

# Degree, Diploma, or Certificate of Credit in Early Chilhood Care and Education

#### **Program Overview**

The Early Childhood Care and Education program is a sequence of courses designed to prepare students for a variety of careers in the field of Early Childhood Education. Graduates have qualifications to be employed as lead teachers in child care centers, assistant teachers in head Start, and paraprofessionals in school systems.



### **Employment Outlook**

- Projected to grow 14% from 2012-2022
- About as fast as the average growth for all occupations.

### **Program Offerings**

- Degree: Early Childhood Care and Education
- Diploma: Early Childhood Care and Education
- Certificates:

Early Childhood Care and Education Basics

**ECCE Child Development Specialist** 

ECCE Infant/Toddler Specialst

**ECCE Program Administrator** 

Source: U.S. Department of Labor Occupational Outlook Handbook, 2012-2013 Edition (http://www.bls.gov/oco/)

## Learn about the curriculum, visit: www.laniertech.edu/childed







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**Job Opportunities** 

All of the ECCE TCCs meet the requirements for employment as a lead teacher in a child care center and an assistant teacher in GA PreK. Completing a diploma or a degree meets the education requirements for an assistant teacher in Head Start and a paraprofessional in the school system.



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