



ENGAGE • EMPOWER • ENRICH
Department of Teaching and Learning
Career and Technical Education
Course Information

Early Childhood Education II DE

Course Credits: 2.0

Course Code: 844406

Grades: 11 - 12

Counselors are available to assist parents and students with course selections. Families may arrange to meet with counselors by contacting the school's counseling department.

COURSE DESCRIPTION

This is a specialization course in the Human Services career cluster. This is a double-block course that might involve traditional face-to-face learning and virtual/online learning through Schoology. This course focuses on observation as the primary method for gathering information about children in early childhood settings. This course emphasizes the development of skills in the implementation of a range of observation techniques.

This course counts as an elective credit.

COURSE COMPETENCIES

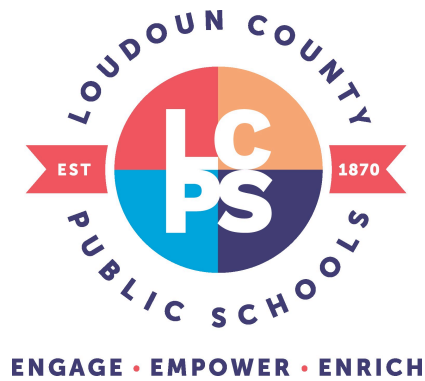
[Course competencies can be found in the Curriculum Guides section.](#)

PREREQUISITE

- [Early Childhood Education II](#) OR
- [Early Childhood Education Seminar II DE](#)

WORK-BASED LEARNING EXPERIENCE

- [School-Based Enterprise](#) (Briar Woods, Broad Run, John Champe, Freedom, Independence, Lightridge, Park View, Potomac Falls, Riverside, and Stone Bridge)
- [Internship](#) (Dominion, Heritage, Rock Ridge, Tuscarora, and Woodgrove)



CREDENTIAL

Students are eligible to sit for the following credentials:

- [Praxis, Part 1 Examination](#)

CAREER AND TECHNICAL STUDENT ORGANIZATION (CTSO)

Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA) provides opportunities for students to prepare for multiple roles of family member, wage earner, and community leader as they develop skills for life through Family and Consumer Sciences Education.

BENEFITS OF CAREER AND TECHNICAL STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS INCLUDE:

- Provides a hand-on approach to learning
- Refines career objectives through realistic experiences
- Promotes awareness of new career opportunities
- Develops skills and responsibilities for being a role model and mentor
- Cultivates social development and awareness
- Develops a sense of community and volunteerism
- Develops an appreciation and understanding for cultural diversity
- Improves communication and decision-making skills
- Provides for personal development
- Develops interpersonal and leadership skills
- Develops responsibility and self-confidence
- Provides opportunities for recognition

LAB FEE

There is no lab fee for this course.

OPTIONS FOR NEXT COURSE

- [Project Management](#)