can build up their future.

If you graduated with an early childhood education related degree and are working full-time at a program today, you may be eligible for up to \$4,000 per year to cover your student loans.

**All you have to do is apply, and keep doing the work you love.**

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Vermont Association for the Education of Young Children

# Student Loan Repayment Assistance Program Overview



## Am I Eligible?

### WORK

- Regulated, privately-owned center or family child care program
- Average at least 30 hours per week for 48 weeks per year
- Intend to work at least 1 year

### CERTIFICATION

- Associate's, Bachelor's, or Master's degree in one these concentrations:
  - Early childhood, Early childhood education, Child & human development, Elementary education, Special ed 0-8, Child & family services **OR**
  - A degree that contributes to an Early Childhood Career Ladder Certificate Level IIIB or higher

### FINANCES

- Incurred student loan debt for qualifying degree
- Annual salary is \$60,000 or less
- Not simultaneously participating in T.E.A.C.H. Early Childhood® Vermont
- Previous awardees must expend at least 80% of awarded SLRAP grant funds in order to qualify for a new program year

## How Do I Apply?

For additional information visit [vtaeyc.org/slap](http://vtaeyc.org/slap) or email [studentloanrepayment@vtaeyc.org](mailto:studentloanrepayment@vtaeyc.org)



Step  
01

Learn  
More

- Visit [www.vtaeyc.org/slap](http://www.vtaeyc.org/slap)

Step  
02

Prepare  
to Apply

- Collect and prepare any student loan documentation.
- Confirm degree information is in your BFIS account.

Step  
03

Apply  
Online

- Visit [webportalapp.com/sp/login/slap\\_25-26](http://webportalapp.com/sp/login/slap_25-26) to create a profile and answer prescreening questions.
- Complete the online application, save as a draft and return to anytime.
- Once submitted, you will receive a confirmation email.