EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

3 YEARS - TECHNICAL - OFFERED IN ENGLISH OR FRENCH

ABOUT THE PROGRAM

Early Childhood Education is a three-year DEC program that prepares students to work with, guide and educate children from ages 0 to 12. Graduates from this program may also take part in the management of a daycare center or move on to university studies in a related field.

The main function of an early childhood educator is to create an environment that promotes healthy physical, motor, cognitive, language, socio-affective and moral development of a child by establishing a caring relationship. In addition, the educator's role is to develop, organize, lead and evaluate educational activities that promote the overall development of the children under their care.

UNIVERSITY STUDY OPTIONS

- Child Studies
- Elementary School Education
- Educational Psychology
- Psychology

CAREER OPTIONS

- Daycare Educator
- Elementary School Support Staff
- And more!

WHY CHOOSE THE DEC PROGRAM?

- 3 years to complete
- Students are required to complete a general education component of their studies in addition to program-specific courses
- DEC graduates are immediately recognized as qualified educators satisfying requirements set by the Ministère de la Famille
- When equally qualified, DEC graduates are paid at a higher rate than AEC graduates.

WHY CHOOSE TAV?

Instructors in this program bring their personal success stories and experiences to the classroom and guide students towards a successful career as a daycare teacher, daycare director, and/or early childhood educator. Our instructors are eager to share their knowledge and experiences with you in order for graduates to integrate well into the Quebec workforce.

SEMESTER 1

- 603-101-MQ INTRODUCTION TO COLLEGE ENGLISH
- 109-101-MQ PHYSICAL ACTIVITY AND HEALTH
- 322-100-TV - FIELDWORK I: INTRODUCTION TO THE PROFESSION
- 322-101-TV - INTRODUCTION TO THE PROFESSION
- 322-105-TV - FUNDAMENTALS AND PRACTICES OF EDUCATIONAL ACTION
- 322-106-TV - HEALTH AND NUTRITION IN EARLY CHILDHOOD SETTINGS
- 322-107-TV - PREVENTION AND RESPONSE IN RISKY SITUATIONS
- 350-111-TV - CHILD PSYCHOLOGY: 0 - 6 YEARS

SEMESTER 2

- 603-102-MQ LITERARY GENRES
- 345-101-MQ KNOWLEDGE
- 602-100-MQ BASIC FRENCH
- 322-201-TV - PSYCHOMOTRICITY OF THE CHILD
- 322-202-TV - CHILDREN'S LITERATURE AND DRAMATIC EXPRESSION
- 322-206-TV - COMMUNICATION AND TEAMWORK
- 322-207-TV - LANGUAGE STIMULATION IN CHILDREN
- 350-213-TV - PSYCHOLOGY FROM CHILDHOOD TO MATURITY

SEMESTER 3

- 603-103-MQ - LITERARY THEMES
- 109-102-MQ - PHYSICAL ACTIVITY AND EFFECTIVENESS
- 602-TVA-TV - FRENCH FOR SPECIFIC PROGRAMS
- 322-303-TV - ARTISTIC EXPRESSION
- 322-309-TV - EDUCATIONAL ACTION WITH CHILDREN FROM 5 - 12 YRS.
- 322-305-TV - SOUND AND MOVEMENT
- 322-306-TV - COGNITIVE DEVELOPMENT OF THE CHILD
- 322-307-TV - AFFECTIVE, SOCIAL, AND MORAL DEVELOPMENT OF THE CHILD
- 322-308-TV - EDUCATIONAL ACTION WITH CHILDREN FROM 18 MO. - 5 YRS.

SEMESTER 4

- 345-102-MQ - WORLD VIEWS
- 420-TVA-TV - COMPUTERS IN CONTEMPORARY SOCIETY
- 322-400-TV - STAGE II: EXPERIMENTATION
- 322-402-TV - EDUCATIONAL ACTION AND EXPERIMENTATION
- 322-407-TV - OBSERVATION IN AN EARLY CHILDHOOD SETTING
- 322-405-TV - ADAPTATION AND BEHAVIOUR DIFFICULTIES OF THE CHILD
- 322-406-TV - EDUCATIONAL ACTION WITH INFANTS

SEMESTER 5

- 603-TVE-TV - ENGLISH ADAPTED TO PROGRAM
- 109-103-MQ - PHYSICAL ACTIVITY AND AUTONOMY
- 345-TVH-TV - CRITICAL THOUGHT APPLIED TO WORLD ISSUES
- 420-TVB-TV - USE OF MICROCOMPUTER SOFTWARE
- 322-503-TV - PEDAGOGICAL AND EDUCATIONAL APPROACHES
- 322-505-TV - INTEGRATION OF CHILDREN WITH INDIVIDUAL NEEDS
- 322-506-TV - PERSONAL, PROFESSIONAL AND CREATIVE DEVELOPMENT
- 322-507-TV - MANAGEMENT AND ORGANISATION OF AN EARLY CHILDHOOD ESTABLISHMENT
- 387-510-TV - FAMILY AND SOCIAL MILIEU

SEMESTER 6

- 322-600-TV - STAGE III: INTEGRATION
- 322-604-TV - EDUCATIONAL ACTION IN COMPLEX SITUATIONS
- 322-605-TV - COLLABORATION WITH PARENTS AND RESOURCE PEOPLE
- 322-606-TV - SYNTHESIS SEMINAR

LEGEND:

■ GENERAL EDUCATION COURSES

■ PROGRAM-SPECIFIC COURSES