

Winter 2025

Early Childhood Educator Certificate

ONLINE APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION IS REQUIRED AND STUDENTS MUST BE ACCEPTED BEFORE THEY MAY REGISTER.

Please carefully review each course below to verify if it is online or in person/on-site.

[Please carefully read instructions with respect to registering in Elective courses for each Tier/Semester.](#)

COURSE #	COURSE NAME	ROOM #	INSTRUCTOR	DATE	DAY	TIME	TUITION/FEE
	REGISTRATION FEE						\$30.00
	<i>Tier 1 – First Semester</i>						
ECED 1110	Child, Growth & Development 1	Online	Prabjot Gill	Jan 8 - Apr 16	Wed	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$609.00
ECED 1130	Curriculum 1	In Person Room 1028	TBD	Jan 7 - Apr 15	Tue	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$609.00
ECED 1120	Health, Safety & Nutrition *This class will be run in an asynchronous format. See Page 3.	Online	Leanne Cornelsen	Jan 6 - Apr 17	-	-	\$609.00
ECED 1900	**Practicum Preparation (*MANDATORY prerequisite to Practicum 1)	Online	Erica Hopgood	Jan 9 - Mar 6	Thu	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$406.00
ECED 1920	Section 1 - Practicum 1 - FULL TIME (5 days per week)	In Person	Various	Mar 21 - Apr 11	M-F	8 hours per day	\$406.00
	Practicum 1 Seminars	In Person Room 1028	Erica Hopgood	Mar 26 & Apr 2	Wed	9:00 am - 12:00 pm	-
	**Plus 1 Elective course – See Page 2.						
	<i>Tier 2 – Second Semester</i>						
ECED 1160	Foundations in ECE	Online	Mary Peirce-Biagi	Jan 7 - Apr 15	Tue	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$609.00
ECED 1170	Guiding Behaviour	Online	Adrianna Bazijanec	Jan 9 - Apr 17	Thu	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$609.00
	Practicum 2 Information Session (Mandatory)	Online	Erica Hopgood	Jan 20	Mon	6:00 pm - 8:00 pm	-
ECED 1940	Section 1 - Practicum 2 - FULL TIME No class Feb 17, 2025 (5 days per week)	In Person	Various	Feb 3 - Feb 25	M-F	8 hours per day	\$406.00
	Practicum 2 Seminars	In Person Room 1055	Erica Hopgood	Feb 5 & 12	Wed	1:00 pm - 4:00 pm	-
	**Plus 2 Elective course(s) – See Page 2.						

COURSE #	COURSE NAME	ROOM #	INSTRUCTOR	DATE	DAY	TIME	TUITION/FEE
	Tier 3 – Third Semester						
ECED 2110	Child, Growth & Development 2	Online	Anna Giacometti	Jan 9 - Apr 17	Thu	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$609.00
ECED 2140	Child, Family & Community	Online	Jen Baillie	Jan 7 - Apr 15	Tue	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$609.00
ECED 2130	Curriculum 2	Online	Maria Villamera	Jan 8 - Apr 16	Wed	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$609.00
	Practicum 3 Information Session (Mandatory)	Online	Erica Hopgood	Feb 10	Mon	6:00 pm - 8:00 pm	-
ECED 2900	Section 1 - Practicum 3 - FULL TIME (5 days per week)	In Person	Various	Feb 26 - Mar 26	M-F	8 hours per day	\$609.00
	Practicum 3 Seminars	In Person Room 1055	Erica Hopgood	Mar 5, 12 & 19	Wed	1:00 pm - 4:00 pm	-
	**Plus 1 Elective course						
	Elective Courses – Students must choose at least 1 of the four courses below in each Tier / Semester (ECE Certificate program only)						
ECED 1210	Creative Art	Room 1028	Mary Peirce-Biagi	Jan 11 - Apr 5	Sat	1:00 pm - 4:00 pm	\$406.00
ECED 1230	Music & Movement	Room 1028	Brooke McBoyle	Jan 11 - Apr 5	Sat	9:30 am - 12:30 pm	\$406.00
ECED 1240	Math, Science & Technology	Room 1028	Freya Metcalfe	Jan 6 - Mar 31	Mon	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$406.00
ECED 1220	Language & Literature	Room 1028	Pooja Kapoor	Jan 6 - Mar 31	Mon	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$406.00
	Tier 4 – Post Basic - Special Needs						
ECED 2110	Child, Growth & Development 2 ** (See Page 3)	Online	Anna Giacometti	Jan 9 - Apr 17	Thu	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$609.00
ECED 2310	Advanced Child Development for Diverse Needs	Online	Karly Frey	Jan 8 - Apr 16	Wed	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	-
ECED 2300	Advanced Programming for Diverse Abilities Will not be offered in Summer 2025	Online	Karly Frey	Jan 9 - Apr 17	Thu	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$609.00
ECED 2120	Advanced Health, Safety & Nutrition for Infant Toddler and Inclusive Settings	Online	Prabjot Gill	Jan 7 - Apr 15	Tue	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$609.00
ECED 2150	Equity, Diversity and Inclusion for Families and Communities	Online	Jen Baillie	Jan 9 - Apr 17	Thu	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$609.00
ECED 2500	Administrative Skills for Early Learning Environments	Online	Oana Nistor	Jan 8 - Apr 16	Wed	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$609.00
	Practicum Information Session	Online	Karen LeSage	Feb 24	Mon	6:00 pm - 8:00 pm	-
ECED 2950	Inclusion and Diverse Needs Practicum - FULL TIME	In Person	Various	Mar 10 - Apr 11	M-F	8 hours per day	\$812.00
	Post Basic Practicum Seminars	In Person	Karen LeSage & Erica Hopgood	Mar 18, 25 & Apr 1	Tue	1:00 pm - 4:00 pm	-

