Entry

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

You need to see a Counselor for specific recommendations about courses that will best meet your educational 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
For information on careers in this field see: https://www.dvc.edu/enrollment/career-employment/index.html
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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.

Completes basic certificate and teacher certificate requirements.

Early Childhood Education AS-T

REQUIRED

ECE 124
Child Development and Psychology
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ECE 123
Introduction to Curriculum in Early Childhood Education
ECE 250
Practicum in Early Childhood Education
ECE 249
Observation and Assessment in the Classroom
ECE 125
Principles and Practices of Early Childhood Education
ECE 130
Child, Family, and Community
ECE 126
Health, Safety, and Nutrition of the Young Child
ECE 144
Diversity in Early Childhood Education
ECE 122
Introduction to Curriculum in Early Childhood Education

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