

Careers with Children

Careers with Children is an introductory course to the Careers with Children Program. It is designed for students with an interest in working with children from birth to 3rd grade. This comprehensive program provides entry-level job skill training at a work site classroom. Students will learn and apply developmentally appropriate skills techniques that reflect the latest research in Early Childhood Education.

Course Goals and Student Outcomes:

Upon successful completion of this course, the students will be able to:

1. Examine and discuss major theories of child development.
2. Identify and describe ways in which developmental domains are continuous, sequential and inter-related.
3. Demonstrate knowledge of the physical, social/emotional, cognitive and language development of children, both typical and atypical, in major developmental stages.
4. Investigate and explain sources of developmental change and reasons for disturbances in the developmental process.
5. List different program types, delivery systems, and licensing and regulation structures in early childhood settings.
6. Define developmentally, culturally and linguistically appropriate practice as related to developmental ages and stages.
7. Describe the relationship of observation, planning, implementation, and assessment in effective programming.
8. Exhibit proficiency in the following areas according to the Employability Rubric;

(Responsibility, Communication and Reliability)

Dual Enrolled with Shasta College (up to 6 units may be earned)