

Joyce Brooks
Lead Blue Jay Teacher

Joyce Brooks has over twelve years of teaching experience in various types of childcare settings, working with young children from birth through age eight. Joyce studied early childhood education and development and continues to learn about the latest developmentally appropriate practices for young children. Joyce holds degrees from George Mason University and Northern Virginia Community College in both Early Childhood Special Education and Child Development. Joyce also earned a nationally accredited certificate in early childhood development called a Child Development Associate (CDA).

Joyce chose to work with young children because she understands that the first few years are the most precious to a child's overall development and hopes to encourage a love for learning. She enjoys planning and implementing endless opportunities for young children to grow and develop through exploration and play.

Joyce was raised and still resides in Arlington with her husband and daughter. She enjoys reading, hiking, and exploring the Washington, DC area with her family and friends. She plans activities, games, and art projects to try with her daughter then enjoys bringing them to the classroom.