

Career Tree

Pathways for Early Childhood Educators in Ontario

■ Early Childhood Education & Care (College Diploma)

Registered Early Childhood Educator
RECE-Child Care
RECE-Kindergarten Program
Home Child Care Provider
Family Support
Infant Parent Specialist
Recreation

Child Care Representative - support to child care system (CMSM/DSAB)
Resort/Hotel Children's Program Staff, Leader
Supervised Visitation Facilitator
Toy and Resource Development, Sales
Women's Shelter Staff

■ Working with Children with Special Rights

Resource Consultant
Early Interventionist
Specialized Services
Special Needs Worker
Speech/language Development
Children's Developmental Rehabilitation
Child Life Worker
Child Development Consultant
Family Support Worker
Behaviour Consultant (ABA/IBI)
Respite Worker (Parent Relief Programs)
Indigenous Support Staff
Settlement Specialist
CACC

Career Pathways

■ Early Childhood Research Policy & Advocacy

Researchers and Advocates (OCBCC, CECE, AECEO)
Advocacy for Children & Families Policy Analysts

■ Teaching, Leadership & Administration

Professor, Associate Professor, Assistant Professor & Lecturer - College or University
Director, Managers, Assistant Manager, Supervisor, Assistant Supervisor & Director - Early Learning and Child Care Programs
Camp/Recreation Program Supervisors
Home Child Care Consultant
Field Placement Specialist, Coordinator - College or University
Ministry Program Advisors/Supervisors

■ College of Early Childhood Educators

Code of Ethics & Standards of Practice

■ How Does Learning Happen: Ontario's Pedagogy for the Early Years

4 Foundations:
Belonging
Expression
Engagement
Well-Being

■ Association of Early Childhood Educators of Ontario (AECEO)

Pedagogical Practices

■ Indigenous Early Learning and Child Care Framework

■ The Kindergarten Program

4 Frames:
Belonging & Contributing
Self-Regulation & Well-Being
Demonstrating Literacy & Mathematics Behaviours
Problem-Solving & Innovating

Educational Pathways

■ College Diploma

Early Childhood Education

■ University Degree

Early Childhood Studies
Teacher's College

■ Graduate School

Masters
Master of Education
Master of Education - Early Childhood Education
Master of Arts - Early Childhood Studies

■ Micro Credit/Certificate Programs

Outdoor Classroom/Risky Play
Supervision/Leadership
Kindergarten I, II, III
Self-Regulation
Infant Mental Health

For information on Educational Pathways visit: professionalearninghub.ca
For information on Grants regarding Qualification Upgrade visit: ecegrants.on.ca

Foundational Values

PASSION
WONDER
INQUIRY
INTEGRITY

EQUITY
PEDAGOGICAL LEADERSHIP
CREATIVITY
CHILD-LED

CURIOSITY
AUTHENTIC
DIVERSITY
CO-LEARNING

LIFE-LONG LEARNING
RESEARCH
FAMILY ENGAGEMENT
INCLUSION