



MADERA
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COLLEGE

NAME OF PROGRAM: Child Development (M.5610.CA)

NAME OF DEGREE/CERTIFICATE: Certificate of Achievement



PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:

The Certificate of Achievement in Child Development is designed to prepare students to work with young children in a variety of early care and education settings. Upon completion of the Child Development Certificate of Achievement the student will possess the coursework required to work as a teacher in both a private or public early care and education setting serving preschool-age children. Additionally, with appropriate documented work experience, the student is eligible to apply for the California Child Development Permit through the Commission on Teacher Credentialing at the Associate Teacher level.

SEMESTER 1

COURSE NUMBER	COURSE TITLE	UNITS	ADVISING/ACTION NOTES
CHVED 1	Principles and Practices of Teaching Young Children	3	
CHVED 39	Child Growth and Development	3	TB Clearance may be required
	TOTAL UNITS	6	

SEMESTER 2

COURSE NUMBER	COURSE TITLE	UNITS	ADVISING/ACTION NOTES
CHVED 3	Introduction to Curriculum	3	Immunization Clearance required <i>18 lab hours required as scheduled</i>
CHVED 30	Child Family and Community	3	
	TOTAL UNITS	6	

SEMESTER 3

COURSE NUMBER	COURSE TITLE	UNITS	ADVISING/ACTION NOTES
CHVED 20	Observation and Assessment	3	CHEM 3A Recommended (One course from B1 or B2 must contain a lab)
CHVED 6	Health, Safety, and Nutrition in Early Childhood Education	3	PHIL 1C Recommended

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SEMESTER 4

COURSE NUMBER	COURSE TITLE	UNITS	ADVISING/ACTION NOTES
CHVED 37A	Early Childhood Practicum	3	Immunization clearance is required <i>Requires 3 lab hours per week</i>
CHVED 15	Diversity and Culture in Early Care and Education Programs	3	
	TOTAL UNITS	6	Apply for graduation

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES:

Students in this program may pursue careers as [Preschool Teachers](#), [Child Care](#)

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