



- Swift Current (September start)
- Warman (January start)

### WHAT YOU WILL LEARN

This program gives you the tools you need to create developmentally appropriate curriculum and foster quality learning environments. You'll develop holistic programs covering early literacy, language, creative arts, numeracy, and open-ended play. You'll learn the importance of building relationships with colleagues, children, families, community partners and other professionals to support children's early learning outcomes.

Completion of the full diploma program meets the ministry's Level 3 certification. Credits may also be transferred toward year 1 of the University of Regina's Bachelor of Education in Early Education.

### ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS

- Grade 12 with English Language Arts 30 or equivalent
- English language requirement

Please note: if you do not meet the entrance requirements, special admissions options may be available.

### SCHOLARSHIP ELIGIBLE

This is a tuition-free program, therefore it is not scholarship-eligible.

### COURSE LIST

#### Year 1

##### Semester 1

- ECE 106 - Dynamics of Play 1\*
- ECE 142 - Health, Safety & Nutrition\*
- ECE 181 - Observation and Documentation 1
- HUMD 102 - Growth & Development of Young Children
- HUMD 183 - Child Guidance 1\*
- PRAC 104 - Practicum 1

##### Semester 2

- ECE 100 - Introduction to Early Childhood Education
- ECE 107 - Effective Relationships in Early Childhood Environments

- ECE 108 - Curriculum Design in Early Childhood Education 1
- ECE 109 - Curriculum Design in Early Childhood Education 2
- PD 100 - Professionalism 1
- PRAC 119 - Practicum 2

#### Year 2

##### Semester 3

- ECE 202 - Responsive Care for Infants & Toddlers
- ECE 203 - Inclusion in Early Learning and Childcare Settings
- ECE 205 - Curriculum Design in Early Childhood Education 3
- ECE 221 - Observation & Documentation 2
- HUMD 200 - Child Guidance 2

- PRAC 217 - Practicum 3

##### Semester 4

- ADMN 208 - Introduction to Administration of Early Childhood Education
- ECE 204 - Dynamics of Play 2
- ECE 220 - Anti-Bias Education in Early Childhood
- ECE 226 - Responsive Care for School Age Children
- PD 240 - Professionalism 2
- PRAC 218 - Practicum 4

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**Please note:** A Criminal Record Check and Standard First Aid and CPR may all be required prior to practicum.

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