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Program Outline: Early Childhood Education Infant and Toddler

Brief Program

Description

The program provides comprehensive learning in various early childhood philosophies in infant and toddler level and practice, including knowledge in advanced child development and observation, health and safety, reflective teaching, program planning and administration in early childhood field infant and toddler level. The practicum component provides the student with a supervised teaching and learning experience and a period of observation, internalization, and further study, in order to bring together the theory and practice of infant and toddler education.

The program content meets the requirements of the Early Childhood Educator Registry to obtain the ECE/Infant and Toddler License for professional practice.

This program has been approved by the registrar of the Private Training Institutions Branch (PTIB) of the Ministry of Advanced Education, Skills & Training.

Career Occupation

NOC 4214 - Early childhood educators and assistants

Credential

Diploma

Admission Requirements

Grade 12 or minimum 18 years old (parent signature required for minors); Basic ECE Certificate from Province of British Columbia; Grade 12 English or TOEFL 500 or computer 173 or IBT61 or IELTS (6.0) or Tracktest (CEFR) (level B1 or B2) or 70% score on the Canadian Adult Achievement Test (CAAT) - Level C or has successfully completed the Capital College LEC program;

Work Experience /Observation Requirements:

Three letters written in English of references testifying to the suitability of the applicant for work in the early childhood field; Written and/or oral interview; Physician's health declaration; A valid Canadian criminal record check clearance;

Admission Procedure:	Student Enrollment contract, Diplomas and transcripts in English (if applicable), written and/or oral interview, Photocopy of personal ID, Student Handbook Acknowledgement.
Program duration:	Total Hours (incl practicum): 498 Weeks Full-Time: 52
Does the program include work experience / if so length?	Yes. Practicum Hours: 235
Program level Objectives / learning outcomes	At the end of this program you will have developed the necessary knowledge and understanding of various philosophies within the early childhood field infant and toddler level and the practice experience to become a competent infant and toddler educator. See Course outlines for specific learning objectives.
Method(s) of Evaluation	Evaluation is linked to each learning outcomes contained in the courses and (if) part of the program, any work experience. The methods of evaluation are described in the course outlines for the program. All grades for course work including the final grade will be given in percentages. The official transcript will reflect percentage and corresponding letter grade. A successful pass in a course is 65%. Evaluation on practicum is on a pass/fail basis
The requirements that a student must meet to complete the program.	Complete required course requirements; pass (65%) in all the courses and gain a pass in any practicums.
Delivery Method(s)	On-line synchronous instruction + work experience
Required course materials	See course outlines. Students maybe able to purchase textbooks from the college or any other source. Student should ensure they have the correct edition.

Course Delivery Outline:

Course name	Number of hours	

*Advanced Child Growth and Development	48	
*Child, Family & Community	45	
*Program Planning for Infant and Toddlers	50	
*Advanced Health, Safety & Nutrition	45	
*Reflective Teaching	30	
*Advanced Administration	45	
Practicum + Seminars	235	

Note: * Denotes Intake Point