

CHILD DEVELOPMENT CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT

The Child Development Certificate of Achievement is designed for the student who desires knowledge about Early Childhood Development and skills for teaching young children.

Required Courses*:		Units
CDV 100	Principles in Preschool Programs	3
CDV 101	Practices and Curriculum in Preschool Programs	3
CDV 180	Child, Family and Community	3
CDV 200	Psychology of Development: Infancy through Adolescence	3
Plus 3 additional units selected from the following:		Units
CDV 106	Children with Special Learning Needs	3
CDV 109	Child Health, Nutrition, and Safety	3
CDV 202	Multi-Cultural Perspective	3
Plus 9 additional units selected from the following or any course not used above:		Units
CDV 120	Infants and Toddlers	3
CDV 121	Infant/Toddler Curriculum	3
CDV 125	Creative Activities	3
CDV 126	Music and Movement	1
CDV 130	Administration of Preschools/Child Care Centers	3
CDV 134	Advanced Administration of Preschools/Child Care Centers	3
CDV 135	Supervision of Adults in a Child Development Program	3
CDV 140	Working with School Aged Children and Youth	3
CDV 161	Active Learning and Play	1
Plus 3-4 additional units selected from the following:		Units
CDV 107	Practicum in Child Development	4
CDV 108	Observation and Assessment	3

**These courses are required for Title 22 Department of Social Services licensing and are the minimum required to teach in non-state subsidized, private programs. In addition, 15 hours of training in pediatric first aid, CPR and children's health is required by licensing agencies. This training is also available through local community agencies.*

Total units required for Certificate

27 - 28

Program Level Student Learning Outcomes:

1. Describe stages and developmental milestones of physical, cognitive, language, social and emotional development of typically developing children from birth to age 8.
2. Describe and plan developmentally appropriate activities in all curricular areas as well as teacher involvement in facilitating learning.
3. Describe the importance of multicultural, anti-bias, and exceptional education and the adult attitudes in relation to the local and global community.
4. Describe practices for maximizing children's physical well-being.
5. Express ideas with clarity, logic, and originality in both spoken and written English.
6. Complete CPR certification.