



# ADE HOFMANN

*Founder, Director, and Teacher  
Nature Play All Day, Appleton, ME*

## PROFILE

Ade Hofmann left over a decade of traditional teaching experience behind when she traded fluorescent lights for sunshine. For the last six and a half years, she has continued to rewrite the narrative of what early childhood looks and feels like for children and educators. Her philosophy for early childhood education is that living is learning and that play is an essential right for all!

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## ➤ EARLY CHILDHOOD EXPERIENCE

### NATURE PLAY ALL DAY

*Founder, Speaker, Professional Development Services*

### DIRIGO LEARNING

*Co-Founder/Co-Director, Teacher*

### CAREGIVER/PRIVATE GROUP ORGANIZER

*Nature Play Group for ages 3-7, Hidden Valley Nature Center*

### JUNIPER HILL SCHOOL

*Early Childhood Director/Teacher/Chair (PK-K)*

### BOB JONES NATURE CENTER

*Lead Teacher, Pre-Kindergarten*

### KIPP TRUTH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

*Kindergarten Teacher*

### GREAT EXPECTATIONS DAY CARE

*Lead Teacher*

## ➤ EDUCATION

### UNIVERSITY OF SAINT JOSEPH'S

*M.Ed. Early Childhood and Special Education*

### SOUTHERN CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY

*B.A. Art History*

### PAIER COLLEGE OF ART

*A.A Photography & Visual Arts*




# KAYLEE DODGE

*Founding Lead Teacher  
Nature Play All Day, Appleton, ME*

## PROFILE

Kaylee Dodge is passionate about giving young children the gift of true play and self-expression. She knows that through a warm and trustworthy relationship, children will venture into valuable play experiences that ignite natural learning. Kaylee believes that providing children with the space to fully express themselves through play will nurture a healthy start to their education, a love of learning, and the confidence to follow curiosity.

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## ➤ EARLY CHILDHOOD EXPERIENCE

### NATURE PLAY ALL DAY

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### DIRIGO LEARNING

*Co-Teacher, ages 3-7*

### CAREGIVER/PRIVATE GROUP ORGANIZER

*Nature Play Group for ages 3-7, Hidden Valley Nature Center*

### JUNIPER HILL SCHOOL

*Early Childhood Teacher/(PK-K)*

### BOWDOIN COLLEGE CHILDREN'S CENTER

*Co-Lead Educator, ages 2-6*

### THE LITTLE DOLPHIN SCHOOL

*Lead Preschool Teacher, ages 3-4*

## ➤ EDUCATION

### UNIVERSITY OF MAINE AT FARMINGTON

*M.S. Early Childhood Education*

### UNIVERSITY OF MAINE AT FARMINGTON

*B.S. Early Childhood Special Education  
Minor Psychology*