

# CHILD DEVELOPMENT ASSISTANT TEACHER, CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT

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**Banner Code:** 1\_CM\_CDAS

**Control Number:** 42087

**Not Financial Aid Eligible**

This certificate prepares students to work as an Assistant teacher or Teacher Aide in an early care and education program. This includes understanding theories and stages of development, family and school connections, developing creative curriculum, and providing positive guidance strategies. Courses emphasize strong theoretical and practical skills needed to work with children 2-5 years and students will gain hands on experience in a preschool classroom. Courses fulfill Title 22 licensing requirements and Title 5 early childhood education course requirements for the Child Development Permit at the teacher level. A grade of "C" or better is required in all courses.

## Program Outcome

This certificate builds upon core knowledge and provides augmented skills and knowledge beyond the minimum requirements for employment. The holder can be employed as an Assistant Teacher, Teacher, or Teacher Aide in early care and education programs.

Review Graduation Requirements (<https://catalog.cccd.edu/orange-coast/graduation-requirements/certificates/#achievementtext>).

Course	Title	Units
<b>Required Courses</b>		
CDE A155	Principles and Practices of Teaching Young Children	3
CDE A180	Child, Growth and Development	3
CDE A190	Family, School and Community Partnerships	3
<i>Restricted Electives</i>		
Select one course:		2-3
CDE A156	Early Childhood Lab: Interactions with Young Children	
CDE A157	Guidance for Young Children	
Select one course:		3
CDE A126	Teaching in a Diverse Society	
CDE A130	Language Arts for Children	
CDE A131	Creativity for Children	
CDE A132	Science and Math for Young Children	
<b>Total Units</b>		<b>14-15</b>