# DIVERSITY ISSUES IN ECE, CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT (C)

Exceptional career opportunities for teachers and associate teachers in bilingual/bicultural early childhood settings are increasing with the state's growing diversity. This certificate can be earned concurrently with the Early Childhood Education certificate. See Department Chair for details.

### **Requirements**

#### **Certificate of Achievement Requirements**

Complete all Department Requirements for the Certificate of Achievement with a C or better in each course. Candidates for a Certificate of Achievement are required to complete at least 20% of the department requirements through SBCC.

Code	Title	Units
Department Requirements		
ECE 102	Child, Family and Community	3
ECE 103	Foundations of ECE I Principles	5
ECE 104	Foundations of ECE II Practicum	5
ECE 108	Creative Learning and Curriculum	3
ECE 109	Family-Teacher-Child Relationships	3
ECE 120	Child Growth and Development/ Educators	3
or PSY 140	Child Development	
ECE 121	Health, Safety And Nutrition For Young Children	3
ECE 128	Observation and Assessment	3
ECE 131	The Developing Bilingual Child	3
ECE 132	Teaching in a Diverse Society	3
Total Units		34.00

Note: Forty-five half-days of student teaching in an ECE Department-approved site must be completed for the Certification of Achievement.

### **Learning Outcomes**

- 1. Work effectively with families.
- 2. Demonstrate effective parent/child support. Identify the social and cultural factors influencing each child's development.
- 3. Work effectively with children to help them to resolve adjustment difficulties and mature successfully.
- Identify health and safety issues, guidelines and procedures for insuring infection control, common disease identification, proper nutrition guidelines and immunization information.
- 5. Demonstrate effective caregiving to infants and toddlers. Identify diversity issues common in the ECE field.
- 6. Demonstrate knowledge of stages of multi-language development in young children and enhancement strategies for the classroom.

## **Recommended Sequence**

Make an appointment with your SBCC academic counselor through Starfish to create a Student Education Plan that reflects a recommended course sequence for this program that is tailored to your individual needs.

How to schedule an Academic Counseling appointment (https:// www.sbcc.edu/counselingcenter/counselingappointments.php).