

# Early Childhood Education 1 & 2



Career & Technical Education Website: [www.graniteschools.org/cte](http://www.graniteschools.org/cte)

## Course Information

Location: Check with your Career Center Coordinator  
Offered to: 10-12 grades  
Length: Semester/Year  
Credits: .5 credit each  
Prerequisites: Child Development, go in sequence



## Course Description

This curriculum and lab course prepares students for child-related careers through teaching and interacting with 3-5 year olds in a preschool setting. Instruction is given in Developmentally Appropriate teaching practices, positive guidance techniques and creating and maintaining a healthy environment for young children. Students will begin their Child Development Associate (CDA) portfolio in this course.



child  
care

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## Topics Include:

- Licensing standards
- Types of preschools
- Safe and healthy environments for children
- Positive guidance
- Types of learning
- Teaching large and small groups
- Curriculum planning
- Create and present DAP learning activities:
  - Language/literacy
  - Math
  - Creative arts
  - Music and movement
  - Dramatic play
  - Food experiences
  - Free play

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