



Degree Guide:

# Early Childhood Education School Age Care Specialization Short Term Certificate

**Program**

[Early Childhood Education \(ECED/ECED&\)](#)

**Degree Type**

Professional Technical Certificate

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Program Code: ECESAC20

**Program Outcomes**

- Apply the professional code of ethics for early care and education to resolve dilemmas
- Practice ideals of professionalism in work with children, families and peers
- Develop strategies for working with culturally, linguistically, and ability diverse families in accessing health, nutritional, and dental services
- Explain individual differences in development
- Plan environment supportive of children’s development with focus on attachment, self-help, relationships, and executive function
- Describe the physical, cognitive, social, and emotional stages of children ages 5-12

As of Fall 2019, this program requires students to achieve a grade of 2.0 or above in all ECED and EDUC classes to progress through and complete the program.

Catalog #	Course Title	Credits
ECED& 105	Introduction to Early Childhood Education	5
ECED& 107	Health, Nutrition, and Safety	5
ECED& 120	Practicum	2
EDUC& 115	Child Development	5
EDUC& 136	School Age Care	3
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>20</b>