

# Certificate: Early Childhood

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## Developmental Courses as required based on placement scores

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| <input type="checkbox"/>    | <b>ENG 91</b> Writing for College 1 – Score of 4 E Code 1 and below, <b>30.01</b> Choose an item.                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/>    | <b>ENG 92</b> Writing for College 2 – Score of 6 E Code 2, <b>30.02</b> Choose an item.                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/>    | <b>ENG 99</b> Writing Studio with linked ENG 101+ - Score of 6 E Code 2, <b>30.02</b> OR successful completion of ENG 91                                                                                                                                                               |
| <input type="checkbox"/>    | <b>ESL 94</b> Academic Writing 1 – Score of 5 or 6 E Code 6, <b>20.01</b> Choose an item.                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| 3 <input type="checkbox"/>  | <b>ESL 122</b> Academic Writing 2 – Score of 7 E Code 7, <b>21.01</b> Choose an item.                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/>    | <b>MATH 92</b> Pre-Algebra – Arithmetic score 44 and below, Elementary Algebra 54 and below, <b>40.01</b> Choose an item.                                                                                                                                                              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> OR | <b>MATH 93</b> Beginning Algebra – Arithmetic score 45 and above, Elementary Algebra 54 and below, <b>40.02</b> Choose an item.<br><b>MATH 94</b> Foundations of Mathematical Reasoning – Arithmetic score 45 and above, Elementary Algebra 54 and below, <b>40.02</b> Choose an item. |
| <input type="checkbox"/>    | <b>READ 93</b> Foundation of College Reading – Score of 57 and below, <b>10.01</b> Choose an item.                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| 3 <input type="checkbox"/>  | <b>READ 105</b> Analytical Reading – Score of 58 and higher <b>11.01</b> Choose an item.                                                                                                                                                                                               |

## Program of Study

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| 3 <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>ECE 170</b> – Early Childhood Development                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                            |                                                                                                             |
| 3 <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>ECE 171</b> – Foundations of Early Childhood                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                            |                                                                                                             |
| 3 <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>ECE 280</b> – The Exceptional Child <b>Prereq: ECE 270 and 271</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                            |                                                                                                             |
|                            | <b>THE ARTS GENERAL ED REQUIREMENTS – Select a 3 credit course:</b><br><b>ART</b> 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 109A, 110, 111, 112, 125, 129, 130, 133, 134, 135, 137, 138, 140, 141, 147, 201, 203, 212, 265,<br><b>DANCE</b> 101, 102, 107, 120, 121, 205, 207, <b>FILM</b> 100, 101, 102, 130 <b>MUSIC</b> 110, 110H, 111, 120, 121, 130, 131, 132, 133, 150, 230, 231, 232,<br>233, <b>THEAT</b> 111, 113, 201 |                            |                                                                                                             |
| 3 <input type="checkbox"/> |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                            |                                                                                                             |
|                            | <b>The following two courses MUST BE taken together:</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                            |                                                                                                             |
| 3 <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>ECE 270</b> – Observation and Assessment: <b>ECE 170 and 171 may be pre or co-requisites.</b> Choose an item.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | 3 <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>ECE 271</b> – Early Childhood Field 1 <b>ECE 270 is the co-requisite.</b> Choose an item.                |
|                            | <b>CHOOSE <u>ONE</u> OF THE FOLLOWING INTERNSHIPS:</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                            |                                                                                                             |
| 6 <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>ECE 272</b> – Infant/Toddler Environment <b>AND ECE 273</b> - Field. <b>ECE 270 is the prerequisite.</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | 6 <input type="checkbox"/> | <b>ECE 274</b> – Early Childhood Curriculum <b>AND ECE 275</b> – Field. <b>ECE 270 is the prerequisite.</b> |

SEEN BY:

Completed credits of 25 required

The Early Childhood certificate is especially useful for people who have degrees in another field but wish to seek employment or volunteer positions in early childhood programs. This program is ideal for mature students and those already employed in early childhood settings who wish to enhance their skills and increase their knowledge.

The Early Childhood certificate includes courses and supervised fieldwork, available in more than 25 early childhood programs, including those in public schools. Students already employed may be able to use their place of employment as their field placement. Students who complete the certificate program and choose to pursue their studies may transfer completed course credits to Westchester Community College's A.A.S. degree program in Early Childhood.

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