

Early Childhood Education: [Program Details](#)
FIRST STEP: Career Exploration

ECE in Washington State



What can I do in this Career Field?



Is this a growing Career Field?



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Is this Career Field right for me?



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SECOND STEP: Program Requirements
Background Check

THIRD STEP: Choose A Pathway

Certifications

- State Certificate of **Proficiency**
- State Initial Certificate of **Completion**
- State Short Certificate of **Specialization in:**
 - Administration**
 - Family Child Care**
 - General**
 - Infants & Toddlers**
 - School Age Care**
- Advanced Certificate of **Completion**
 - Infant & Toddler**

Employment Options

- Childcare Assistant
- Elementary School Teacher Aide/Educational Assistant
- Nanny

Associate Degrees

- Associates in Applied Science
- Early Childhood Education**

Note:
Certificate Credits count towards all Associate and Transfer Degrees

Employment Options

- Lead Teacher: Preschool or Daycare
- Head Start Teacher

Transfer Degrees

- Associates in Arts
- Early Childhood Education
- Direct Transfer Agreement (DTA)**
- Associates in Applied Science
- Early Childhood Education
- Transfer**

Transfer Options

- CityU of Seattle
- Eastern Washington University

Employment Options

- Childcare Center Director
- ECEAP Nutrition Consultant
- Family Support Advocate
- Licensing, Advocacy, Policy

FOURTH STEP: Get Started



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