



CAREER & TECHNICAL
EDUCATION AREA



VINCENNES UNIVERSITY

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The Child Development Program engages students in the study of childhood developmental domains from conception to adolescence. Students gain an understanding of the physical, emotional, social, and cognitive development of children as well as the various factors that impact development.

If you have a passion for working with young children, this major could be the perfect fit for you!

OCCUPATIONS UPON COMPLETION OF PROGRAM:

Depending upon educational attainment, college graduates are prepared to work in a variety of early childhood settings. Students may go to work in early childhood centers, daycares, or preschools. Some may choose to own or operate their own home-based child care business as well. This program also lends itself to careers in ABA therapy, play therapy, and other positions focused on behavioral change.

DOE CODE:

- 7160 - Principles of Early Childhood Education
- 7158 - Early Childhood Education Curriculum
- 7159 - Early Childhood Education Guidance

ADDITIONAL INFO

GRADE LEVEL: 11TH OR 12TH

LENGTH OF PROGRAM: 1 YEAR - 1/2 DAY

HS CREDITS PER SEMESTER: 3

HS CREDITS PER YEAR: 6

[VU CHILD DEVELOPMENT WEBSITE](#)



COURSE INFO



FALL SEMESTER COURSES:

FACS235 - Child Care & Curriculum Development**

(3 Cr Hrs) T/R 8:00am - 9:15am

FACS130 - Infant, Toddler, & Child Care

(3 Cr Hrs) T/R 9:30am - 10:45am

**Prerequisite: Students must qualify for [ENGL 101](#).



SPRING SEMESTER COURSES:

FACS233 - Guiding Young Children

(3 Cr Hrs) T/R 9:30am - 10:45am

FACS237 - Child Care Administration**

(3 Cr Hrs) T/R 8:00am - 9:15am

**Prerequisite: Students must qualify for [ENGL 101](#).



FEES:

Course Fees:

Fall Semester - \$90 book access fees

Spring Semester - \$90 book access fees

VU Technology Fees*: \$20 per Credit Hour

Tuition: Twin Rivers pays ALL CTE course tuition. Student pays for fees and books.

*FEES ARE APPROXIMATE AND COULD VARY FROM YEAR TO YEAR.
**BEFORE STUDENT IS ACCEPTED INTO THIS PROGRAM THEY MUST MEET ALL VU COURSE REQUIREMENTS

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