

Early Childhood Foundation Certificate

Certificate Number 90-307-5

Description:

The Early Childhood Foundation Certificate is designed for either a newcomer to the field or someone who has been working in the field of early care and education. It includes an emphasis of applying positive guidance strategies, planning curriculum, along with a focus of on-the-job placement.

Certificate Completers Will be Able to:

- Explore early childhood curriculum models.
- Follow governmental regulations and professional standards as they apply to health, safety, and nutrition.
- Provide a safe early childhood program.
- Analyze the development of infants and toddlers.
- Implement activities developed by a cooperating teacher.

Curriculum:

CATALOG #	DESCRIPTION	CREDITS
10-307-148 <i>Offered in:</i> <i>Summer 2008</i> <i>Fall 2008</i> <i>Spring 2009</i>	ECE: Foundations of ECE... integrate strategies that support diversity and anti-bias perspectives; summarize early childhood education settings; identify components of a quality programs; summarize responsibilities of early childhood professionals; explore early childhood curriculum models.	3
10-307-167 <i>Offered in:</i> <i>Summer 2008</i> <i>Fall 2008</i> <i>Spring 2009</i>	ECE: Hlth Safety & Nutrition... health, safety, and nutrition in early childhood settings. Anti-bias perspectives; governmental regulations and professional standards; safe, healthy, and nutritionally sound early childhood programs; child abuse/neglect mandates; SIDS risk reduction.	3
10-307-151 <i>Offered in:</i> <i>Summer 2008</i> <i>Fall 2008</i> <i>Spring 2009</i>	ECE: Infant & Toddler Dev... infant and toddler development in an early childhood education setting. Development of infants/toddlers; prenatal conditions and development; child development theories; heredity and the environment; culturally and developmentally appropriate environments.	3
10-307-174 <i>Offered in:</i> <i>Fall 2008</i> <i>Spring 2009</i>	ECE: Practicum 1... learn/practice skills in a child care setting. Includes documenting behavior, exploring diversity, implement activities developed by the cooperating teacher, practicing caregiving routines, and positive professional and interpersonal skills.	2
<i>Certificate Total</i>		11

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