



TOWN OF QUEEN CREEK | OFFICE OF THE MAYOR PROCLAMATION



WHEREAS, all young children deserve quality early learning environments that support them as lifelong learners; and

WHEREAS, nurturing parenting and quality, accessible child care programs are essential to children’s development during the critical years from birth to age five; and

WHEREAS, investments in babies and young children has profound impacts on building thriving, vibrant communities; and

WHEREAS, First Things First, Arizona Association for the Young Children, Southern Arizona Association for the Education of Young Children, and other community organizations, in conjunction with the National Association for the Education of Young Children are celebrating the 52nd Anniversary of Week of the Young Child; and

WHEREAS, These organizations are working to improve equitable early learning opportunities that provide a strong start for children in the Town of Queen Creek Arizona; and

WHEREAS, early childhood educators and child care providers make a difference in the lives of young children and deserve recognition and support; and

WHEREAS, public policies that support early care and learning for all young children help Arizona’s families, communities, and economy thrive.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that I, Julia Wheatley, Mayor of the Town of Queen Creek, do hereby proclaim April 1 – 7, 2023 as

WEEK OF THE YOUNG CHILD

in Queen Creek, Arizona and encourage citizens to support and invest in early childhood education in our community.

WITNESS MY HAND this 5th Day of April, 2023.

Julia Wheatley,
Mayor

Maria Gonzalez,
Town Clerk

