



# Early Childhood Development & Services



## ABOUT THE PATHWAY

Students in the Early Childhood Pathway learn about the physical, intellectual, emotional, and social development of young children. Students design and teach developmentally appropriate learning experiences. They learn the importance of forming teacher, family, and community connections to effectively promote the development, learning, and well-being of all young children in high-quality learning and care environments.

Follow the Early Childhood Development & Services pathway to explore these exciting careers:

- Child Care Worker
- Lead Teacher
- Site Director
- Program Director
- Preschool teacher

## PATHWAY LOCATIONS

East, Heights, North, Northwest, South, Southeast & West

## STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA)

## PROGRAM COURSES

INTRODUCTION: Career & Life Planning

TECHNICAL: FACS Leadership in Action, Parenting and Child Development, Family Studies, Orientation to Early Childhood Development, Early Childhood Education Foundations

APPLICATION: Community Connections, Career Connections, Workbased Experience-Early Childhood Education Lab

Certifications: KCCTO Foundations