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## EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

### Early Childhood Education: Assistant Teacher Certificate

*This 18 credit-hour curriculum will qualify students for the Illinois ECE Credential-Level 2. Students will need to complete an IL Gateways application. This certificate program will provide an assistant teacher in a licensed child care facility with basic knowledge in early childhood care and education.*

**Required:**

| Number  | Course Title                                    | Credits |
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| ECE 101 | Introduction to Early Childhood Education ..... | 3       |
| ECE 102 | Child Development .....                         | 3       |
| ECE 115 | Principles of Early Childhood Curriculum .....  | 3       |
| ECE 226 | Assessment and Guidance .....                   | 3       |
| ECE 250 | Health, Nutrition and Safety .....              | 3       |
| ECE 252 | Child-Family-Community .....                    | 3       |