

Fall 2026

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						\$50.00
	<i>Tier 1 – First Semester</i>						
ECED 1110	Child, Growth & Development 1	Online	Samantha Johnstone	Sept 9-Dec 16	Wed	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$699.00
ECED 1130	Curriculum 1	In Person Room 1028	Leah Drayton	Sept 8-Dec 15	Tue	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$699.00
ECED 1130	Curriculum 1 - <u>ECEA Students Only</u>	Online	Leah Drayton	Sept 10-Dec 17	Thu	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$699.00
ECED 1120	Health, Safety & Nutrition	Online	Paulette Cruz	Sept 12-Dec 19	Sat	9:30 am -12:30 pm	\$699.00
ECED 1900	**Practicum Preparation (*MANDATORY prerequisite to Practicum 1)	Online	TBD	Sept 10-Nov 5	Thur	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$466.00
ECED 1920	Section 1 - Practicum 1 (5 days per week)	In Person	Various	Nov 23-Dec14	M-F	8 hours per day	\$466.00
	Practicum 1 Seminars	In Person Room 1028	TBD	Nov 26 & Dec 3	Thur	1:00 pm - 4:00 pm	-
	**Plus 1 Elective course – See Page 2.						
	<i>Tier 2 – Second Semester</i>						
ECED 1160	Foundations in ECE	Online	Freya Metcalfe	Sept 9-Dec 16	Wed	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$699.00
ECED 1170	Guiding Behaviour	Online	Nika Jibrael	Sept 10-Dec 17	Thu	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$699.00
	Practicum 2 Information Session (Mandatory)	Online	TBD	Sep 28	Mon	6:00 pm - 8:00 pm	-
ECED 1940	Section 1 - Practicum 2 (5 days per week)	In Person	Various	Oct 5-27	M-F	8 hours per day	\$466.00
	Practicum 2 Seminars	In Person Room 1028	TBD	Oct 8 & 15	Thur	1:00 pm - 4:00 pm	-
	**Plus 2 Elective course(s) – See Page 2.						

COURSE #	COURSE NAME	ROOM #	INSTRUCTOR	DATE	DAY	TIME	TUITION/FEE
	<i>Tier 3 – Third Semester</i>						
ECED 2110	Child, Growth & Development 2	Online	Anna Giacometti	Sept 10-Dec 17	Thur	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$699.00
ECED 2140	Child, Family & Community	Online	Bret Garef	Sept 8-Dec 15	Tues	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$699.00
ECED 2130	Curriculum 2	Online	Belva Stone	Sept 9-Dec 16	Wed	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$699.00
	Practicum 3 Information Session (Mandatory)	Online	TBD	Oct 19	Mon	6:00 pm - 8:00 pm	-
ECED 2900	Section 1 - Practicum 3 (5 days per week)	In Person	Various	Oct 26-Nov 25	M-F	8 hours per day	\$699.00
	Practicum 3 Seminars	In Person Room 1055	TBD	Oct 29, Nov 5 & 12	Thur	1:00 pm - 4:00 pm	-
	**Plus 1 Elective course						
ECED 1210	Creative Art	In Person Room 1028	Minjung Kim	Sept 14-Dec 7	Mon	6:30 pm-9:30 pm	\$466.00
ECED 1220	Language & Literature	-	-	-	-	-	-
ECED 1230	Music and Movement	Room 1028	Brooke McBoyle	Sept 12-Dec 5	Sat	9:30 am - 12:30 pm	-
ECED 1240	Math, Science & Technology	Room 1028	Brooke McBoyle	Sept 9-Dec 9	Wed	6:30 pm-9:30 pm	-
	<i>Tier 4 – Post Basic - Special Needs</i>						
ECED 2110	Child, Growth & Development 2 **(See Page 3)	Online	Anna Giacometti	Sept 8-Dec 15	Tue	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$699.00
ECED 2310	Advanced Child Development for Diverse Needs	Online	Adrianna Bazijanec	Sept 10-Dec 17	Thu	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$699.00
ECED 2300	Advanced Programming for Diverse Abilities	Online	Maria Villamera	Sept 8-Dec 15	Tue	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$699.00
ECED 2120	Advanced Health, Safety & Nutrition for Infant Toddler and Inclusive Settings	Online	Prabjot Gill	Sept 8-Dec 15	Tue	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$699.00
ECED 2150	Equity, Diversity and Inclusion for Families and Communities	In Person	Jen Baille	Sept 10-Dec 17	Thu	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$699.00
ECED 2500	Administrative Skills for Early Learning Environments	Online	Oana Nistor	Sept 9-Dec 16	Wed	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$699.00
	Practicum Information Session - (Mandatory)	Online	TBD	Nov 2	Mon	6:00 pm - 8:00 pm	-
ECED 2950	Inclusion and Diverse Needs Practicum	In Person	Various	Nov 9-Dec 15	M-F	8 hours per day	\$932.00
	Post Basic Practicum Seminars	In Person	Karen LeSage & TBD	Nov 16, 23, 30	Mon	1:00 pm - 4:00 pm	-

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	<i>Tier 5 – Post Basic - Infant / Toddler</i>						
ECED 1110	Child, Growth & Development 1 **(See Page 3)	Online	Samantha Johnstone	Sept 9-Dec 16	Wed	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$699.00
ECED 2410	Infant and Toddler Child Development	Online	Anna Giacometti	Sept 9-Dec 16	Wed	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$699.00
ECED 2400	Advanced Programming for Infants & Toddlers	Online	Marianna Cavezza	Sept 8-Dec 15	Tue	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$699.00
ECED 2150	Equity, Diversity and Inclusion for Families and Communities	Online	Maria Villamera	Sept 10-Dec 17	Thu	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$699.00
ECED 2500	Administrative Skills for Early Learning Environments	Online	Oana Nistor	Sept 9-Dec 16	Wed	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$699.00
ECED 2120	Advanced Health, Safety & Nutrition for Infant Toddler and Inclusive Settings	Online	Prabjot Gill	Sept 8-Dec 15	Tue	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	\$699.00
	Practicum Information Session	Online	TBD	Nov 2	Wed	6:00 pm - 8:00 pm	-
ECED 2960	Infant Toddler Practicum	In Person	Various	Nov 9-Dec 15	M-F	8 hours per day	\$932.00
	Post Basic Practicum Seminar - MANDATORY	In Person	Karen LeSage & TBD	Nov 16, 23, 30	Mon	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. 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/>.
3. Practicum Preparation must be taken in the same semester as Practicum 1.
4. Students are only allowed to enroll in 1 practicum per semester.
5. Students ***MUST BE enrolled in and/or have completed*** all of the Tier requirements, prior to enrolling in the Practicum for that Tier.
6. ECE Post Basic students practicums may be completed at a student's workplace if the centre meets the criteria.
7. All students registering in Practicums must attend mandatory practicum information sessions, prior to going out on their practicum. Please see dates above.
8. In person classes must be attended in person – no online option. Class attendance is mandatory.
9. 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. Students are also able to take a challenge test at the college at a cost of \$50 per challenge test.