



# Northampton Community College

## Early Childhood Education: Infant to Grade 4 Certificate

### Fall 2020 Entry

Course Code	Course Title	Credits
EARL 106	Early Childhood Development and Learning	3
EARL 107	Observation and Assessment	3
EARL 126	Arts in Early Childhood Education	3
EARL 128	Infant-Toddler Development and Learning	3
EARL 208	Early Childhood Mathematics	3
EARL 216	Literacy and Language in Early Childhood Education	3
EARL 217	Child, Family and Communities	3
EARL 218	Science in Early Childhood Education	3
EARL 244	Early Childhood Profession	3
EARL 263G	Internship – Early Childhood	3
ENGL 101	English I	3
	HIST113 American History I or HIST163 American History II or GEOG101 World Geography	3
	<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>36</b>

### Child Development Associate (CDA) Specialized Diploma

#### Fall 2020 Entry

Course Code	Course Title	Credits
EARL 106	Early Childhood Development and Learning	3
EARL 217	Child, Family and Community	3
EARL 244	Early Childhood Profession	3
	<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>9</b>

### Infant-Toddler Child Development Associate (CDA) Specialized Diploma

#### Fall 2020 Entry

Course Code	Course Title	Credits
EARL 106	Early Childhood Development and Learning	3
EARL 128	Infant-Toddler Development and Learning	3
EARL 244	Early Childhood Profession	3
	<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>9</b>

**Fall 2020 Entry      School-Age Child Care Program  
Specialized Diploma**

*This diploma is offered via the College Online Learning web based program.*

<b>Course Code</b>	<b>Course Title</b>	<b>Credits</b>
EARL 102	Introduction to School Age Child Care	3
EARL 103	Society and the School Age Child	3
EARL 104	School Age Child Care Professional	<u>3</u>
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>9</b>

**Fall 2020 Entry      Leadership for Early Childhood Program Directors  
Specialized Diploma**

<b>Course Code</b>	<b>Course Title</b>	<b>Credits</b>
EARL 231	Organization and Administration of Early Childhood Programs	3
EARL 232	Leadership Seminar in Early Childhood Education	3
EARL233	The Business of Early Learning and School-Age Programs	<u>3</u>
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>9</b>

Program prerequisite: 15 credits in Early Childhood/Child Development course work or department approval.

\*The Pennsylvania Department of Education (PDE) requires that all students participating in field experiences must provide the documentation listed below.

1. FBI Federal Criminal History Record (Act 114);
2. PA State Police Criminal Record Check (Act 34);
3. PA Child Abuse History Clearance (Act 151);
4. Mandated and Permissive Reporting in PA Online Training (Act 31);
5. Arrest/Conviction Report and Certification Form (Act 24);
6. Health Assessment with TB (Mantoux) test;
7. Two (2) Letters of Reference