

COURSE OUTLINE

The course consists of 12 modules. These modules are covered in the classroom and in the clinical lab. Additional practical experienceis provided in a facility and in the community.

- Introduction to Early Childcare and Education
- Roles and Responsibilities
- · Child, Family and Community
- · Introduction to Child Development
- Introduction to Prenatal, Infant and Toddler development
- · Introduction to Pre-school Development
- Observation Skills
- Guiding Children
- Curriculum Planning
- Written Communication Skills
- · Health and Safety
- Nutrition

Total Number of Hours:	455 Hrs. Theory + 490 Hrs. Field Placement = 945 Total Hrs.
Number of Weeks:	38 Weeks
Program Duration:	1 Academic Year

PROGRAM SUMMARY

The Early Childcare Assistant Diploma Program has been designed to equip childcare workers with the valuable knowledge, skills and experience for employment as assistants in day care and/or early learning centers. In addition to covering early childhood development, the course includes program planning, communication and other vital topics as well as the roles of assisting in a childcare setting.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

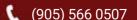
There is an increasing demand in the industry for qualified individuals who have completed formal training such as those offered in this diploma program. You'll graduate from our Early Childcare Assistant program with the knowledge and skills needed to work in a variety of related workplaces, including nursery schools, kindergartens, montessori schools, early learning centers, daycare centers and both government and non- profit organizations, among many others.

CO-OP: The ECA Practicum is divided into two seven weeks full-time co-op placements in a licensed daycare center. Practicum 1 takes place in an Infant and/or Toddler setting & Practicum 2 takes place in preschool setting.

JOB SEARCH WORKSHOPS ARE INCLUDED AS PART OF THE COURSE.



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