EARLY CHILHDOOD DEVELOPMENT CAREER PATHWAY

Preparations that can add this Endorsement:

Preparation	Pedagogy		CTE Methods		Test		Coursework		Other
Early Childhood			X	AND	X	OR	X	OR	X
Elementary	X	AND	X	AND	X	OR	X	OR	X
Secondary			X	AND	X	OR	X	OR	X
CTE Preparation					X	OR	X	OR	X
K-12			X	AND	X	OR	X	OR	X
Early Childhood SPED			X	AND	X	OR	X	OR	X
K-12 SPED			X	AND	X	OR	X	OR	X
CTE Instructor Permit			X	AND	X	OR	X	OR	X

State-Designated Pedagogy Requirements:

Test #	Test Name	Cut Score	Effective Date
5624	Principles of Learning and Teaching (7-12 PLT)	157	07/01/2012

Waiver of Pedagogy Test	7-12 PLT
The PLT test may be waived if verification of two or more years of state-certified teaching experience in the grade span of the endorsement is documented.	Experience in a 5-12 grade span

State-Designated Test Requirements:

Test #	Test Name	Cut Score	Effective Date
5183	NOCTI Early Childhood Education and Care	62	05/15/2017

Coursework Requirements:

9 Semester hours of coursework including:	
• 3 or more credits in human development or parenting	• 3 or more credits in nutrition
• 3 or more credits in early childhood	

Other Requirements:

4000 Hours of Validated Work Experience in a Related Field within the previous five years		
Teacher	Preschool Teacher	Preschool Director
Social Worker	Early Childhood	Special Education Instructor

Assignment Codes:

Code	Assignment Description	Code	Assignment Description
02993	Mathematics – Test Preparation	22151	Career Exploration
10004	Workplace Technology Skills	22152	Employability
19152	SD Educators for Tomorrow	22250	Exploratory
19255	Lifespan Connections	22990	JAG – Middle School
22001	Standardized Test Preparation	22991	JAG – High School
22004	Dropout Prevention	25013	Life Management
22051	Office Aide (By Students)	80018	Youth Internships
22054	Tutoring (By Students)	80019	Senior Experience
22101	Leadership and Service	80026	Entrepreneurship Experience
22104	Service Learning	80020	Youth Apprenticeship
22106	Freshman Seminar	80033	E-Mentor (certified staff)
22110	AP Seminar		