Child Development/Early Childhood Certificate

Purpose: The curriculum in child development and early childhood prepares individuals for careers in childcare centers, pre-school programs and related occupations. Supported by a broad general education, training is given to develop professional competence in the area of child development and early childhood.

Program Requirements: Students will complete a criminal background check upon enrollment in child development/early childhood courses.

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Child Development/Early Childhood Administration Certificate

Purpose: The Administrative Certificate is designed for career oriented persons working in the early childhood field.

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