

CDA MAP

STEP 1: PREPARE

DIPLOMA/GED

Any time before application

480 TEACHING HOURS

Within 3 years before application



QUORUM

120 Training Hours in
8 Subject Areas

Any time before application

Refer to Quorum course
listing

Final Step: Request CDA
letter for portfolio

Questions? Contact
Quorum Help Desk

help@quorumlearning.com



PROFESSIONAL PORTFOLIO

Within 6 months before
application

***Take the CDA Planner
course for helpful resources
to build your portfolio.**

Questions? Contact your
Director and/or CDA Council

www.cdacouncil.org

***Quorum can help
with the CDA Planner
course only.**

STEP 2: APPLY



APPLICATION & FEE

Questions?
Contact CDA Council

www.cdacouncil.org



STEP 3: DEMONSTRATE



COUNCIL APPROVAL OF COMPLETED APPLICATION

“Ready to Schedule”
Notification

CDA VERIFICATION VISIT

Within 6 months after
application

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EXAM

Within 6 months after
application

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