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PROGRAM PLANNING GUIDE 2020 - 2021

Early Learning and Childcare *Diploma*

The purpose of this program planning guide is to help students track their progress within their chosen program. The information in this planning guide is accurate at the time of printing and is subject to change without notice. It is the students' responsibility to ensure the accuracy of their program and course choice. Students should use the program planning guide dated the year in which they began the program. This guide should be used in conjunction with the official (print) version of the Medicine Hat College Calendar, and calendars of appropriate transfer institutions, which are the final authorities regarding program requirements.

Year One

FALL SEMESTER			WINTER SEMESTER		
COURSE	DATE	GRADE	COURSE	DATE	GRADE
<i>CHPC 120: Child Development I*</i>			<i>CHPC 121: Child Development II: An Introduction to Children with Special Needs*</i>		
<i>CHPC 122: Interpersonal Relations I</i>			<i>CHPC 124: Language and Literacy*</i>		
<i>CHPC 123: Health, Safety and Nutrition</i>			<i>ELCC 101: Introduction to Early Learning and Child Care*</i>		
<i>ELCC 102: Development through Play I</i>			<i>ELCC 112: Development through Play II</i> <i>Pre-Req: ELCC 102</i>		
<i>ENGL 123 ELED: Fundamentals of Writing and Speech</i>			<i>ELCC 113: Music and Movement</i>		
<i>ELCC 105: Practicum I</i> <i>Co-Req: CHPC 120, CHPC 122, CHPC 123, ELCC 102, ENGL 123</i>			<i>ELCC 115: Practicum II</i> <i>Co-Req: CHPC 121, CHPC 124, ELCC 101, ELCC 112, ELCC 113</i>		

* Also offered through Distributed Learning

Continuation Requirements:

Admission to the second year of the Early Learning and Child Care diploma requires:

- Successful completion of the Early Learning and Child Care certificate program from Medicine Hat College or from another accredited Alberta college
- Obtained a GPA of not less than C+ (2.3) in the overall certificate
- Achieved **no final grade of less than C (2.0)** in the certificate
- Successfully completed the first and second practicum

Year Two

FALL SEMESTER			WINTER SEMESTER		
COURSE	DATE	GRADE	COURSE	DATE	GRADE
<i>ELCC 201: Fine Arts</i> <i>Pre-Req: ELCC 105 & 115</i>			<i>ELCC 211: Infant and Toddler Care</i> <i>Pre-Req: ELCC 105 & 115</i>		
<i>ELCC 202: Math and Science</i> <i>Pre-Req: ELCC 105 & 115</i>			<i>ELCC 212: Professional Practice</i> <i>Pre-Req: ELCC 105 & 115</i>		
<i>ELCC 203: Interpersonal Relations II</i> <i>Pre-Req: ELCC 105 & 115</i>			<i>ELCC 213: Inclusive Care and Education</i> <i>Pre-Req: ELCC 105 & 115</i>		
<i>ELCC 204: Ecology of the Family</i> <i>Pre-Req: ELCC 105 & 115</i>			<i>ELCC 214: Children in Society</i> <i>Pre-Req: ELCC 105 & 115</i>		
<i>ELCC 205: Practicum III</i> <i>Pre-Req: ELCC 105 & 115</i>			<i>ELCC 215: Practicum IV</i> <i>Pre-Req: ELCC 105 & 115</i>		

Program Notes:

To successfully complete the **diploma** program you must:

- Earn C grades (2.0) in ELCC 205 and ELCC 215.
- Attain an overall GPA of at least C (2.0) on all ELCC and CHPC courses.
- Complete all courses with no grades below C- .