

Early Childhood Education Certificate (Online) Program

Cohort B Learner Course Plan FOR STUDENTS COMMENCING THE ECE ONLINE CERTFICATE PROGRAM IN INTERSESSION 2024 Credit **Final** Pre/Co-requisites Semester Course # **Course Title Notes** Credits Value Mark 124 3 EE1440 Family Studies I None 124 3 FH1340 Health & Safety None F24 4 EE1290 Positive Beh. Guidance None Creative Experiences I F24 3 EE1420 None 2 W25 EE1340 Child Development I None W25 3 EE1180 Curriculum I None First Aid Field Placement I 125 6 FW1605 Pre/Co-regs: EE1180, EE1340, EE1290, EE1420, FH1340 125 2 EE1421 Com. & Human Relations None F25 2 EE1360 Observation EE1340 F25 3 EE1360 Curriculum II EE1180 W26 2 FH1360 Childhood Nutrition None W26 3 EE1421 Creative Experiences II None 126 3 EE1341 Child Development II EE1340 126 2 EE1480 Inclusion I EE1360, EE1340 Pre-regs: FW160 EE1180; EE1340; EE1290; EE1420; FH1340 Field Placement II F26 6 FW1610 Pre/Co-reqs: EE1181 FH1360; EE1421; EE1360; EE1341 4 EE2500 School-Age Care & Dev EE1341, EE1181 F26

This document is for planning purposes only. Official confirmation of course completion and grades may be obtained from Student Services.

Please note:

- 1. Semester The semester indicated is F (Fall September), W (Winter January) or I (Intersession May). This is the semester when the course is offered.
- 2. Registration Registration information for an upcoming semester is posted on the CNA ECE DL webpages under STUDENTS/CURRENT/COURSE REGISTRATION/WHEN DO I REGISTER FOR COURSES
- 3. Prior Learning Assessment and Recognition (PLAR) Learners who have prior experience in a particular area or topic may be eligible to apply for PLAR. Information on the reasons why a learner is applying must be provided on the PLAR application form. Applications for PLAR may be submitted when registering each term or may be submitted as a Comprehensive PLAR (in the term the course is not offered). Deadline for PLAR applications are posted on the CNA ECE DL webpages under STUDENTS/FUTURE/PRIOR LEARNING/CREDIT FOR PRIOR LE
- 4. As per College policy, the maximum number of credits that can be awarded through Exemption and/or PLAR is 75% of the number required to complete the certificate.
- 5. Prerequisites When registering for courses, please take note of the prerequisites. These are courses you must have completed before you can register for or PLAR
- 6. Students in the ECE Online Certificate program are required to complete two Field Placements: FW1605 (5 weeks) and FW1610 (5 weeks). Provincial program standards require that learners must complete a majority of their placements in a regulated child care centre. A minimum of 260 hours for the Certificate, must be completed in a regulated child care centre, while the remaining hours may be in a regulated family child care home, child care centre, a family child care agency, a kind ergarten classroom, or a family resource centre.

For those online students currently working in regulated child care, for less than 6 consecutive months from the start of FW1605, a minimum of 1 week must be completed at a College of the North Atlantic (CNA) demonstration child care centre. Written confirmation of work experience will be required. An additional week at a CNA demonstration child care centre (for a total of 2 weeks out of the required 10 weeks) will be mandatory for students not working in regulated child care.

Applicable students will be assigned a CNA demonstration child care centre based on geographical location. Our centres are located in St. John's, Corner Brook and Happy Valley - Goose Bay. Please note: Students will be informed of the dates and which field placement course (FW1605 or FW1610) the mandatory week(s) will be completed.

7. Prior to the start of a field placement, students must submit to Student Services, a current copy of at least an emergency level (one day) diploma/certificate in first aid and CPR dealing with children. A list of approved first aid training providers can be found on the Workplace NL website.