Early Childhood Education AS

PROGRAM LEARNING OUTCOMES
1. Identify developmentally appropriate activities for infants, toddlers and preschool age children.
2. Analyze the psychological, physical and cognitive influences on child development.
3. Apply the professional code of ethics.
4. Evaluate strategies to maximize the health, safety and nutrition of children in early childhood education programs.
5. Create a developmentally appropriate integrated curriculum.
6. Assess how socializing agents impact the lives of children and families.
7. Apply the principles of anti-bias pedagogy.
8. Apply observation and assessments to create appropriate environments.
9. Apply positive guidance skills with young children.
10. Apply constructivist theory and intentional teaching methodologies to teacher-child interactions.

Careers in
• Teaching
• Child advocacy
• Recreation leader
• Family services
• Parent education

Complete 60 degree applicable units along with completion of all required general education requirements. It is highly recommended that you see a counselor for specific courses that will best meet your educational plan/goals. Not all courses on the map are offered every term. Consult the Catalog and the Schedule of Classes for more details.

For information about transferring, see: https://www.dvc.edu/enrollment/transfer/index.html
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