



El Camino College/ Compton Education Center Certificate Checklist



To apply, obtain a "Petition for Certificate Form" from the Admissions and Records Office. Your petition must be submitted during the semester in which you are completing the final course/s for this certificate. Watch closely for the required submission dates. Certificate recipients are invited to participate in the graduation ceremony in June.

Early Childhood Education Certificate

A minimum of 12 units must be completed at El Camino College or the Compton Education Center
Proof of valid CPR/ First Aid Training may be required for employment.

Required Courses:		Units
CDEV 103 (formerly 3)	Child Development	3
CDEV 104 (formerly 9)	The Home, The School, The Community	3
CDEV 108 (formerly 8)	The Preschool Child	3
CDEV 112 (formerly 12)	Teaching Young Children in Multicultural Classrooms	3
CDEV 114 (formerly 34)	Observing and Guiding Behavior	3
Choose 1 Course From:		
CDEV 116	Creative Art for Young Children	3
CDEV 117	Music and Movement for Young Children	3
CDEV 118	Science and Math for Young Children	3
CDEV 119	Language Arts for Young Children	3
Total		18

Early Intervention Assistant Certificate

(Effective Fall 2009 – Pending Chancellor's Office Approval)
A minimum of 15 units, including Child Development 169, must be completed at
El Camino College or the Compton Education Center

Required Courses:		Units
CDEV 103 (formerly 3)	Child Development	3
CDEV 104 (formerly 9)	The Home, The School, The Community	3
CDEV 107 (formerly 7)	Infant/Toddler Development	3
CDEV 110 (formerly 10)	Child Health and Safety	3
CDEV 111 (formerly 11)	Pediatric First Aid and CPR	1
CDEV 150 (formerly 4)	Survey of Children with Special Needs	3
CDEV 152 (formerly 32)	Disabilities in the Developing Child	3
CDEV 169	Special Education Practicum	3
Choose 6 Units From:		
CDEV 116	Creative Art for Young Children	3
CDEV 117	Music and Movement for Young Children	3
CDEV 119	Language Arts for Young Children	3
Choose 3 Units From:		
CDEV 154 (formerly 33)	Role and Responsibilities of the Special Education Assistant	3
CDEV 114 (formerly 34)	Observing and Guiding Behavior	3
CDEV 160	Working with Children: Autism Spectrum Disorders	1
CDEV 163	Working with Children: Attention Deficit Disorders	1
CDEV 166	Working with Children: Physical Disabilities or Health Impairments	1
Total		28

Special Education Assistant Certificate

A minimum of 15 units, including Child Development 32 and 33, must be completed at
El Camino College or the Compton Education Center

Required Courses:		Units
CDEV 103 (formerly 3)	Child Development	3
CDEV 104 (formerly 9)	The Home, The School, The Community	3
CDEV 110 (formerly 10) or NURS 112	Child Health and Safety or Basic Health Care for Children	3
CDEV 111 (formerly 11)	Pediatric First Aid and CPR	1
CDEV 150 (formerly 4)	Survey of Children with Special Needs	3
CDEV 152 (formerly 32)	Disabilities in the Developing Child	3
CDEV 154 (formerly 33)	Role and Responsibility of the Special Education Assistant	3
CDEV 169	Special Education Practicum	3
Choose 1 Course From:		
CDEV 116	Creative Art for Young Children	3
CDEV 117	Music and Movement for Young Children	3
CDEV 118	Science and Math for Young Children	3
CDEV 119	Language Arts for Young Children	3
Choose 6 Units From:		
CDEV 107 (formerly 7)	Infant/Toddler Development	3
CDEV 108 (formerly 8)	The Preschool Child	3
CDEV 114 (formerly 34)	Observing and Guiding Behavior	3
CDEV 122 (formerly 45)	Development of the School Age Child	3
CDEV 160	Working with Children: Autism Spectrum Disorders	1
CDEV 163	Working with Children: Attention Deficit Disorders	1
CDEV 166	Working with Children: Physical Disabilities/ Health Impairments	1
NURS 118	Respite Care for Children and Adolescents	3
NUT/FOO15	Nutrition for Infants and Young Children	3
SL/IT 15	Beginning American Sign Language	3
Total		31