



Professional  
Services

# EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION - Licensure Track

## ABOUT THE PROGRAM

The Early Childhood Education program at CCCC focuses on the needs of children, birth through age 8. Students learn to communicate with children, to understand their needs, and to develop their skills. Students learn about children and family, child development and guidance, and children with special needs. Courses in creative activities, math, science, language and literacy for children are taught. The program is enriched by hands-on internship experiences.

This track allows students to complete 2 years at the community college and 2 years at the university. This degree is for students who wish to pursue a 4-year degree and earn their BK (Birth through Kindergarten) Teaching license.



## Possible Employment In Industry

Teacher Assistant  
Childcare Worker  
Substitute Teacher



## Top Employers In Region

Local Child Care Centers  
YMCA  
Local Public and Private Schools



## Occupational Statistics

Median Salary: USA \$60,490

Median Salary: NC \$48,150

Median Salary: Region \$50,230



## CCCC Career Community

Students interested in Professional Services like to use their creativity to help people. They are outgoing and love working one-on-one with a wide variety of people. They can work in groups or teams but prefer to work independently. They are detail-oriented, empathetic, and artistic. Graduates find jobs in helping professions like teaching, mental health, cosmetic arts, and culinary arts.



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## Degrees



## State Licensure/Exams/ Industry Certifications

None



## Diplomas

None



## Additional Admissions Process

None



## Certificates

None



## Skills In Demand For Program And Industry

Communication Skills  
Time Management Skills  
Compassion



## Transfer Options

Any Senior Institution (Comprehensive  
Articulation (public) or Independent  
Articulation (private)  
Agreement)



## Work-Based Learning Information

None



## Additional Program Costs

None



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