

Early Childhood Education

DIRECTOR CREDENTIAL

School of Art, Humanities, Social Sciences and Public Service

Program Description

Those who are interested in obtaining the Pennsylvania Early Childhood Director Credential should review information found at the PA Key website. The program director will advise students on which courses they need to complete based on prior work and academic experience.

Note: Once coursework is completed, students apply for the PA Director Credential through the PA Key [Website](#). Westmoreland does not award the Director Credential.

Program Requirements

Students must achieve a grade of "C" in all courses to be accepted for the Director Credential. This program is eligible for funding through the Rising Stars Tuition Assistance Program.

Sugg. Term	Course ID	Course Title	Cr	Prereq/Coreq(Co)	Options Available
Fall or Spring	ECE 155	Introduction to Early Childhood Education	3		
	ECE 156	Infant & Toddler Development	3		
	ECE 157	Child Growth and Development	3		
	ECE 165	Family and Society	3		
	ECE 166	Early Childhood Language and Literacy	3		
	ECE 167	Creative Experiences	3		
	ECE 168	Childcare Management	3		
	ECE 170	Child Health, Safety, and Nutrition	3		
	ECE 255	Early Childhood Education Curriculum	3		
	ECE 256	Assessment and Observation of Young Children	3		
	ECE 257	Introduction to Exceptional Development	3		
	ECE 265	Education of Young Children with Special Needs	3	ECE 257	
	ENG 250	Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages	3		
	BUS 120	Mathematics of Business	3	MTH 050 or Placement	
	BUS 140	Introduction to Business	3		
	BUS 145	Excel for Business Environment	3		
	BUS 158	Principles of Management	3		
	BUS 188	Social Media in Business	3		
	BUS 241	Human Resources Management	3		
	BUS 245	Principles of Marketing	3		
	MUS 156	Early Childhood Music	3		

Minimum Program Credits

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