

FOUNDATIONS OF EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION, CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION



Certificate of Completion: CCL 5054
18-19 Credits

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Program Description

The Certificate of Completion (CCL) in Foundations of Early Childhood Education is designed to prepare students with foundational knowledge regarding the growth and development of the young child. Topics include cognitive and physical development of the young child, language acquisition, curriculum development, health and safety guidelines, business procedures, and family/community relationship building. This CCL is embedded (can be used to fulfill part of the requirements) in a second available CCL, Early Childhood Education. Both CCLs are embedded (can be used to fulfill requirements) in the Associate in Applied Science (AAS) in Early Childhood Education.

Program Notes

Students must earn a grade of “C” or better for all courses within the program. Overall program minimum GPA = 2.00.

For some employment and field experiences (including internship courses), students will be required to have a current Identity Verified Print (IVP) Fingerprint Clearance Card and a current TB vaccination.

++ indicates any suffixed course may be selected.

Program Requirements

Code	Title	Credits	Semester
Required Courses			
Select one of the following:		3	_____
CFS/ECH176	Child Development		_____
CFS235	Developing Child: Theory into Practice, Prenatal to Age Eight		_____
EED205	The Developing Child: Prenatal to Age Eight		_____
EED200	Foundations of Early Childhood Education	3	_____
Select one of the following options:		3	_____
Option One			

EED212	Guidance, Management and the Environment		_____
Option Two			
CFS/ECH271	Arranging the Environment		_____
CFS282	Mainstreaming The Young Child With a Disability		_____
ECH282	Discipline/ Guidance of Child Groups		_____
Select one of the following options:		3	_____
Option One			
CFS123	Health and Nutrition in Early Childhood Settings		_____
CFS125	Safety In Early Childhood Settings		_____
ECH280	Food Experiences with Young Children		_____
Option Two			
EED215	Early Learning: Health, Safety, Nutrition and Fitness		_____
Select one of the following options:		2-3	_____
Option One			
CFS101AH	Art Activities for the Young Child		_____
ECH281	Movement/Music for the Young Child		_____
Option Two			
ECH128	Early Learning: Play and the Arts		_____
Option Three			
EED210	Creative and Cognitive Play		_____
EDU222	Introduction to the Exceptional Learner	3	_____
or EED222	Introduction to the Exceptional Young Child: Birth to Age Eight		_____
Select one of the following:		1	_____
CFS/ECH284AA	Early Childhood Teaching Internship		_____
EED260	Early Childhood Infant/Toddler Internship		_____

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EED261	Early Childhood Preschool Internship	_____
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Total Credits		18-19 _____