



## 2012 APPLE BLOSSOM AWARDS

Nominate Your Favorite Teacher as an  
Apple Blossom Teacher of the Year

- ✿ **All early childhood educators will be honored at the NAFC Annual Celebration Dinner Wed. Mar.28, 2012**
- ✿ **Parents, care-givers, teachers, colleagues, directors, former students may nominate their favorite teacher.**
- ✿ **The NAFC Apple Blossom Awards honor individual head teachers giving care and education to infants and young children in licensed childcare programs in Collier County.**
- ✿ **Nominees must have at least a CDA, and a minimum of two years teaching experience in an early childhood program , including one complete year in their current center as a head teacher.**
- ✿ **Former Apple Blossom Finalists and Nominees may be nominated. Former Winners are NOT eligible to be nominated, but will be recognized at the dinner for their continued excellence in the field.**

**Apple Blossom Nomination Forms  
Are Available Through Your Center Office,  
NAFC @649-5260 or the NAFC Web Site  
[www.napleschild.org](http://www.napleschild.org)**

**Deadline for Nominations is  
2:00 p.m., Friday, January 13, 2012**