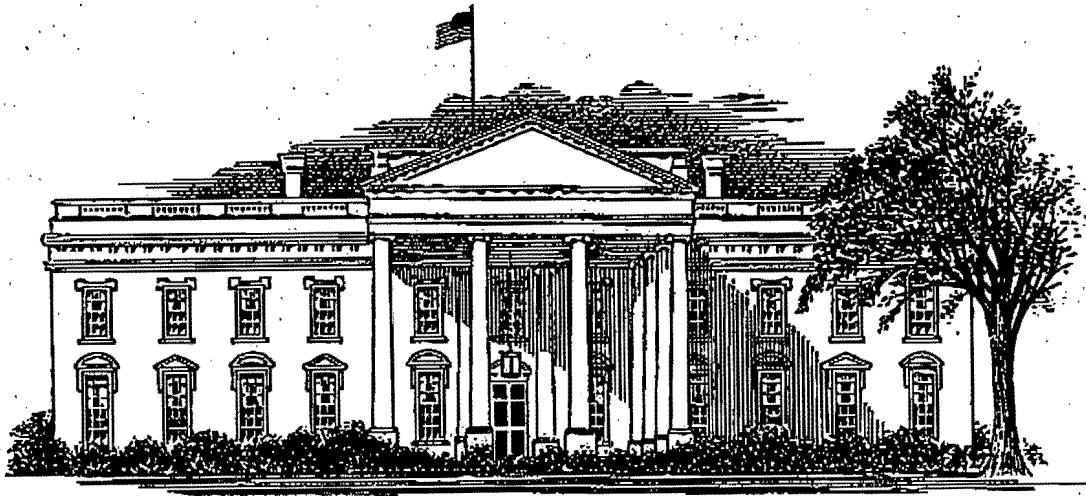




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"advocating for Judy Centers - a collaborative model for comprehensive, community based childhood and family support services"

The Foundation Mission

The Judith P. Hoyer Foundation was established to continue Judy Hoyer's legacy by promoting early childhood education and family services through "Family Learning Centers" which are now becoming known as "JUDY CENTERS".

The Foundation Goals

- * to raise awareness of what constitutes a "Judy Center"
- * to advocate for the creation of more "Judy Centers" across Maryland
- * To advise educational leaders how to establish "Judy Centers" in their own communities

What is a "JUDY CENTER"?

It was Judy Hoyer's vision to provide children and families with a full range of services in one location, so that together they would have the bases to succeed. By establishing community-based schools - with everything from job training and health services to parenting skills and early childhood education - this comprehensive model furnishes families with the support and assistance they need to provide a successful foundation for their children's education.

Basic Programs provided at a Judy Center:

- *Primary Classrooms with innovative, hands-on instruction
 - * Pre- Kindergarten
 - * Head Start
 - * Even-Start - Family Literacy Training
 - * Child Care
 - * Health Screening
 - * Family Support Services
- * University teacher training and research

Additional programs which, depending upon local community needs, may also be included in a Judy Center:

- * ESOL - English for Speakers of Other Languages
- * ISOG - International Student Guidance Office
 - * Adult Basic Education
 - * Parent & student Counseling
 - * Basic Computer Training
- *Entitlement Program Screening
 - *Basic computer training
 - *Nutritional training
- *Life/Job Marketing Skills Training
- *Custodial child care while parents are in training
 - *Children's art classes
 - *Staff development
- *Interpreters and interpretations for conferences, meetings, and written communication
 - *Lending Libraries

JUDITH P. HOYER

- * leading expert on children's issues
- * native of Washington, D.C.
- * attended Suitland High School
- * graduate of Towson State University in Baltimore with BS in Early Childhood Education in 1961
- * 1978 named education resource teacher for early education responsible for the curriculum for Head Start and Before and After School programs
- * 1986 named Prince George's Co. Supervisor for early childhood education
- * 1989 Coordinating Supervisor of Early Childhood Education in Prince George's Co. overseeing the curriculum for more than 23,000 children in 117 elementary schools countywide
- * developed a multisensory language-arts curriculum for kindergarten, first and second grad students
- * Member of the National Board of the Epilepsy Foundation
- * Member and former President of Prince George's Co. Arts Council
- * Chair of Board of Trade Scholarship Committee
- * Former President of Board of Trade Education Foundation
- * Board of Directors of Wolf Trap Institute on Early Learning through the Arts
- * Board of Directors Doctor's Community Hospital
- * Board of Directors Stephens Engineering
- * Board of Directors of the Salvation Army

Steny H. Hoyer

A Leader and Consensus Builder on Education

Congressman Steny Hoyer's commitment to public education is unwavering and long-standing. He values high standards, student and teacher accountability, and fairness and equality. Steny Hoyer believes the federal government has an important role to play in helping citizens acquire the skills they need to compete in the New Economy. He also believes education is critical to our continued national economic prosperity. As a Member of the Appropriations Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Education, Congressman Hoyer has gained tremendous experience in these issues. The following are examples of his accomplishments:

- ✓ **COORDINATED SERVICES.** Introduced the "Family Services Improvement Act" that would reduce barriers to services to children and families, simplify federal requirements and improve coordination among programs to cut costs and achieve better results. Also introduced legislation simplifying the application and reporting requirements for federal financial assistance.
- ✓ **ED FLEX.** Voted for "Ed-Flex" bill that gives states more leeway on how to spend federal money so long as students are performing well.
- ✓ **CLASS SIZE REDUCTION INITIATIVE.** Co-sponsored a bill to establish a program to help states and local education agencies recruit, train and hire 100,000 additional teachers over seven years to reduce class sizes nationally in grades one through three.
- ✓ **FIGHTING REPUBLICAN CUTS IN EDUCATION.** As a Member of the Labor, HHS and Education Appropriations Subcommittee, he has led the fight to restore funding for Head Start, Title I, Goals 2000, and Safe and Drug Free Schools, bilingual education, teacher training, and putting computers and the Internet in classrooms. Also voted to reauthorize Head Start, charter schools, IDEA and school lunch programs.
- ✓ **SCHOOL MODERNIZATION.** Co-sponsored legislation to provide federal tax credits to pay the interest on \$22 billion in bonds for building and modernizing more than 5,000 public schools.
- ✓ **HOPE SCHOLARSHIP AND LIFETIME LEARNING TAX CREDIT.** Voted for provision in the Taxpayer Relief Act of 1997, setting up the Hope Scholarship Program. Nearly 6 million students nationwide benefit from the Hope Scholarship. Lifetime Learning Tax Credit will benefit 7.2 million students each year allowing a tax credit worth 20 percent of tuition up to \$5,000 until 2002 and \$10,000 thereafter.
- ✓ **SCHOOL VOUCHERS.** Has consistently voted against school vouchers, which would siphon funding away from public schools.

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