

Early Childhood Education Training for ESOL Student

Are you a Maryland resident with a high school diploma, eager to improve your English skills and begin a rewarding career in child care?

In our **EARN grant-funded Early Childhood Education program**, students will participate in a comprehensive curriculum comprised of seven early childhood education courses, three ESOL courses, and career readiness workshops, designed to equip you with the skills and certifications essential for success in diverse child care settings, spanning infancy to age eight.



Course Dates and Times:

September 2024–May 2025 • Mondays–Thursdays • 6:00p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Most classes will be held on-line, but you will be required to attend one or more classes on campus

YOU MUST ATTEND ONE OF THE INFORMATION AND ASSESSMENT SESSIONS BELOW:

Wednesday, July 31, 2024 • 11 a.m.–1:30 p.m. | Rockville Campus MK-102

Thursday, August 1, 2024 • 3–5:30 p.m. | Rockville Campus MK-221

Monday, August 5, 2024 • 5–7:30 p.m. | Rockville Campus MK-102

To register for one of the sessions, please visit:

<https://forms.office.com/r/TZGQyRxW4B>

Completion of our program will help you:

- Fulfill the class hours required by *Maryland State Department of Education (MSDE)* to work in a Maryland child care setting
- Meet the **Child Development Associate (CDA) Credential** requirement of 120 class hours in a child care setting
- Create your professional portfolio, required for the CDA Credential

To qualify for our program, applicants must:

- Have at least a high school diploma or equivalent
- Be a Maryland resident
- Be eligible to work in the U.S.
- Meet CASAS English Proficiency requirements
- Have a genuine interest in child care
- Want to improve their English skills