

Directory of Early Childhood/Child Development Programs in MINNESOTA

College Name: Mesabi Range College	
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Key EC/CD Contact: Dawn Olson	
General Accreditation?	
Early Childhood Associate Degree Accreditation?	
Credit for Prior Learning? Yes	

Certificates, Diplomas and or Degrees Offered

Description of Certificate, Diploma and/or Degree Offered	Early Childhood Credit Hours	Total Credits Hours
Early Childhood/Early Childhood/Special Education A.A.S. Degree		60 Semester Credits
Teacher's Assistant Instructional Aide		60 Semester Credits

Early Childhood Program Information

Requirements for Admissions into Early Childhood Degree Program	H.S. Diploma & Accuplacer Test
Requirements to Enroll in EC/CD Classes outside of Degree Program	Accuplacer Placement Test
Earmarked Courses for the CDA Credential?	YES
Articulation Credit for the CDA Credential?	YES
Average # of EC/CD Courses Offered Each Term (NOT SUMMER)?	8
Average number EC/CD Courses Offered Online Each Term?	8
Average # of EC/CD Courses in Summer Term?	1-2
Average # of Courses offered in Spanish Each Term (NOT SUMMER)	0
Average # of EC/CD Courses Offered Per Term at Night (NOT SUMMER)	0
Average # of EC/CD Courses Offered Per Term on Saturday (NOT SUMMER)?	0
Average # of EC/CD Students Per Advisor?	25-35
# Of T.E.A.C.H. Early Childhood® Scholarships in FY 14-15?	1
Satellite Campuses with EC/CD Courses?	0
Tuition Cost Per Hour in 2015-2016?	\$156.04 per credit Online an additional \$25 per credit
4-Year Schools With Whom EC/CD Articulation Agreements Are in Place?	UMD – Unified Early Childhood Studies & Southwest State University
Immigration Status Verified For Admissions?	YES
How many courses do you offer in accelerated format?	0 Do have independent study options
Do you offer developmental courses with Early Childhood content? If yes, how many per semester?	NO

* Please note that when referring to “courses” above, this refers to distinct courses, not sections of courses. For example, if ECE 101 is offered four times during the semester, it is counted as one course, not four.

**Includes only students who list this as their home college.