

# Early Childhood Premier Certificate

Certificate Number 90-307-8

## Description:

The Early Childhood Premier Certificate is designed for students completing the early childhood core courses. It includes a focus on early care and education administration as well as the fourth and final field experience working with children and families.

## Certificate Completers Will be Able to:

- Differentiate between typical and exceptional development.
- Utilize an individual educational plan (IEP/IFSP) for children with developmental differences.
- Adapt curriculum to meet the needs of children with developmental differences.
- Establish a developmentally appropriate environment.
- Develop unit plans that promote child development and learning.

## Curriculum

CATALOG #	DESCRIPTION	CREDITS
10-307-198 <i>Offered in:</i> <i>Fall 2008</i> <i>Spring 2009</i>	<b>ECE: Admin an ECE Program...</b> administration of an early childhood program. Diversity and anti-bias perspectives; ECE facilities, program, finances, aspects of personnel supervision, laws and regulations, advocacy.	3
10-307-195 <i>Offered in:</i> <i>Summer 2008</i> <i>Fall 2008</i> <i>Spring 2009</i>	<b>ECE: Family &amp; Community Rel...</b> relationships with family/community in early childhood. Diversity and anti-bias perspectives in families and community; family patterns, trends, relationships; communication strategies; relationships with families; advocate for children/families; community resources.	3
10-307-199 <i>Offered in:</i> <i>Fall 2008</i> <i>Spring 2009</i>	<b>ECE: Practicum 4...</b> learn/practice skills in a child care setting. Growth/development, assessment, anti-bias perspectives, professional behavior/practices; curriculum, relationships, evaluating programs for quality, professional options in early childhood. (Prerequisite: 10-307-197, ECE: Practicum 3)	3

*Certificate Total*      **9**

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