



Interdisciplinary Early Childhood Education (1907093039)

Credential (Child Care Assistant or CDA)

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Program Website: <https://bluegrass.kctcs.edu/education-training/program-finder/interdisciplinary-early-childhood-education.aspx>

Student Name: _____

Student ID: _____

Students need to be at KCTCS placement levels for all courses

First Semester	Credits	Term	Grade	Prereqs/Notes
IEC 101 Orientation to Early Childhood Education	3			Requires 20 hours of observation
IEC 102 Foundations of Early Childhood Education	3			Requires 10 hours of observation
Total Semester Credit Hours	6			

Second Semester	Credits	Term	Grade	Prereqs/Notes
Any IEC course with the exception of IEC 190, IEC 230, IEC 250, and IEC 291.	3			Observation hours vary depending on IEC course. Recommended IEC 240.
Total Semester Credit Hours	3			
Total Credential Hours	9			

Note: 25% of Total Program Credit Hours must be earned at Bluegrass Community and Technical College.

Advisor Name: _____

Advisor Signature: _____

Student Name: _____

Student Signature: _____

Special Instructions:

IEC courses require students to complete field experiences in approved child care settings.

Ms. Rutherford is not on campus during the summer but will respond to e-mail. Each summer, IEC has a designated IEC Summer Advisor.

****Please advise students of the following:**

1. Please note **all** IEC Classes have required hours of observation outside of regular class time.
2. The following IEC Classes must be taken at BCTC: IEC 180, IEC 216, IEC 246, IEC 221, IEC 200, IEC 235, and IEC 291. This is due to MAJOR assignments are IEC 291 PORTFOLIO PIECES.
3. In order to enroll in IEC 291, one must have ALL IEC classes completed. IEC 291 is only taught in the spring semester. IEC 291 is taught in hybrid form at various BCTC campuses, usually NEWTOWN in Lexington, KY.
4. BCTC IEC Orientation is MANDATORY before entering into IEC Classes.
5. TWO DIFFERENT BCTC IEC Background Checks are required. Email: Maria Rutherford for details.
6. Current Negative TB Test Required.
7. Graduation Application must be filled out to receive this credential.

Course Rotation Schedule (if applicable)

Fall	IEC 101, IEC 102, IEC 130, IEC 180, IEC 200, IEC 210, IEC 240, IEC 230, IEC 216, IEC 246
Spring	IEC 101, IEC 102, IEC 130, IEC 170, IEC 235, IEC 240, IEC 221, IEC 291
Summer	IEC 101, IEC 102