



# Preschool Educator of The Year Nominees

## 2018-2019 School Year

**ANN HARMON** Caring Hands Daycare, IL

**SUSAN KAPLAN** William Penn Center, PA

**JENNER MCCORMICK** Penrose Elementary, CO

**MARLA BIRCH** William Penn Center, PA

**KATHY BURNS** Town & Country Early Learning Center, CN

**MANDY WHALEY** Erna Krouch Pre-School, OK

**SHAWNA JAMES** Bright Horizons, NY

**JAMIE DRABEK** Little Eagles Preschool, MI

**AMADA REED** Lincoln County RIII Early Childhood Education Center, MO

**MELISSA DE CASTRO** Preschool Canada Early Learning Academy, ON

**KELSIE PENNIE** Preschool Canada Early Learning Academy, ON

**KELLY MARTINS** Preschool Canada Early Learning Academy, ON

**JESSICA SIMO** Preschool Canada Early Learning Academy, ON

**CANDICE CRAIG** Preschool Canada Early Learning Academy, ON

**KALYA DAVIDSON** Preschool Canada Early Learning Academy, ON

**REBECCA MARTINS** Preschool Canada Early Learning Academy, ON

**ELLIE CHROME** Preschool Canada Early Learning Academy, ON

**CINDY WILLIAMS** John Wesley Early Learning Center, OH

**DANIELLE WOOD** Harmony School at Princeton Forrestal Village, NJ

**DOLORES HAYNES** Dolores Haynes Preschool, CA

**CINDY VAN EMBER** Tomahawk School, AB

**EMILY MCCALL** Natural Learners Preschool, MI

**CLARISSA DROSDOSKI** Downs Children Center, MB

**JAMIE PEREZ** Page Learning Academy Inc., CA

**DIANN KROOS** North American Martyrs, NE

**MICHELLE WEMHOFF** North American Martyrs, NE

**JULIETA PEREZ** Pleasanton Kindercare, CA

**MICHELLE KJERSEM** Pleasanton Kindercare, CA

**NIKI ROSEKOPF** Ankeny Community School District, IA

**LAURIE SPARHAM** Mountain YMCA, ON

**KIRA ANDERSON** Spirit at Play Early Childhood Program, MT

**JACQUE BILBRUCK** Carlyle ROE Pre-K, IL

**HEATHER HARTLEY** Simcoe County Resource Consultant  
Services, ON

**SHEILA HUNTER RECE** Building Blocks Co-Operative Nursery  
School, ON

**NICOLE DUAUETTE** Building Blocks Co-Operative Nursery  
School, ON

**LAURA ROYE** Building Blocks Co-Operative Nursery School, ON

**EMILY JAMES** Maniwaki Woodland School, QB

**BECKY BUTH** The Big Backyard, CA

**SARAH KUPSKY** Jesus' Lambs of Grace Preschool, WI

**RACHEAL PEECH** Centre D'enfant St. Claude Children's  
Centre, MB

**SHANNON KIEFER** Centre D'enfant St. Claude Children's  
Centre, MB

**DIANA CHAFETZ** The Appletree School, VA

**JEANNINE DELAURIER** École Laurier, MB

**JESSICA WEEKS SCOPE** UPre-K Phillips Ave School, NY

**DANIELLE MACINTYRE** West-End Day Care Centre Inc., MB

**CINDY KOZAK** Pembina Valley Childcare Centres – Manitou,  
MB

**SHEILA ABROMAITIS** St. Gabriel Elementary, AB