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	Tier 5 – Post Basic - Infant / Toddler						
ECED 1110	Child, Growth & Development 1 ** (See Page 3)	Online	Prabjot Gill	Jan 8 - Apr 16	Wed	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$609.00
ECED 2410	Infant and Toddler Child Development	Online	Anna Giacometti	Jan 8 - Apr 16	Wed	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$609.00
ECED 2400	Advanced Programming for Infants & Toddlers	Online	Maria Villamera	Jan 7 - Apr 15	Tue	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$609.00
ECED 2150	Equity, Diversity and Inclusion for Families and Communities	Online	Jen Baillie	Jan 9 - Apr 17	Thu	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$609.00
ECED 2500	Administrative Skills for Early Learning Environments	Online	Oana Nistor	Jan 8 - Apr 16	Wed	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$609.00
ECED 2120	Advanced Health, Safety & Nutrition for Infant Toddler and Inclusive Settings	Online	Prabjot Gill	Jan 7 - Apr 15	Tue	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$609.00
	Practicum Information Session	Online	Karen LeSage	Feb 24	Mon	6:00 pm - 8:00 pm	-
ECED 2960	Infant Toddler Practicum - FULL TIME	In Person	Various	Mar 10 - Apr 11	M-F	8 hours per day	\$812.00
	Post Basic Practicum Seminar	In Person	Karen LeSage	Mar 18, 25 & Apr 1	Tue	1:00 pm - 4:00 pm	-

Please read the important information listed below:

1. This schedule is subject to change and the college reserves the right to modify or cancel courses.
2. Classes will not be held on February 15 & 17 due to the statutory holiday.
3. Students are required to purchase their own textbooks (except for students who are sponsored by an outside funder). Student textbook information is located on our website at <https://rmcollege.sd42.ca/program/early-childhood-educator/>.
4. Health, Safety & Nutrition - The course will now be run in an asynchronous method, therefore it will not overlap any other courses that you need to register in. This course will run with no required instructor facetime. Students will be required to submit weekly assignments to demonstrate their learning. More information will be sent prior to
5. Practicum Preparation consists of 28 hours plus 8 hours of observation and must be taken in the same semester as Practicum 1.
6. Students are only allowed to enroll in 1 practicum per semester.
7. Students ***MUST BE enrolled in and/or have completed*** all of the Tier requirements, prior to enrolling in the Practicum for that Tier.
8. ECE C students wishing to enroll for workplace practicums (include an additional 40 hours and require approval from the ECE Chair) must apply, prior to going out on their practicum. Information will be provided throughout the semester regarding the application procedure.
9. ECE Post Basic students practicums may be completed at a student's workplace if the centre meets the criteria.
10. All students registering in Practicum 2 and 3 must attend mandatory practicum information sessions, prior to going out on their practicum. Please see dates above.
11. In person classes must be attended in person – no online option. Class attendance is mandatory.
12. Previous Ridge Meadows College students who are enrolling in post basic classes (Special Needs, Infant Toddler or Diploma program) must retake Child Growth & Development 1 and/or Child, Growth & Development 2 if these classes were completed prior to 2022 as the curriculum has changed significantly or can request a Prior Learning assessment and recognition as per the standard on the website. Students are also able to take a challenge test at the college at a cost of \$50 per challenge test.